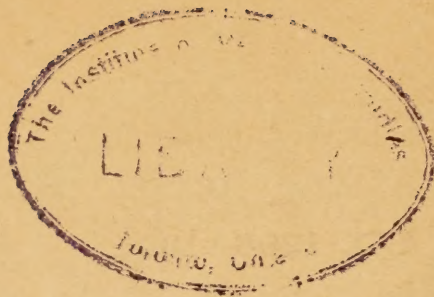


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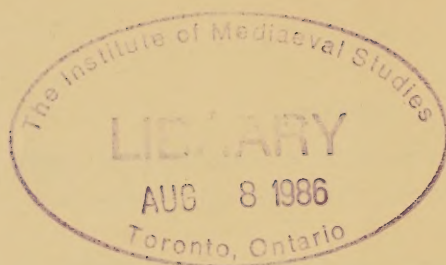
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P R E F A C E .

THE present volume forms part of a series of Calendars of the Close Rolls from the reign of Edward I. to that of Edward IV., the object and character of which are explained in the Preface to the first volume for the reign of Edward II. (A.D. 1307—1313.) The text has been prepared, with the sanction of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, by Mr. W. H. Stevenson, M.A., Fellow of St. John's College, Oxford. The Index begun by the late Mr. C. H. Woodruff, B.C.L., has been completed by Mr. C. T. Flower, M.A., of this Office, with assistance from Mr. Stevenson.

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CORRIGENDA.

- Page 35, line 5, *after Essex add (sic).*
- „ 108, „ 13 from foot, *for Cytons read Cycons.*
- „ 118, „ 15, *for Hothcote read Hochcote.*
- „ 148, „ 19, *add [Prynne, Records, iii, p. 787.]*
- „ 239, lines 15, 17, 18, 20, 22, *for Henry read Hugh.*
- „ 257, line 24, *for brought read bought.*
- „ 260, „ 12 from foot, *for man read men.*
- „ 271, „ 10 „ „ *for Mori read Mozi.*
- „ 307, „ 5 „ „ *after Eva add (sic).*
- „ 324, „ 19, *for Bonyngeton read Bovyngeton.*
- „ 339, „ 22, *for Hugh read Henry.*
- „ 344, „ 19 from foot, *after Arlegh, Weth add (sic).*
- „ 18 „ „ *for Arnon read Arvon.*
- „ 367, „ 22 „ „ *for Richard read Robert.*
- „ 368, „ 11 „ „ *for justice read forester.*
- „ 374, „ 16 „ „ *for London read Lincoln.*
- „ 389 margin, *for Yarmouth read St. Albans.*
- „ 391, line 6 from foot, *for clerks read clerk.*
- „ 412, „ 17 „ „ *for dye read die.*
- „ 423, „ 14 „ „ *for Pecton read Petton.*
- „ 426, „ 16 „ „ *for Regina read Regine.*
- „ 436, line 14, *for holds read hold.*
- „ „ 18 from foot, *for holds read hold.*
- „ 437, „ 28 „ „ *for holds read hold.*
- „ 438, „ 11, *for fess read fees.*
- „ 445, „ 18 from foot, *for yeomen read yeoman.*
- „ 463, „ 12 „ „ *for Mori read Mozi.*
- „ 464, „ 5, *for expences read expenses.*
- „ 478, „ 10 from bottom, *for son read sons.*
- „ 487, „ 10, *for William read Walter.*
- „ 498, „ 19, *for Hynton read Offynton.*
- „ 499, „ 9, *for de read le.*
- „ 504, „ 7 from foot, *for Walter read Henry.*
- „ 526, „ 15 „ „ *for inhibitions read inhibitions.*
- „ 549, „ 5, *for Easter read Exeter.*
- „ 577, „ 21, *for son read daughter.*
- „ 588, „ 11, *for Canterbury read York.*

CALENDAR

OF

CLOSE ROLLS.

25 EDWARD I.

1296.

MEMBRANE 24.

Nov. 23.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To John de Havering, justice of North Wales. As the king wills that the market held on Saturday at Launvoys shall be held henceforth on the same day in every week at his town of Beaumaris (*de Bello Marisco*), and that two fairs shall be held at Beaumaris yearly henceforth, one on the eve, day and morrow of the Assumption and for five days following, and the other on the eve, day and morrow of the Nativity of St. Mary and for five days following; he orders the justice to cause the said market and fairs to be proclaimed publicly and to be held in that town.

Nov. 21.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with a messuage and two carucates of land in Stred-legh, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Joan Peverel demised them by her deed to Hugh Peverel, deceased, tenant in chief of the king, and to Margery, his wife, for their lives, and that Margery continued her seisin thereof with Hugh until his death, and after his death until the escheator took them into the king's hands by reason of Hugh's death, and it appears by a fine levied between Hugh and Margery and Joan before Thomas de Weylaund and his fellows, late justices of the Bench, which the king has inspected, that the messuage and land were demised to Hugh and Margery in form aforesaid.

Nov. 23.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Alexander de Balliolo of Cavers demised, at Michaelmas in the twenty-second year of the king's reign, to Ralph de Eseling a moiety of the manor of Ludenham for six years from that feast, and Ralph was in seisin thereof by virtue of the demise, the sheriff of Kent took the moiety into the king's hands by virtue of the king's order to take into his hands the lands of all those who had lands in England and did not dwell in that realm but in the realm of Scotland at the time of the war; as it appears to the king by trustworthy testimony that Ralph dwelt in England at the time of the war and was always in the king's faith, the king orders the treasurer and barons to cause the moiety to be delivered to Ralph, with the issues received from it in the meantime, if they ascertain that the moiety was thus demised to Ralph, and that he was in seisin thereof until it was thus taken into the king's hands, and if they were taken into the king's hands solely for this reason.

Nov. 22.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To Ralph de Berners. Whereas the king has granted to John de Balliolo that he shall have in his household (*hospicio*) a huntsman with his page (*pagetto*) and ten coursing dogs to have sport (*deductu*) therewith, he orders Ralph to cause necessities to be found for the huntsman, page and dogs.

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March 26.
Wark.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit the executors of the will of J. late archbishop of York of 4,000 marks by which he made fine with the king for a contempt and trespass committed by him against the king, as the king has pardoned the executors this sum.
Vacated, because otherwise in the roll for the twenty-fourth year.

Nov. 23.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To William Inge, keeper of the lands that belonged to Edmund, the king's brother. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Alice, late the wife of John de Monteforti, tenant by knight service of Edmund, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Joan, late the wife of William de Valencia, tenant in chief, to be acquitted of the relief due to the king for the lands of her inheritance, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of William's death, as the king has pardoned her what pertains to him of her relief.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to cause W. elect of Coventry and Lichfield to have in the forest of La Mare thirty oaks for the palings (*palicium*) of his park at Terne.

Nov. 24.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the keeper of the forest of Shirewode. Order not to permit Isabel de Ros or her men to take any of the eight bucks and four does that the king lately granted to her in that forest, as the king has granted to her in recompence therefor the like number in the forest of Rokyngham.

By K. on the information of W. [elect of] Coventry and Lichfield.

To the keeper of the forest of Rokyngham. Order to cause Isabel or her men to have the aforesaid bucks and does in that forest.

By K. on the information of W. elect of Coventry and Lichfield.

Nov. 23.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To Henry de Cobham, keeper of the islands of Gerseye and Gerneseye. Whereas the king has granted to Reginald de Cartreto for his good service in the island of Gereseys, the seven tuns of wine that he took for the king's use from the king's wines lately captured from the king's enemies in those parts, the king orders the keeper to supersede entirely the demand that he makes upon Reginald for 35*l.* sterling for the king's use for the said seven tuns, and to cause him to be acquitted thereof. The king also orders the keeper to pay to Reginald the arrears of his wages for the time when he was in the king's service in his castle of that island.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has pardoned John le Leutour, citizen of London, the king's yeoman, in consideration of his good service to the king in the last expedition to Wales, the sixth of his goods and chattels in that city due from him by reason of the sixth lately granted to the king by the citizens and burgesses of the realm, and order them to cause the demand made upon him by summons of the exchequer to be released.

Nov. 27.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the keeper of the Hay of Hereford. Order to cause William de Mortuo [Mari], who is setting out for Scotland in the king's service, to have in that Hay six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

Nov. 25.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the keeper of the forest of Cannock (*de Canano*). Order to cause Master John de Cadamo to have in that forest ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause Eustace le Poer to have in the forest of Glencry six bucks and six does, of the king's gift.

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To the king's bailiff of the Isle of Wight. Order to permit William Arnald Duyre, the king's citizen of Bayonne, to load his ship in that island with wheat and to take it thus loaded to Bayonne without hindrance, as the king has granted him licence thus to load and take the ship.

Nov. 24.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the keeper of the island of Gerneseye. The king learns from the complaint of Peregrina Darcuson, daughter and heiress of Arnald Reymundi Darcuson, late citizen of Bayonne, who lately died in that island, that the keeper has put into the king's hands all the goods that Arnald Reymundi possessed in that island at the time of his death, both his own goods and those belonging to others (*tam propria quam aliena*), and detains them to the prejudice of the said daughter and from the executors of the deceased. The king orders the keeper to restore the goods to the daughter and executors, if he ascertain that Arnald was in the king's faith, and that the daughter and executors are likewise in his faith, and that the goods ought of right to remain to them.

Nov. 15.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To John de Lythegraynes, escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the third of the lands that belonged to William de Valencia, tenant in chief, which third he still retains in the king's hands by reason of the dower of Joan, late the wife of the said William, as Aymer, son and heir of William, has assigned to Joan with her assent for her dower of the lands that belonged to William in England and Wales the manor of Morton, co. Gloucester, the manor of Watdon, in the same county, the manor of Sopworth, co. Wilts, the manor of Cherdesle and Policote, co. Buckingham, the manor of Compton, co. Dorset, with the advowson of the church of that manor, and the advowson of the church of Wridelington, co. Suffolk, the manor of Colingburn, co. Wilts, the manor of Swyndon, in the same county, and all the lands and rents that William acquired in the manor of Braburn, co. Kent, and all the lands and rent that he acquired in the manor of Sutton, in the same county, and all the lands that he acquired in the manor of Intebergh and Bereford, co. Wilts, and all the lands that he acquired in the manor of Goodrich Castle (*Castri Godr'*), and 14l. 5s. 8d. yearly of land and rent that he acquired in co. Pembroke, as appears to the king by inspection of an indented deed made between Aymer and Joan and sealed with her seal.

Nov. 24.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the keeper of the forest of Shirewode. Order not to permit Isabel de Ros or her men to take anything in that forest by reason of the king's grant to her of eight bucks and four does in that forest, as the king has granted to her in recompence as many bucks and does in the forest of Rokyngham. If she have had all or any of the bucks and does, the keeper is ordered to certify the king without delay of the number.

Nov. 24.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the keeper of the forest of Rokyngham. Order to cause the said Isabel to have eight bucks and four does in that forest, in recompence for the like number granted to her in the forest of Shirewode.

Nov. 25.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. The king learns from the complaint of the master of St. John's hospital, Down (*Duno*), that the justiciary has caused to be taken into the king's hands certain lands in the adjoining parts that the master had acquired for the maintenance of the poor living in that hospital, by reason of the statute of mortmain that the king caused to be made within the realm of England as if that statute had been sent to Ireland and there published. As it is testified before the king by Master Thomas Cantok, chancellor of Ireland, that the

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statute has not yet been published in Ireland, the king orders the justiciary to cause the lands to be replevied to the master, to be held by him until after the parliament after Easter next, on condition that he shall answer to the king for the issues received thence in the meantime in case they ought to pertain to the king.

The like letters for the prior and convent of St. Patrick, Down.

Nov. 27.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To John de Lythegraynes, escheator beyond Trent, guardian of the archbishopric of York. Order to permit Thomas de Weston, the king's bailiff of Holdernes, to take in the park of the archbishopric at Beverley ten bucks and fifty does in order to stock therewith the king's park of Sprotteleye, which is in his custody, as the king has enjoined upon him.

MEMBRANE 23.

Dec. 5.
Nayland
(La Neylaund)

To Master Richard de Abyndon, late keeper of the archbishopric of Dublin. As the king wills that Brother William de Hothum, elect to that archbishopric, shall be preferred to others in buying the ploughs, plough-cattle (*affrorum*) and other goods of the king within the archbishopric, he orders Richard to retain for the king's use the corn of the archbishopric now in the barns which the king has decided to send to Gascony, and to demise to the elect before others the other goods of the king there to be sold by Richard, if the elect will buy them at a reasonable price. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 773.]

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John le Leutur to be acquitted of 11*l.* 2*s.* 3*d.* due to the exchequer by reason of the sixth lately granted to the king in the city of London, as the king has pardoned him this sum for his good service to the king in the war in Wales and elsewhere.

Nov. 24.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the sheriff of Northumberland, the king's bailiff of Tyndale. Order to resume into the king's hands the lands that John Comyn of Badenagh holds of A. bishop of Durham, and to keep them safely until otherwise ordered, so that he may answer fully to the exchequer for the issues thereof from the time of the king's first order to take into his hands the lands of those of Scotland, certifying the king without delay and the treasurer and barons of the exchequer on the morrow of St. Hilary next how he shall have executed this order, although the king granted to the bishop that the lands of all his tenants who held immediately of him in that county that the king caused to be seised into his hands by reason of their rebellion should be in the bishop's hands, provided that the lands of the under-tenants of such tenants should be restored to the under-tenants, and that those under-tenants who held immediately of the said tenants should do to the bishop by reason of the lands that they thus held of the said tenants the services therefore due and accustomed, until the king should otherwise ordain, wherefore the king ordered the sheriff to cause to be delivered to the bishop the lands of all his immediate tenants then in the king's hands, retaining in the king's hands the lands of those who are in the king's prison if they held any immediately of the bishop, and the sheriff delivered [to the bishop] the lands of the said John, who holds of the bishop, by reason of the said order, which he had taken into the king's hands by pretext of the king's order to take into his hands the lands of all those of the realm of Scotland having lands in England and in Scotland and who do not dwell in the realm of England.

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Nayland.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England to have seisin of a messuage and four acres of land in Aldeston, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which William de Veteri Ponte, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that William held them of the prior, and that Michael de Hartecla now holds them and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to deliver in bail Hugh le Mareschal of Refham, imprisoned in Lincoln gaol for the death of Thomas le Tyghler, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Richard de Byngham and John de Anesleye, justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

Dec. 7.
Nayland.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. It is shown to the king on behalf of Alan Houel, who is staying with Hugh Bardolf in the king's service by his order in Gascony, that whereas Alan ought to have and had at the time when he set out for Gascony his free chace, for himself and his men, with his cattle (*averiis*) and other goods, over (*ultra*) a certain way that leads from his messuage in Swenyngton to his pasture in that town, John Est and Simon Est, while Alan was thus in the king's service and under his protection, blocked up the said way after Alan had commenced his journey, so that Alan and his men cannot use the said chace as they ought and as they have been wont heretofore, to his damage and contrary to the form of the king's protection aforesaid. The king, wishing to provide for Alan's indemnity, as he is bound to do, orders the sheriff to go in person to the place aforesaid and to make inquisition, if need be, concerning this matter, and, if he find that it is as stated, to cause the way to be unblocked, and to cause Alan to have the same estate as to having his chace in it as he had on the day when he commenced his journey, and to maintain him in such estate for so long as he shall be in the king's service in the parts aforesaid.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to deliver in bail Adam de Lymhus, imprisoned in Colchester gaol for the death of Ralph Rycher, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of John Fyllol and his fellows, justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

Dec. 7.
Bures
St. Mary.

To Malcolm de Harle, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause to be restored to Margery, late the wife of Hugh Peverel, the issues received by him from a messuage and two carucates of land in Stredlegh, which Joan Peverel demised to Hugh and Margery for their lives, and wherewith the king lately ordered the escheator not to intermeddle further [*as at page 1 above*].

Dec. 9.
Bures.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to cause Robert de Londonia to have seisin of an acre of land in Steeple Bumpstead (*Bumstede ad Turrim*), as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the land, which William Bryan, the younger, who was hanged for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that William held it of Robert, and that Roger Baillol now holds the land and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

Dec. 15.
Nayland.

To the king's clerks and others appointed to take corn in cos. Wilts, Dorset and Devon and to send it to Gascony. As Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, is now staying in Gascony in the king's service by his order at

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Membrane 23—cont.

great cost and expense, the king orders them not to intermeddle with the earl's own corn in those counties by reason of the order aforesaid, but to permit the earl's men and attorneys to take the corn that they now have ready for his use for despatch to him in Gascony thither without hindrance, when they shall bring it to certain places on the sea coast. When sufficient ships for the king's use shall have been taken by them for his corn to be sent to Gascony now by William de Tholouse and afterwards about the Purification, the king wills that the earl's men and attorneys may hire ships to carry the corn, and they are ordered to aid and counsel them when required, provided that the corn and other necessities that the king has ordered to be sent to Gascony by the said William shall not be delayed in any way by reason of this order.

Dec. 16.
Nayland.

To the keeper of the forest of Essex. Order to cause the Friars Minors at Colchester to have in that forest four leafless oaks for fuel, of the king's gift.

To the constable of Rokingham castle. Order [to deliver] to the wife of William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, the king's houses within that castle to dwell in the same during his pleasure, retaining in the king's hands the Tower and other houses there necessary for the custody of the prisoners, delivering the other houses to the countess.

[*Cancelled.*]

To the same. Order to deliver to the wife of the said earl the other houses in the castle besides the Tower and the houses necessary for the custody of the prisoners, which he is to retain in the king's hands, as the king has lent his houses within the castle to her for her residence during his pleasure.

Dec. 22.
Belassis.

To the king's taker of corn in co. Suffolk. Order not to intermeddle in any way with taking the corn of Robert de Tybotot in that county, as the king wishes to provide for his indemnity because he is in his service in Gascony by his order.

The like for Robert for cos. Cambridge, Warwick, Leicester, York, Lincoln, Essex and Nottingham.

Dec. 26.
Ipswich.

The like in favour of Hugh de Veer, who is staying in Gascony in the king's service, for cos. Suffolk, Cambridge, Buckingham and Berks.

The like in favour of William de Fleg, who is staying with Hugh in the said parts, for co. Essex.

The like in favour of John Carbonel, who is staying with Hugh there, for cos. Suffolk and Essex.

The like in favour of William de Banus, who is staying with Hugh there, for co. Cambridge.

Dec. 26.
Ipswich.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to deliver in bail John Sabern, imprisoned in Newgate for the death of John de Castelford, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Ralph de Sandwyco and his fellows, justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

Vacated, because he did not have it.

To the king's takers of corn in cos. Essex and Hertford. Order not to intermeddle in any way with taking the corn of Robert son of Walter, as he is staying in the king's service in Gascony by his order, wherefore the king wishes to provide for his indemnity, as he is bound to do.

The like in his favour for cos. Norfolk and Suffolk.

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The like in favour of John de Fulburn for co. Cambridge.

The like in favour of Guy Ferre for cos. Oxford, Surrey, Essex and Suffolk.

The like in favour of Walter le Wylour, who is staying with Robert son of Walter in those parts.

The like in favour of Geoffrey de Capell[is], who is staying with William le Latymer in the said parts, by the testimony of John de Lond[onia], for co. Suffolk.

The like in favour of Henry de Helyun, who is staying with Robert de Tybetot there, for cos. Suffolk and Essex.

The like in favour of the following, who are staying with Robert son of Walter in the said parts:

Richard Punchardun for co. Lancaster.

Robert de la Warde for cos. Derby, Warwick and Leicester.

William Bozoun for co. Norfolk.

William de Wauton for co. Cambridge.

Robert de la Warde and William Bagot for co. Stafford.

Reginald de Nodariis, William de Hamyngfeld, William de Wauton, and Thomas Fullol for co. Essex.

Walter le Parker for co. Hertford.

Richard de Farnham and Roger le Paneter for co. Essex.

William de Hanyngfeld for co. Suffolk.

MEMBRANE 22.

*Sept. 28.
Ipswich.

To the king's taker of corn in co. Somerset. Order not to intermeddle in any way with taking the corn of John de Meriete, who is staying in Gascony in the king's service by his order, wherefore the king wishes to provide for his indemnity, as he is bound to do.

The like in favour of Simon de Cokefeld, who is staying there with Robert de Tybotot, for co. Suffolk.

The like in favour of Simon de Monte Acuto, who is staying there, for cos. Somerset and Devon.

By K. on the testimony of Robert son of Payn.

The like in favour of John de Maundeville and John de Gorges, who is staying with Ralph de Gorges there, for co. Somerset.

On the testimony of the said Robert.

The like in favour of Alexander Cheverel, who is staying there with John de Mohun, for co. Wilts.

On the testimony of the said Robert.

The like in favour of John de Mohun, who is staying there, for cos. Devon and Somerset.

On the testimony of the said Robert.

The like in favour of Ralph de Gorges, who is staying there, for cos. Southampton, Warwick, Somerset, Dorset, Northampton, and Devon.

On the testimony of the said Robert.

The like in favour of Ralph Paunkel, who is staying there with Robert de Tybetot, for co. Cambridge.

By the testimony of Robert de Doufhous.

The like in favour of the following, who are staying with Robert there:

Baldwin de Maneriis, Simon de Cockesfeld, and John le Meigne in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk. By the testimony of Robert de Dufhus.

Baldwin de Maneriis for cos. Northampton and Cambridge.

By the like testimony.

* An error for December.

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Roger de Thornton for co. Stafford. By the like testimony.

John le Moigne and Roger de Thornton for co. Cambridge.

By the like testimony.

The like in favour of Master Arnald Lupi de Tillio, who is staying there in the king's service, for co. Norfolk.

By the testimony of John de Benstede.

Dec. 30.
Ipswich.

The like in favour of Eustace de Hacche, who is staying there, for co. Surrey.

The like in favour of the said Eustace for cos. Sussex, Suffolk, Somerset, Berks, Lincoln, Hertford, Wilts, Warwick, Northampton and Kent.

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Jan. 2.
Ipswich.

The like in favour of John de la Mare for co. Essex.

Jan. 3.
Ipswich.The like in favour of John Lestrange (*Extraneus*) for cos. Salop, Norfolk and Cambridge.Jan. 4.
Ipswich.

The like in favour of Arnald de Montiniaco for cos. Essex, Hertford and Suffolk.

The like in favour of Thomas de Maidenhache for cos. Norfolk, Essex and Warwick.

The like in favour of Thomas de Moese for cos. Essex and Suffolk.

Jan. 10.
Ipswich.

The like in favour of Robert son of Nigel for cos. Buckingham and Oxford.

Jan. 20.
Harwich.

The like in favour of William de Mortuo Mari for cos. Buckingham and Somerset.

The like in favour of the said William for cos. Berks and Gloucester.

The like in favour of William le Latymer, the elder, for cos. Bedford and Kent.

Jan. 17.
Harwich.

The like for William de Grandisono for cos. Hereford, Kent, Wilts and Berks.

The like for Peter de Cusancia for cos. Hereford, Berks, Bucks and Southampton.

By the testimony of the Gerardi.

The like in favour of Simon de Monte Acuto, for co. Somerset.

The like in favour of William le Lung, for co. Gloucester.

The like in favour of Gilbert Pecche, for co. Lincoln.

The like in favour of Nicholas de Sancto Mauro, for co. Cambridge.

Jan. 28.
Castlere. Norfolk.

The like in favour of William de Ros of Hamelak, for cos. Lincoln and Norfolk.

Jan. 29.
Castlere.

The like in favour of Laurence de Sancto Mauro for cos. Somerset, Nottingham and Wilts.

The like in favour of John de Insula for cos. Wilts and Southampton.

The like in favour of John Huse, who is staying there with John de Sancto Mauro, for cos. Wilts and Dorset.

The like in favour of Hugh de Alditheleye for cos. Gloucester and Oxford.

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Dec. 28.
Ipswich.

To the king's takers of corn in co. Warwick. Order not to intermeddle with the corn of the abbot, prior and convent of Westminster within the manors of Knolle and Graston, which the king granted to them for celebrating the anniversary of Queen Eleanor, his late consort, and to restore to them anything that they may have taken from them.

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The like in their favour for the following counties :—

Co. Kent for the corn in the manor of Westerham.

Co. Middlesex for the corn in the manors of Hodeford and Padynton.

Co. Bucks for the corn in the manors of Turveston and Denham.

Co. Essex for the corn in the manors of Bridebrok.

Dec. 29.
Ipswich.

To Robert Tybotot, justiciary of West Wales, or him who supplies his place. Order to cause Joan, late the wife of William de Valencia, sometime earl of Pembroke, the king's uncle, to have seisin of the lands that William at his death held of the king in chief of her inheritance, as the king has taken her homage therefor.

The like to Walter de la Haye, escheator in Ireland.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to cause the executors of the said William to have free administration of the goods and chattels that belonged to him in Ireland, for the execution of his will, upon their finding security to render to the exchequer any debts due thereto from him.

Dec. 30.
Ipswich.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As Robert de Veer, late earl of Oxford, died some time before the laity of the realm granted to the king a twelfth of their goods, the king orders them to cause order to be given to the taxors and collectors of the twelfth aforesaid in all counties wherein there are goods of the deceased to supersede entirely the taxation and collection from such goods by reason of the twelfth aforesaid.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Patrick, earl of March, has shown the king that the sheriff has taken into the king's hands his lands by reason of the king's order to take into the king's hands the lands of those of Scotland, and he has requested the king to restore them to him: the king therefore orders the sheriff to restore them to Patrick, if they were taken into the king's hands solely for this reason.

1297.

Jan. 2.
Ipswich.

To Malcolm de Harlegh, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to William de Umframville, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that William at his death held nothing of the king in chief, by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

Jan. 4.
Ipswich.

To the keeper of the forest of Shirwode. Order to cause Richard le Clerk, constable of Notyngnam castle, to have in that forest twenty oaks in order to repair the bridge and granary of the castle.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause a viewer of the king's works in the castle of Notyngnam to be elected in place of John Pouterel, deceased.

Jan. 10.
Ipswich.

To the king's takers of corn in co. Middlesex. Order not to intermeddle in any way with levying the corn of Aymer de Valencia, the king's cousin, in his manor of Edelmeston.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As William de Valencia, the king's uncle, late earl of Pembroke, died some time before the laity of the realm granted to the king a twelfth of their goods, the king orders them to give orders to the taxors and collectors of the twelfth aforesaid in every county wherein there are goods of his to supersede entirely the taxation and collection of the said goods by reason of the twelfth.

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*Membrane 22—cont.*Jan. 12.
Harwich.

To the mayor and bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne. Order to cause William le Getour of Dover to be acquitted of 20 marks due to the king for a ship that belonged to the wife of Robert de Gosford of St. Valery and John, his son, the king's enemies, which was lately arrested with other ships of the power of the king of France by the mayor and bailiffs, and which the king ordered to be delivered to William for the aforesaid sum, and the ship was afterwards driven by the violence of the sea from the port of Yarmouth to the land of Friesland, and was there detained until Robert and John took it thence, as appears by inquisition that the king caused to be made by the mayor and bailiffs.

Jan. 8.
Ipswich.

To the sheriff of Berks. Order not to intermeddle in any way^{*} with taking the corn of William de Valencia, late earl of Pembroke, as the king wishes to show special favour to the executors of his will.

The like to the sheriffs of Gloucester, Wilts, Oxford, Dorset, Southampton, Buckingham, Hertford, Essex, Kent, Middlesex, Norfolk, Suffolk, Nottingham, Lincoln and Northumberland.

Memorandum, that Isabel, late the wife of John de Vesey, the elder, daughter of Agnes de Bello Monte, did homage to the king at Ipswich, on 29 December, for the barony of Caral, in the county of Fyf in Scotland, which she had by the release and quit-claim of her mother.

Jan. 14.
Harwich.

To the king's takers of corn in co. Middlesex. Order not to intermeddle in any way with the corn of the master and brethren of the military order of the Temple in England, as the king has granted to them that nothing of their corn shall be taken at present for his use.

The like in their favour to the sheriffs of Kent, Surrey, Sussex, Southampton, Wilts, Worcester, Gloucester, Somerset, Dorset, Devon, Cornwall, Hereford, Oxford, Berks, Salop, Stafford, Warwick, Leicester, Nottingham, Derby, York, Lincoln, Rutland, Northampton, Cambridge, Huntingdon, Buckingham, Bedford, Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex and Her[t]ford.

Jan. 13.
Harwich.

To Hugh de Busshey, escheator in co. Chester. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Urian de Sancto Petro, who held at his death certain lands of the king in chief in that bailiwick, held therein of the heirs of Bonbury the manor of Pecforton in socage by the service of 2s.; and of the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England a carucate of land in Rydeleng by the service of 12d.; and of Roger de Spurstou and his parceners, lords of Spurstou and Halghton, a carucate of land in Spurstou and Halghton by the service of a rose; and of Hova son (*fil*) of Eynnon a twelfth of the lordship of Rydeleng, Spurstou and Halghton by the service of 1d.; and of Henry del Boure 7 acres of land in Fadyleng by the service of a rose; and of Robert de Praers a third of Cherleton by the service of 6d. and two salt pans in Nantwich (*in Vico Malb'*) by the service of 12d.; and of Roger de Wolaston and David son of Richard de Bonbury a mill and a half in Horsleg by the service of 18d.; and of Richard de Sutton two burgages in Malpas (*in Malo Passu*) and two salt-pans in Fulwick (*in Fulwico*) by the service of 21d. and a pair of gloves, yearly for all services, and that Urian son of John de Sancto Petro is the nearest heir of Urian and is aged seventeen years; wherefore the custody of the lands aforesaid that are held in socage ought not to pertain to the king according to the law and custom of those parts. The king therefore orders the escheator to retain in the king's hands the lands that are held of the king, and not to intermeddle further with the other lands that are held in socage, if they are in the king's hands solely by reason of Urian's death.

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*Membrane 22—cont.*Jan. 16.
Harwich.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause to be released to John de Bello Campo, son and heir of John de Bello Campo, tenant in chief, the demand made upon him for scutage for the king's use for the armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of the reign, as it appears to the king that John, the father, did the service due to him in those armies.

To the sheriff of York. Order to deliver to Robert de Drayton, Stephen de Gosford and John Oliver a ship each with all its tackle from the best of the ships that were captured from the king's enemies at sea near Ravenesere, which were forfeited to the king and are in the sheriff's custody, as the king has granted a ship to each of them.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to deliver to Adam de Welle the ship and its tackle that were lately captured from the king's enemies at Wainflet, as the king has given it to Adam. By K.

MEMBRANE 21.

Jan. 22.
Belassise.

To the king's takers of corn in co. Stafford. Order not to intermeddle in any way with taking the corn of the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England, as the king has granted to them that nothing shall be taken from their corn for his use.

The like in their favour for the counties of Derby, Westmoreland, Northumberland, Cumberland, Somerset, Cambridge, Bedford, Warwick, and Lancaster.

Jan. 24.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To John de Lythegr[aynes], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Mary, late the wife of William Heyrun, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath not to marry without the king's licence.

Jan. 28.
Castleacre.

To the sheriff of Warwick. Order to cause the prior of Chaucumbe to have seisin of a messuage and 5 acres of land in Westcote, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which Andrew de Westcote, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Andrew held them of the prior, and that the township of Westcote still holds them in the king's name and has had his year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to him.

To Osbert de Spaldyngton. Order to cause the king's *baliste*, quarrels and all his other things that are in the munition of the castle of Werk and in Osbert's custody to be carried without delay to the castle of Berewyk, and to cause them to be there kept safely until the king shall otherwise ordain.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to deliver in bail Robert de Claworth, imprisoned at Notyngham for the death of Richard son of William Torkard of Chilewelle, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Richard de Byngham and John de Anesleye, his justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

Feb. 1.
Castleacre.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order not to distrain John Braban of Stanford, whom the king lately ordered him to distrain to go to Berwick-on-Tweed with other citizens and burgesses of the realm, as the king wills for certain reasons that John shall not go thither.

By K. on the information of the bishop of Chester.

[*Parl. Writs.*]

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Jan. 29.
Castleacre.

To Malcolm de Harlegh, escheator this side Trent. Order to take into the king's hands for certain reasons immediately on sight hereof all the lands, goods and chattels of Joan, countess of Gloucester and Hertford, in England and Wales and in the marches of Wales, and to cause them to be kept safely until otherwise ordered. He is warned not to omit to do this as he loves himself and his things and wishes to escape the king's wrath, certifying the king without delay as to how he has executed this order.

The like to John de Lythegr[aynes], escheator beyond Trent.

Feb. 3.
Walsingham.

To John de Lythegr[aynes], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause John, son and heir of William de Lungvilers, to have seisin of the lands that his father held at his death of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.
By proof [of age] taken before the king.

Feb. 4.
Walsingham

To the keeper of the forest of Rokingham. Order to cause the prior and brethren of the Friars Preachers at Staunford to have in that forest ten oaks fit for timber to make therewith the aisles (*alas*) of their church.

*Vacated, because [it is] in the appended schedule.**

Feb. 3.
Walsingham.

To Henry de Cobham, keeper of the islands of Gerneseye and Gereseye. Whereas the king lately ordered the keeper to present Ranulph son of Peter Maret, clerk, who had sustained great damages by the conflict lately had in the island of Gereseye between the men of that island and certain aliens, enemies of the king, to the church of St. Heliers (*Elirii*) in that island if it was void, and another had been presented thereto before Ranulph came to the keeper with the king's writ, as the king learns, so that Ranulph obtained (*executus*, for *assecutus*) no advantage by the writ; and the church of St. Brelade (*Breelardi*) in that island, pertaining to the king's gift, as he learns, is now void: the king orders the keeper to present Ranulph to the latter church to the diocesan on the king's behalf, if it be void and if he be more suitable than others.

Feb. 5.
Walsingham.

To the same. As some (*non nulli*) men of those islands have come to the king in England and have complained to him, beseeching him to cause justice to be done to some of them concerning certain exactions and distrains made upon them by the keeper for certain farms to be rendered to him from the tithes that belonged to certain Normans in those islands that had been demised to them at ferm and that were afterwards entirely burnt by the king's enemies, and to some of them concerning certain trespasses and wrongs wilfully and without reasonable cause committed upon them by the keeper and his ministers; the king, wishing to show them full justice, orders the keeper to be with him in fifteen days from Easter next, sufficiently instructed for himself and his ministers, to answer to the said men concerning the premises and to do and receive further what the king's court shall consider in this behalf. It is provided that the king's castles in the islands shall be sufficiently put in a position of defence (*muniantur*) before the keeper leaves the islands, placing in them such keepers as he shall be willing to answer for.

Feb. 6.
Walsingham.

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Whereas the king has promised and is bound to cause his (*vestrum*) seal† to be affixed to certain letters made concerning the alliance (*confederacione*) entered into between the king, for

* This schedule is now missing.

† The *vestrum* here would seem, from the separate reference to the earl's seal lower down, to be an error for *nostrum*, unless the latter is a mistake of *vestro* for *nostro*.

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himself and his heirs, on the one part, and Sir Guy, count of Flanders, for himself and his heirs, on the other, together with the earl's (*vestro*) seal and the seals of certain of the king's earls and barons; the king requests him to cause his seal to be placed without delay to the said letters, which the bearer of the presents brings to him.

The like separately to Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, Robert de Veer, earl of Oxford, and Robert son of Roger.

Feb. 6.
Walsingham.

To Malcolm de Harlegh, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Benedict de Blakenham, son and heir of Benedict de Blakenham, to have seisin of the land that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage. By proof [of age] taken before the king.

Feb. 6.
Walsingham.

To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause proclamation to be made in all market towns and other good towns and ports of that county according to the form enclosed in the presents, and to cause all men of the power of the count of Flanders taken by reason of the present war in his bailiwick to be released, as an alliance and bond of friendship has been entered into between the king and the count of Flanders to endure for ever, and it was agreed on both sides that merchants and other persons whatsoever of the king's realm and of the lands subject to his dominion and *vice versa* merchants and others of Flanders and the other lands of the count and the lands subject to him may freely and securely come, stay, and ply merchandise and other affairs, the former in Flanders and any other lands subject to the count's power, and the latter in the king's realm and the lands subjected to his dominion.

[The form referred to in the preceding.]

'Por ceo que aliance e amisté especial e sont affermez entre nostre seignur le rey d'Engleterre e le conte de Flandres, pur eux e pur leur heirs, a durer a touz jours, nous comandoms, de par le dit nostre seignur le rey, qe totes gentz de Flandres, marchantz e autres, peussent desoremes sauvement e seurement repoier en roiaume d'Engleterre e par tot ailleurs en son poer, ovè totes leur marchandises e touz leur autres biens, franchement e peisiblement, e ausi seurement demorer, aler, e revenir, pa[r] mer e par terre, e marchander come nul marchant d'Engleterre ou d'ailleurs, dont qu'il soit. E defendoms a touz, sur forfeture de vie e de membre, de terres e de chateux e de quanqu'il norront forfaire, qe nul ne leur die ne face mal ne moleste, damage, grevance ne destorbance, qu'il ne peussent sauvement e seurement venir, demorer, aler, e revenir, par mer e par terre, e marchander en la fourme avantdite. E si nul du poer le dit . . . conte soit arestu par acheisun de ceste guerre, qe maintenant soit delivres, queu part qu'il soit.'

The like writs with the same schedule are sent to all the sheriffs of England and to Stephen de Penecestre, warden of the Cinque Ports.

The like to Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, John de Havering, justice of North Wales, Robert Tybotot, justice of West Wales.

The like to Master Thomas Cantok, chancellor of Ireland.

The like to John de Warennia, earl of Surrey, keeper of the realm and land of Scotland.

Feb. 8.
Castleacre.

To Malcolm de Harl[egh], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Hilaria, late the wife of Hugh Talemasch, tenant in chief.

Feb. 6.
Walsingham.

To Sir G. count of Flanders and marquess of Namur. Request that he will cause to be arrested and sent speedily to the king in England

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those persons whose names are contained in a schedule delivered by the king to the lord of Blamound, the count's knight, and to be shown by him to the count, such persons being disloyal to the king (*qui contra fidem nostram existunt*), if they are found in the count's dominions. The king will do the like for the count whenever desired by him in regard to those found in the king's realm who are disloyal to the count.

Feb. 8.
Castleacre.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause Thomas de Furnivall[is] to have seisin of two messuages, two tofts, 5 acres of land, 4½*d.* of rent in Sheffeuð, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the premises, which William Gamelstepson, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that William held them of Thomas, and that the township of Sheffeuð now holds them and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

Feb. 12.
Ely.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to take into the king's hands without delay all the lay fees of all the clergy of his bailiwick, as well archbishops, bishops and men of religion as other clerks of whatsoever estate they may be, together with the goods and chattels found in them, and to cause them to be kept safely so that neither they or anyone else shall lay hands upon them until the king shall otherwise ordain. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 694.]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Thomas de Corewen and Hugh de Moleton to be acquitted of 35 marks due to the exchequer, to wit Thomas 20 marks and Hugh 10*l.*, for their issues forfeited before the justices of the Bench in the twentieth year of the reign, in which year they were appointed collectors in co. Cumberland of the fifteenth granted to the king by the laity, and they were ordered by the treasurer and barons on the king's behalf not to go outside that county but to attend to the collection and levying of the fifteenth, as the king has pardoned them these sums. By bill of the exchequer.

To the same. Order to cause John Giffard of Brymesfeld to be acquitted of the demand made upon him for scutage for the armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of the king's reign, as it appears to the king that John did his full service in the said armies.

Feb. 12.
Ely.

To Malcolm de Harl[egh], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands of Elias de Hauvill, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Elias at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

To John de Lythe[eynes], escheator beyond Trent. Order to take into the king's hands certain lands in the manor of Glassanby, and to cause them to be kept safely until further orders, as the king learns that the prior of Carlisle has entered certain lands in that manor, which is held of the king in chief, without his licence.

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Feb. 12.
Ely.

To the taxors and collectors of the twelfth in co. Warwick. Order to supersede entirely the taxation and levying by reason of the twelfth of the goods and chattels of the abbot and convent of Westminster in their

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manors of Kirelle and Grafton, in that county, which the king lately granted to them for the yearly celebration of the anniversary of Queen Eleanor, his late consort, and for certain alms every week for her soul, as the king wills that nothing shall be levied from them for this reason. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 765.]

The like in favour of the abbot and convent in the following counties:

Co. Buckingham, for the manors of Denham and Turveston.

Co. Essex for the manor of Bridebrok.

Co. Middlesex, for the manor of Hodeford.

Co. Kent, for the manors of Westerham and Edelmebrigg. [*Ibid.*]

Feb. 17.
St. Albans.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to deliver in bail Robert le Dorturer, imprisoned in Neugate for the death of Albertinus Poncii, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Ralph de Sandwyco and John le Breton, justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Isabel, late the wife of Fulk de Penebrugg, tenant of the heir of Richard de Harecurt, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Feb. 18.
Langley.

To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Alice, late the wife of Warin de Insula, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

Feb. 18.
Langley.

To the same. Order not to intermeddle further with the manors of Rampton, co. Cambridge, and Fynebergh, co. Suffolk, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that the aforesaid Alice was enfeofed thereof jointly with the said Warin, to have to them and to the heirs of Warin of the chief lords of the fee, and that she peacefully continued her seisin thereof from the time of the feoffment until Warin's death and after his death until the manors were taken into the king's hands by the escheator.

Feb. 17.
St. Albans.

To the sheriff of Dorset. Order to cause proclamation to be made in all ports and market towns of that county that it is the king's pleasure, in order that Guy, count of Flanders and marquess of Namur, his friend and ally, may more easily sustain the war against the king of France, that merchants of the king's power may take corn, victuals, and other wares from the realm of England and the king's other lands to Flanders, and that merchants of Flanders may buy them in England and take them thence to Flanders, upon paying the right and usual customs thereon.

The like to the sheriffs of Northumberland, Cumberland, Lancaster, York, Lincoln, Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex, Kent, Sussex, Southampton, Somerset, Dorset, Gloucester, Devon, Cornwall, and Middlesex.

William de Espeley, imprisoned at Newcastle-on-Tyne for the death of William le Fenrother, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Northumberland to bail him until the first assize in those parts.

Feb. 18.
Langley.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to take into the king's hands the castle, manor and county of Kildare, with all their appurtenances and liberties, and also whatsoever William de Vescy had or might have had

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in Ireland, and to cause them to be kept safely until the king shall otherwise ordain, so that answer shall be made to the said exchequer for the issues thereof, as William has granted and rendered to the king the said castle, manor and county, with all their appurtenances and liberties, to wit whatever William had or might have had in Ireland, to have for ever quit of William, as is more fully contained in his charters made to the king.

Whereas the king learns by the record of Ralph de Sandwyco and John le Bretun, his justices appointed to deliver Neugate gaol, that Robert le Dorturay, imprisoned therein for the death of Albertinus Poncii, where-with he is charged, slew him in self-defence, the king, moved by piety, has pardoned him the suit of his peace that pertains to him for the death aforesaid—[*Incomplete.*]

Vacated, because it is on the Patent Roll.

Feb. 17.
St. Albans.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king, on 7 November, in the sixth year of his reign, took the homage of Roger de Moubray, son and heir of Roger de Moubray, tenant in chief, for the lands that his father held of the king and rendered them to him, and afterwards on 26 November, in the eighth year of his reign, granted to him, for a fine of 200 marks that he made with the king, to be paid at the following feast of All Souls, the scutage of all the knights' fees that were held of Roger in all counties, to wit 40s. for each fee (*scuto*), for the king's army of Wales, in the fifth year of his reign, and the king thereupon ordered the treasurer and barons to cause the scutage to be levied by the sheriffs of the counties wherein the fees are, and to cause Roger to have it, and Roger has paid the said 200 marks; the king orders the treasurer and barons to release to Roger the demand for 276*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for scutage for the knights' fees that are held of him for the time aforesaid and to cause him to be acquitted thereof by virtue of the fine aforesaid, if they ascertain that he has paid the fine.

Feb. 22.
Odiham.

To the sheriff of Bedford and Buckingham. Order to restore to the master of the military order of the Temple in England his lay fees, with the goods and chattels found therein, which were taken into the king's hands by the sheriff by virtue of the king's order to take into his hands the lay fees of archbishops, bishops and all the clergy, with the goods and chattels in them, as the king has received the master into his protection by his letters patent until All Saints next.

By p.s.

[Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 696.]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

Feb. 22.
Odiham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to release to John de Bello Campo, son and heir of John de Bello Campo, tenant in chief, the demand made upon him for scutage for the king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it appears to the king that John, father of the said John, did his service in the armies aforesaid.

Feb. 25.
Amesbury.

To the sheriff of Westmoreland. Order to restore to the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England their lay fees, with the goods and chattels found therein, which were taken into the king's hands by the sheriff by virtue of the king's order to take into his hands the lay fees of archbishops, bishops and all the clergy, with the goods and chattels in them, as the king has received the prior and brethren into his protection by his letters patent until All Saints next. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 696.]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

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Feb. 27. To the sheriff of Lancaster. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Clarendon. to be elected in place of William de Carleton, deceased.

Feb. 27. To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to take into the king's
Clarendon. hands for certain reasons all the lay fees of all the clergy in his bailiwick,
as well of bishops, archbishops and men of religion as of other clerks,
together with the goods and chattels found in them. [Prynne, *Records*,
iii, p. 695.]

The like to John de Havering, justice of North Wales, and to Robert
Tybotot, justice of West Wales, or to those who supply their places.
[*Ibid.*]

Feb. 28. To the sheriff of Surrey. Order to deliver to the attorneys of William
Clarendon. de Carleton, king's clerk, until Easter next his lay fees, with the goods
and chattels found in them, which were taken into the king's hands by
virtue of his order to take into his hands all the lay fees of archbishops,
bishops, and all the clergy in his bailiwick, as William is staying in
Brabant by the king's order. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 695.]

The like to the sheriffs of Kent, Norfolk, Suffolk and Cambridge.

The like in favour of Peter de Donewyco, who is staying in Scotland,
to the sheriffs of Norfolk, Suffolk and Kent.

[The like in favour of] John de Elmham, parson of the church of
Pitelesdene, who is staying with William de Carleton in Brabant to the
sheriff of—

[The like in favour of] Master Richard de Abyndon, who is staying in
Ireland, to the sheriff of Wilts.

[The like in favour of] Walter de Agmodesham, who is staying in
Scotland, to the sheriff of Buckingham.

MEMBRANE 19.

Feb. 28. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Reginald
Clarendon. de Grey to be acquitted of the demand made upon him for scutage for the
king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it
appears to the king that he did his full service in those armies. By K.

March 2. To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause Richard de Westcote
Clarendon. to have seisin of a messuage and three virgates of land in Haliburn, as
the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and
virgates, which Hilary Sigar, who abjured the realm for felony, held, have
been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Hilary held them
of them of Richard, and that Richard has had the king's year and day
thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

March 3. To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to cause Roger de Cobeham to have
Clarendon. seisin of a messuage and of a moiety of a virgate of land in Clyve Pypard,
as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said
messuage and moiety, which William de Sancto Mauro, who was outlawed
for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and
that William held them of Roger, and that the tithingman of Clyve Pypard
had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the
king.

To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to cause a coroner for the town of
Salisbury (*Nova Sar'*) to be elected in place of William Florentyn, deceased.

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To the keeper and sheriffs of London. Order to permit the ships of Holland and Zeeland arrested by the king's order at London to leave there freely, upon receiving from the sailors and passengers (*transeuntibus*) oath that they will not carry any letter or anything else that may in any way redound to the damage of the king or of his realm, and that they will not procure or do in parts beyond sea by work or deed, craft or ingenuity, anything that may be harmful to the king or his realm. By K.

March 1.
Clarendon.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has pardoned Peter de Lund all the issues and amercements in which he fell before them from the quinzaine of Michaelmas last until Michaelmas following, at which time he was with Henry de Percy in the king's service in Scotland, and order to cause such issues and amercements to be withdrawn from the rolls of the exchequer and to cause Peter to be acquitted thereof.

March 4.
Clarendon.

To Malcolm de Harle, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Simon de Pateshull, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator and by another one taken by John de Lithegr[eyns], escheator beyond Trent, and by inspection of the rolls of the exchequer that Simon at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

The like to the said escheator beyond Trent.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Bogo de Knovill to be acquitted of the 140*l.* following, as the king has pardoned him, in consideration of his good service, 80*l.* for the ferm of his bailiwick of Montgomery of the third and fourth years of the reign, 40*l.* for the ferm of the same bailiwick for the twenty-third year of the reign, during which years he was unable to receive any profit from his bailiwick by reason of the war in those parts, and of 20*l.* at which he was amerced before John de Berewyco and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. Salop, for divers escapes of thieves from his custody during the time when he was sheriff of that county.

Memorandum, that John de Langeton, the chancellor, went from the Court on Monday before St. Perpetua, to wit 4 May, from the city of Salisbury to his prebend of the church of Salisbury at Aulton near Cerne.

March 2.
Clarendon.

To the sheriff of Wilts. The king understands that the sheriff has, by virtue of the order to take into the king's hands the lay fees of the clergy, taken into the king's hands certain portions (*porciunculas*) of the vicars of the church of Salisbury bequeathed to them in aid of their food by persons deceased, and the small houses (*mansiunculas*) appointed for their residence, from which a moiety or a tenth was not given to the king in any way. The king, wishing to show the vicars favour upon this occasion, orders the sheriff to restore to them without delay all such portions and small houses that were not at other times taxed for a moiety or a tenth and from which a moiety or a tenth was not given, together with the small (*minutis*) goods and chattels in the same.

March 5.
Clarendon.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to release to Hugh de Mortuo Mari, son and heir of Robert de Mortuo Mari, tenant in chief, the demand made upon him for scutage for the king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it appears to the king that Robert did his due service in the said armies. By K.

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- March 6.
Clarendon. To the sheriff of Bedford. Order to restore to William, bishop of Emley, his lands and the goods and chattels found therein, which the sheriff took into the king's hands by virtue of his order to take into the king's hands the lay fees of the clergy, if he ascertain that the bishop has not in his bailiwick any ecclesiastical benefice or lands annexed to any spirituality. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 696.]
- March 5.
Clarendon. To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause Robert de Plessetis to have seisin of a messuage and five acres of land in Tedesthorn de la Mare, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which Adam le Fevre, who was outlawed for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Adam held them of Robert, and that the village of Tedesthorn de la Mare had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.
- March 7.
Salisbury. To the takers of the king's corn in co. Wilts. Orders not to take any corn, horses or carts, preserved meats, (*lardario*), carriage, or other goods from the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England against their will, for the use of the king or of his men in Gascony, and to restore to them anything that they may have taken from them against their will. By K. on the information of J. de Bensted.
- March 6.
Clarendon. To the keeper of the forest of Clarendon. Order to cause the prior and brethren of the Friars Preachers at Salisbury to have six leafless oak stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.
- To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Stephen Druets, who is incapacitated by blindness and age.
- March 7.
Salisbury. To the sheriff of York. Order to cause the lands of the clergy taken into the king's hands by him to be sown from the goods of the owners of the lands without delay, as the king considers that if the lands to be sown be not sown this year in this season of Lent great damage may accrue to him and the prelates and clergy and entire realm. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 695.]
- The like to the sheriffs of Berks, Bedford, Cambridge, Huntingdon, Northampton, Leicester, Warwick, Devon, Salop, Stafford, Worcester, Lincoln, Southampton, Wilts, Middlesex, Somerset, Dorset, Gloucester, Derby, Rutland, Hereford, Kent, Essex, Suffolk, Norfolk, Surrey, Sussex, Oxford and Buckingham.
- March 3.
Clarendon. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Fulk Lestrange (*Extraneus*) to be acquitted of 24*l.* exacted from him by reason the manor of Chauton, which belonged to Hamo Lestrange, late sheriff of Southampton, now in Fulk's hands, which sum Hamo owed to the exchequer for many defaults during the time when he was sheriff, as the king has pardoned Fulk this sum for his good service rendered to him in Gascony.
- March 3.
Clarendon. To the same. Order to cause to be delivered to Andrew Brotherland, John de Ippe and Nicholas, his brothers, burgesses of Ypres of Guy, count of Flanders and marquis of Namur, their goods and chattels arrested for the king's use by his order and still in the hands of his sheriffs or others, or if they have been sold, the price thereof, if it be still in the hands of the sheriffs and have not been paid into the exchequer or have not been assigned to others by the king's gift, as the king makes this order at the

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instance of the count, hoping that the count will show like favour to the king's men in respect to their goods and chattels taken and arrested in his dominion, although the king is bound, according to the covenants entered into between him and the count, to cause goods thus taken to be restored after the king's war with the king of France shall have come to an end.

March 7.
Salisbury.

To Malcolm de Harl[egh], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that Hugh Peverel held at his death in Little Domerham, and to restore the issues thereof, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that the lands are of the inheritance of Margery, late the wife of Hugh, and that she continued her seisin thereof with Hugh until the day of his death, and that the lands are held of Reginald de Sancto Martino by the service of an eighth of a knight's fee.

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March 10.
Breamore.

To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to restore to Ralph de Stevenach, commoner (*communario*) of the church of Salisbury, the lay fees in Wilton, Durynton, Putton, Farle, Offecote, Salisbury, Knyghteton, Fisssherton and Le Hurst, which pertain to the common (*communia*) of the church of Salisbury and are appointed for the uses of the poor and which are called the 'Lady's Chamber' (*Camera Domine*) and which according to their true value are not taxed except at 11l. 4s. 8d., as the sheriff has taken these fees into the king's hands by virtue of his order to take into the king's hands the lay fees of the clergy. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 695.]

To the keeper of the forest of Wauberge. Order to cause Peter de Chaumpvent and Agnes his wife, to have in that forest twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Gerard de Grandissono.

To the sheriff of Dorset. As the king's clerk, Master Raymond de Ferariis, is staying by his order in parts beyond sea, so that the king ought to provide for his indemnity, the king orders the sheriff to take nothing from the corn or other goods and chattels of Reymond for the king's use until Easter next, and to restore to Reymond's bailiff anything that he may have taken for the king's use or the use of others.

The like to the takers of corn in that county.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. As Richard de Bella Fago of Lincoln and Roger de Belvero of Grantham (*Graham*), lately chosen with other burgesses and merchants of the realm to go to Berwick in the king's service, in order to ordain that town, are incapable and insufficient for this purpose, as is testified to the king by A. bishop of Durham, the king orders the sheriff to distrain Simon de Wymbelthorp of Lincoln, in place of the said Richard, and William de Lathegarth of Grantham, in place of Roger, to come to Berwick in person at the octaves of Easter next, together with the other citizens and burgesses whom the king is sending thither at that time, to ordain and dispose of the said town of Berwick in accordance with the king's commission to them. [*Parl. Writs.*]

March 12.
Breamore.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. As the king is given to understand that the justiciary exacts from Theobald de Wychio, the brother of his yeoman Hugolin de Wychio, imprisoned at Dublin for a trespass

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committed upon Eliseus Lumbard in the king's hall at Dublin, a grievous ransom in excess of the measure of the trespass, the king orders him, if it be so, to receive from Theobald a reasonable fine, if a fine ought to be taken in this case, having regard to the measure of the trespass and to Theobald's means.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Whereas the king lately ordered him to distrain Simon de Wymbelthorp of Lincoln, in place of Richard de Bella Fago of Lincoln, and William de Lathegarth, in place of Roger de Belvero of Grantham (*Graham*), to come to the town of Berwick to ordain with other citizens and burgesses of the realm concerning that town, and the king now learns from the testimony of A. bishop of Durham that William is deaf and insufficient for the things that are required to make the ordinance aforesaid: the king orders the sheriff to distrain Elias Darre of Grantham, who is capable and sufficient for these things, as is testified before king by the bishop, to set out with Simon and the other citizens and burgesses for the said town, so that he shall be there at the octaves of Easter next. [*Parl. Writs.*]

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to restore to Ralph de Stevenhach, commoner (*communario*) of the church of Salisbury, certain lay fees in Estdune, which pertain to the commune (*communam*) of Salisbury church and which are appointed for the use of the poor, and which with the lay fees pertaining to the commune in Wylton, Durynton, Putton, Farle, Offecote, Salisbury, Fissherton, Knyghteton, and La Hurst, co. Wilts, are called 'the Lady's Chamber,' and which according to the true value are taxed at 1*l.* 4*s.* 8*d.* only, as the king understands that the sheriff has taken them into the king's hands by virtue of his order to take into the king's hands the lay fees of the clergy.

March 14.
Ringwood.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king, in consideration of the grant and surrender that William de Vescey made to him of the castle, manor and county of Kyldar and of William's grant to him of the manor of Sprouston, whereof Clemencia, late the wife of John de Vescey, William's son, held in dower two parts, and Isabel, late the wife of John de Vescey, William's brother, held a third in dower, pardoned William all the debts due to the king for fines and amercements and for his own debts and for the debts of John de Vescey, his brother, and of other his ancestors for any cause whatever, and also all the debts that may be due from him in his own person after his account was rendered to the exchequer for all the time when he was justiciary of Ireland and also for all the time when he was justiciary of the Forest beyond Trent: the king orders the treasurer and barons to cause him to be acquitted of the debts in question.
By K.

March 18.
Christchurch.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to deliver to Luke de la Gare his lands, goods and chattels, upon his finding knights and other sufficient mainpernors of the sheriff's bailiwick who shall mainpern to have before the king at his next parliament after Easter at Westminster the bodies of the said Luke and of John his son, Richard de la Gare, Philip de Newentone, John Arundel, William Crulling, and John Caffur, to answer to the king for the contempt, and to the escheator this side Trent and to his ministers within the sheriff's bailiwick for the trespasses committed against them by Luke and the others above mentioned in retaining the castle of Tunebrigge and in not rendering it to the escheator and his ministers in accordance with the king's order to Luke, for which cause Luke's lands, goods and chattels were taken into the king's hands.

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To John de Northwod. Order to restore to Luke his lands, goods and chattels, upon receiving notice from the sheriff that Luke has found mainprise as above.

March 22.
Bryanstone.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Robert de Plukevill, and to restore the issues thereof to Philip de Chauncy, because he is staying in Gascony in the king's service, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Robert at his death held nothing of the king in chief, but that he held certain lands in Thurleby of the said Philip as as of the barony of Swynehop by foreign service.

March 23.
Shaftesbury.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Whereas the king understands that the justiciary now causes common pleas, which in all times past have been wont and ought to be pleaded by original writs of the chancery of Ireland, to be dealt with (*deduci*) and determined before him by bills and blank (*vacuas*) petitions, whereby the fee of the king's seal in use in Ireland and the fines for giving writs and (*ad*) other profits that used to accrue to the king thence are withdrawn in divers ways, to the no small damage of the king and of the inhabitants of those parts: the king, being unwilling that such innovations should be practised, orders the justiciary not to presume to cause such common pleas to be dealt with or determined before him by petitions and bills hereafter by means whereof the king's loss of profit (*incommodum*) ought to be or might be imputed to the justiciary.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause to be restored to Nicholas Scot of Neuport, merchant, his goods arrested for the king's use by his order, or their price if they have been sold, and if the price be still in the hands of the sheriffs or others and have not been paid into the exchequer, as the king makes this order at the instance of Guy, count of Flanders and marquis of Namur, in the hope that the count will show like favour to the king's men in respect to their goods and chattels taken and arrested in his dominion, although the king is bound, according to the covenants entered into between him and the count, to cause goods of the count's subjects thus taken to be restored after the king's war with the king of France shall have come to an end. By K.

To Stephen de Penecestre, warden of the Cinque Ports, or to him who supplies his place. Order to permit the barons and men of Dover, with the exception of John de la Sale, to enter that town and there dwell, upon their finding him forinsec mainpernors who are not of the liberty of the town and who shall mainpern to have them before the king in his next parliament at Westminster to answer to the king and to Stephen and other the king's ministers of that town for what shall then be said against them.

March 21.
Gillingham

To Malcolm de Harl[egh], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Maud, late the wife of Robert de Stalling, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

To Henry de Urtiaco. As John de Mohun is staying in the king's service in Gascony by his order, for which reason the king is bound to provide for his indemnity, the king orders Henry to supersede for so long as John shall be in the said service the demand made upon him for a suit to Henry's court of Buleston, which he is not bound to make, as it is said, and to release any distraint levied in this behalf.

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March 20.
Wimborne
Minster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to release the demand made upon John de Bella Aqua for scutage for the service of one knight's fee for a quarter of the lands that belonged to Peter de Brus, tenant in chief, for the king's armies of Wales of the fifth and tenth years of the reign, as John, who married one of the sisters and heiresses of Peter, was with the king by his order in the said army in the fifth year for the service of one fee and he also had his services with the king by his order in the tenth year for a quarter of the lands that belonged to Peter, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his marshalsea.

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March 28.
Sherborne.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause to be delivered to Amicus son of Amicus, burgess of Mukelrede in Flanders, his goods and chattels arrested for the king's use by his order, or their price if they have been sold, and if the price still be in the hands of the sheriff or others and have not been paid into the exchequer, as the king makes this order at the instance of Guy, count of Flanders and marquis of Namur, in the hope that the count will show like favour to the king's men in respect to their goods and chattels taken and arrested in his dominion, although the king is only bound, according to the covenants entered into between him and the count, to cause goods of the count's subjects so taken to be restored after the king's war with the king of France shall have come to an end.

By K.

The like in favour of the following:

Copinus Hebbe, merchant of the aforesaid count of Neuport in Flanders.

April 9.
Buckfastleigh
(Boffast).

Gilbert Bette, the count's burgess of Ypres in Flanders, with this clause 'retaining in the king's hands a certain ship that he asserts to be his and that was lately arrested at Boston by reason of the war aforesaid.'

April 15.
Plympton.

The count's burgesses and merchants of Bruges in Flanders directed to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin, without the clause mentioned in the preceding order.

June 14.
Leeds.

Hugh Webel and Thomas Woghelin of Poperinghes in Flanders directed to the treasurer and barons.

June 20.
Westminster.

James Pylate, Peter de Mark, Bernard Pylate, Nicholas de Escaillon, Andrew li Aleyns, Simon de Prouvins, Gerard Calewais, John de Bykeriol, Everard ly Einfes, John ly Ogiers, Colard de Cambray, James de Eskerthin, Golard Pinte, Roald Calewars, James de Souchies, Alexander de Filers, Baldwin de Sancto Venancio, burgesses of Douay, in Flanders, directed to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer.

John Veutres Dargent, burgess of Dykemue in Flanders, directed to the same.

March 28.
Sherborne.

To A. bishop of Durham. Whereas the king lately granted to the bishop that the lands of all the bishop's tenants who held immediately of the bishop, which the king caused to be seised into his hands by reason of their rebellion, should be in the bishop's hands, in the same manner as the king granted to others of his subjects in the like case, in accordance

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with what was ordained by the bishop and others of the king's council, wherefore the king ordered by his writs the sheriff of Northumberland and his bailiff of Tyndale to cause to be delivered to the bishop the lands of all such his tenants in their bailiwick then in the king's hands, retaining in the king's hands the lands of those who are in the king's prison; and the said bailiff upon receipt of the writ offered himself as ready to John de Dykescoghe, the bishop's bailiff, bringing to him the said writ, to deliver to him seisin of the lands of such tenants for the use of the bishop so soon as he should be ascertained by inquisition to be made by him or by other lawful means concerning the said lands; and the said John, not permitting the bailiff to make any inquisition in this behalf within the bishop's liberty of Tyndale, entered and took into the bishop's hands certain lands that belonged to John Comyn of Badenagh, Richard Siward and others, in the king's prison by reason of rebellion, in addition to the lands of other such tenants of the bishop, without any delivery thereof to him by the king's said bailiff, together with the goods found therein and the rents and issues thence arising, whereof he levied a certain sum, which he delivered to Walter de Roubury, constable of Norham, for the bishop's use, contrary to the tenor of the writ aforesaid and of the ordinance and to the manifest contempt of the king. As the king will not leave such a trespass and contempt unpunished, more especially as other ministers of the realm may thence take a pernicious example, he orders the bishop to have the bodies of the said John and Walter before him in his next parliament at London after Easter to answer to him for the trespass and contempt and for other things that he will say against them in the premises.

By K.

Memorandum, that, on Saturday after the Annunciation, the chancellor returned to the court at Mertok, and there received the king's seal from William de Hamelton, who had it in his custody during the chancellor's absence.

March 28. To the sheriff of Somerset. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Sherborne. to be elected in place of Adam de Baggetrip, deceased.

April 1. To John de Lythege[eyns], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to
Ford. intermeddle with the lands that are of the inheritance of Sibyl, late the wife of Laurence de Sancto Mauro, tenant in chief, or with the lands that are of her dower of the lands that belonged to Roger de Lumeleye, her first husband, which the escheator has taken into the king's hands by reason of Laurence's death, retaining in the king's hands until otherwise ordered the other lands whereof Laurence was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death.

By K.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit William de Hockele and William son of William de Monte Rivelli of 100*s.* at which the former was amerced before Roger Lestrangle (*Extranco*) and his fellows, justices last in eyre for pleas of the Forest in co. Wilts, for his trespass in taking a hart in the king's forest of Chuyt without the king's licence, for which amercement William de Monte Ryvelli, lately deceased, became surety to the king, which sum is now exacted from his son, as the king has pardoned William de Hockele this amercement.

April 1. Henry de Inkepette, imprisoned at Canterbury for the death of William
Ford. de Inkepette, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Kent to bail him.

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April 5.
Exeter.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order to deliver in bail to twelve mainpernors John Tulke, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Mariota Uppehille, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Philip Maubaunk and William de Stanton, justices appointed to deliver Exeter gaol, that he slew her by mischance.

April 7.

Ilstington
(Ilstington).

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to restore to John le Bygod, clerk, the manor of Skeldingtho[r]p and all his other lay fees in that bailiwick and the goods and chattels in them, although the king lately ordered the sheriff to take them into his hands and to cause them to be sold by the view of him whom Hugh le Despenser should depute by his letters patent for this purpose, so that the sheriff might answer therefor to the exchequer.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to restore to the abbess and sisters of the order of St. Clare without London all their lay fees and the goods and chattels in them, which the sheriffs have taken into the king's hands by virtue of his order to take into his hands the lay fees of the clergy, [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 695.]

April 10.
Buckfastleigh.

To the bailiffs of Southampton. The king, pitying the poverty of the sixteen Normans arrested by the bailiffs in that town because they are Normans, orders the bailiffs to release them if they have been arrested solely for this reason.

By K.

April 11.

Plympton.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order to release the chaplains lately arrested by him for the publication of a sentence and for other trespasses against the king and his crown, upon their finding security to make amends to the king for the trespasses aforesaid, if there be any, when the king wish to speak against them, in accordance with what the king has enjoined upon the sheriff by word of mouth.

The like to the sheriff of Cornwall, omitting the last clause.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John de Bello Campo, king's yeoman, to have respite until the quinzaine of Michaelmas next for the 25 marks 10s. 7d. due from him to the exchequer for the debts of his ancestors.

April 15.

Plympton.

To Thomas de Snyterton and Thomas de Seggefod. Order to restore to brother James called 'Copyn' of the order of the Hospital, the envoy of the king of Denmark, all the money [arrested] by Nicholas de Holm and Robert de la Roche, keepers of the port of Holm and Hunstanston, co. Norfolk, in the hands of the said James in a cog (*coga*) of Denmark, which lately arrived in the said port of Holm on account of stress of weather (*per maris intemperiem*), which sum was delivered to Thomas and Thomas by the said keepers.

To Nicholas de Holm and Robert de la Roche, keepers of the ports of Holm and Hunstanston, co. Norfolk. Order to restore to the said James and to certain merchants of Flanders and Almain all the goods and wares lately arrested by them in the aforesaid cog in the hands of James, the envoy of the king of Denmark and of certain merchants of Flanders and Almain, and to restore to them also the cog.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Hugh de Mortuo Mari to have respite until the coming parliament at Lincoln for the 347l. 7s. 2d. due to the king at the exchequer from him for the debts of his ancestors, as the king has granted him this respite in order that there may then be done what he shall then cause to be considered by his council.

By K.

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To the bailiffs of Ravenesere. Order to restore to Dodinus, citizen and merchant of John, count of Holland, the king's son, of Staveren (*Stauria*), his ship called '*Cog Godyer*,' which lately came to Scarborough together with certain other ships and was afterwards taken to the port of Ravenesere by the king's licence, and to restore all its tackle. The king makes this order at the count's request. By K.

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April 17.
Plympton.

To the sheriff of Cornwall. Order to release Master Clement de Rupe, Master Ralph de Trededek, William, vicar of the church of St. Sennen (*Senara*), Master Marsilius, John, vicar of St. Paul, Reginald, vicar of St. Crewyn (*Crewenna*), David, chaplain of the church of St. Burian (*Beriana*), Ralph, chaplain of the church of St. Gwinear (*Winieri*), Richard, vicar of the church of Launantha, John le Petit, parson of the church of St. Mellion (*Melani*), Richard, vicar of Morwinstowe, Peter, chaplain of Kylkampton, Robert, vicar of the church of Stratton, Sampson, vicar of the church of Pokkewille, Philip, vicar of the church of Launceles, Robert, chaplain of Marwinchurche, Richard, chaplain of Wyke, William, chaplain of Jacobstowe, Thomas, chaplain of Wytteston, Richard, chaplain of Tamerton, Payn, chaplain of Boyton, Master Richard de Toliford, Simon, chaplain of Eglosros, Nicholas, vicar of the church of St. Austell (*Austolo*), John, vicar of the church of St. Cleer (*Claro*), Philip, vicar of the church of St. Winnow (*Wynnoco*), Gilbert, vicar of the church of Dynloo, Reginald, chaplain of Lanreython, William Glyse, chaplain of Antone, John, chaplain of Esse, John Olivere, chaplain of St. Dominick (*Dominica*), Vincent, chaplain of Suthylle, Richard, vicar of the church of St. David, and William, vicar of the church of St. Gennys (*Genasio*), who are imprisoned at Launceveton for the publication of a papal letter, as it is said, if William de Bodrigan, archdeacon of Cornwall, will mainpern before the sheriff to have them before the king at his will to make amends for the trespasses, if they have committed any, against the king in this behalf. The sheriff is ordered not to omit to do this by reason of any other writ previously directed to him to take mainprise from them for this matter. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 700.]

To the bailiffs of Ravenesere. Order to deliver to John de Ravenesere, John son of Adam, John le Dekne, and William son of Hugh de Baumburgh, burgesses of Waynflet, one of the ships that lately arrived in the port of that town and that are arrested in the king's name as forfeited to him, together with all its tackle, retaining in the king's hands the ships of men and merchants of Flanders, Holland, and Brabant and of others of the king's affinity and friendship, as the king has granted a ship to John and the others named above in recompence for a ship lately lost by them in the king's service and for their good service to the king.

April 19.
Plympton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to inspect the rolls that William de Valencia, the king's uncle, late captain of the king's army of West Wales of the tenth year of the reign, delivered in his life to the exchequer, and if they ascertain thereby that William Martyn did his service in William's company in that army for the knights' fees that he holds of the king, to cause him to be acquitted of the scutage that they exact from him for that army.

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April 20.
Plympton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king by his charter granted to William Burnell, provost of Wells, the houses in Oxford that belonged to Moses son of Jacob de Lond[onia], a Jew, in the parish of St. Aldate, and the house that was the Jews' synagogue (*scola Judeorum*) in that town, and the houses that belonged to Margalicia, late the wife of Vives de Gloucestria, a Jewess, in the same town, and the houses that belonged to Bonefei son of Lumbard de Crekelad, a Jew, in the parish of St. Martin in the same town, and the houses that belonged to Sarah, late the wife of Benedict Levesqe, a Jewess, in the parish of St. Aldate in the same town, and the houses that belonged to Floria la Vedue, a Jewess, in the same town, and the houses that belonged to Benedict de la Corner, a Jew, in the same parish, and the houses that belonged to Pya, late the wife of Benedict Caus, a Jewess, in the same parish, and the houses that belonged to Avegaya, daughter of Benedict de Wyntoniam, a Jewess, in the same parish, and the houses that belonged to Samuel de Bercestred, a Jew, in the same parish, which are in the king's hands as his escheats by reason of the exile of the said Jews and Jewesses from the realm, and which are extended at 10*l.* 8*s.* 7*d.*, to have and to hold to William and his heirs or to whomsoever he may give or assign them, in accordance with the custom of that town, rendering therefor 6*d.* a year by the hands of the bailiffs of that town and doing to the other lords the services therefor due, as contained in the king's charter: the king orders them to cause William to be acquitted of all debts and arrears exacted from him for the said houses or for any of them for all the time up to the date of the charter aforesaid, and to permit him to hold the houses in peace, releasing to him any distraint that they may have made for the debts and arrears aforesaid.

By K.

To the same. Order to release the demand made upon William Martyn, grandson (*nepoti*) and heir of Nicholas son of Martyn, tenant in chief, for the scutage of three knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as Nicholas was with the king by his order for the service of three fees, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears by the rolls of the marshalsea.

To the keeper of the king's park of Pederton. Order to cause Robert son of Payn to have in that park six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K.

To Robert de Tateshale and the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk. Whereas the king learns that certain ecclesiastical persons of those counties are indicted before them or one of them of publishing a certain papal letter and of certain contempts and trespasses, for which reason certain of them are imprisoned and certain of them have hitherto deferred rendering themselves to the king's prison from fear of imprisonment: the king, wishing to act graciously towards them in this behalf, provided that they have his protection, orders Robert and the sheriff to receive such security from those thus indicted as they can find conveniently to make amends to the king for the contempts and trespasses aforesaid, if there be any, when he shall speak with them concerning this matter, and then to cause them to be released from prison, and to permit the other persons thus indicted and not yet imprisoned, when they shall have come to Robert and the sheriff and found such security before them, to be in peace in the meantime. It is provided that such security shall be received from those clerks who have the king's protection and not from others.

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April 24.
Plympton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Richard son of Alan, earl of Arundel, to have respite until the king's next arrival in London for all the debts due from him to the exchequer.

The like '*de verbo ad verbum*' in favour of James de la Plaunche.

May 1.

Newton
Ferrers.

To Robert son of Roger and the sheriff of Essex. Whereas the king learns that Henry Touche, clerk, of that county, is indicted before them or one of them of certain trespasses and contempts, by reason whereof he is imprisoned at Colchester: the king, wishing to act graciously towards him, provided that he has the king's protection, orders Robert and the sheriff to accept from Henry such security as he can find conveniently to make amends to the king for the contempts and trespasses aforesaid, if there be any, when the king shall speak against him concerning them, and to cause him then to be delivered from prison.

May 4.
Plympton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Although Fulk son of Warin has not (*nobis*) kept the terms of the payment of the debts of his ancestors, according to the attornment thereof made in the exchequer, the king, wishing to show him special grace by reason of his service to the king in his war in Wales and elsewhere, has granted to him that he may recover the terms aforesaid, and that he shall henceforth pay to the exchequer at the usual terms as much as he was wont to pay during the attornment aforesaid until the debts aforesaid shall have been paid to the king in full, and the king accordingly orders them to cause Fulk to have again these terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

By K.

May 9.
Ermington.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king granted by his letters patent to Ralph de Gorges, then setting out in his service to Gascony, now deceased, that in case he should die before his return from those parts, his executors should have and hold all his lands and should receive the issues thereof from the time of his death until the end of three years, and should have free administration of the issues thereof and of all his other goods for the execution of his will and also for the execution of his mother's will, of which Ralph was then the executor; the king orders the escheator not to intermeddle in any way with the lands that belonged to Ralph in his bailiwick, and to permit the executors of Ralph's will to have free administration thereof, in accordance with the grant aforesaid.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order to restore to William son of Laurence de Niweton, clerk, his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged with the death of Ralph le Messer of Bradelegh before John de Wotton and Robert de Wodeton, justices to deliver Exeter gaol, as he has purged his innocence before Thomas, bishop of Exeter, to whom he was delivered in accordance with the privilege of the clergy, and the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriffs and the coroners of that county that William is of good fame and conversation and was never a public or notorious evildoer. By K.

To the fermor of the king's mills and bridge at Chester. Order to pay to Robert de Cruequeor 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* from the issues of the mills and bridge for the quinzaine of Easter last, in accordance with the king's grant to him, in recompence for his surrender and grant to the king of a moiety of the manor of Saham, of the custody of the castle of Beston, co. Chester, for life, and 100*s.* yearly for the custody thereof and also 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the mills and bridge, one moiety at the quinzaine of Easter and the other at the quinzaine of Michaelmas.

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To the keeper of the land of Glamorgan. As the king wills that the men of those parts shall be heard in their suits and justice shall be exhibited to them in those things that touch them, as was wont to be done in the time of Gilbert de Clare, late earl of Gloucester and Hertford, and of Joan, late his wife, the king's daughter, and in the times of Gilbert's ancestors and in the time when that land was in the hands of the king or of his predecessors, kings of England, in name of wardship or in any other way, and as ought to be done of right and according to the law and custom of those parts: the king orders the keeper to hear Simon de Raleye and Joan, his wife, and James de Bonevill and Amabilia, his wife, and all others of that land in their actions, and to cause justice to be exhibited to them therein according to the custom aforesaid, so that it shall not be necessary for them to come to the king for justice in the keeper's default.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Peter, late bishop of Exeter, paid to the king at London, on Friday after St. Luke, in the tenth year, by the hands of Baruncinus Walteri and his fellows, merchants of Lucca, 50 marks by which he made fine with the king for the service of one knight that he then acknowledged to the king for his army of Wales in the same year, as appears to the king by his letters patent made to the bishop: the king orders the treasurer and barons to cause Thomas, now bishop of Exeter, to be acquitted of the aforesaid 50 marks, which are exacted from him by summons of the exchequer.

The like to them to acquit Thomas of 50 marks, which Peter paid into the wardrobe at Rothelan, on Saturday the morrow of St. Peter ad Vincula, in the tenth year, to W. bishop of Ely, then keeper of the wardrobe, in part payment of 100 marks, by which he made fine with the king for the service of two knights' fees that he acknowledged to the king for his army of Wales in that year.

May 14. To the same. Order to release the demand made upon Robert de
Lyme. Chaundos for scutage for the service of two knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as Robert was with the king by his order in that army for the service of two knights' fees that he then recognised to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his marshalsea.

May 11. To the sheriff of Cornwall. Order to cause Walter de Hull, imprisoned
Chudleigh at Lanceveton, to be released from prison, as the king learns by inquisition
(Chiddeleye). taken by Gilbert de Knovill that Walter did not remove or conceal or cause to be removed or concealed the wool of Thomas de Kent within that county contrary to the form of the proclamation lately made by the sheriff in that county, as he was charged with doing.

May 13. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Geoffrey de Caunvill
Honiton. has asserted before the king that although he was with the king in the army of Wales, in the tenth year of the reign, in the company of William de Valencia, the king's uncle, now deceased, for his service due to the king in that army from the knights' fees that he holds of the king in chief, the treasurer and barons nevertheless cause him to be distrained to to render scutage to the king for the same army: the king orders them, if they ascertain, by inspection of the rolls of William delivered to them at the exchequer of the names of those who were in his company in that army, that Geoffrey did his service to the king in that company, to cause the distraint made upon Geoffrey for the scutage aforesaid to be released

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and to cause him to be acquitted of the scutage. If they do not find it to be so, they are ordered to certify the king of what they shall find after inquiring the truth in this matter, causing the distraint to be released in the meantime.

MEMBRANE 15.

May 15.
Loders.

To the sheriff of Devon. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that a messuage, $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land and an acre of meadow in Aulescumbe, which John de la Mede, who was hanged for felony, as it is said, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that John held a messuage, $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land and a moiety of an acre of meadow of William Fauk, and 3 acres of land and a moiety of an acre of meadow of the abbot of Dunkeswell, and that William de Alneto, tithingman of the town of Aulescumbe, now holds them, and that the township of Aulescumbe and William de Alneto have had the king's year and day thereof, for which they ought to answer to the king: the king orders the sheriff to cause William Fauk and the abbot to have seisin of their portions as above, if they are in the king's hands solely by reason of the felony aforesaid.

May 15.
Loders.

To Malcolm de Harleye, keeper of the lands of Joan, countess of Gloucester, the king's daughter. Order to cause the countess to have, out of the issues of the said lands, reasonable maintenance for herself and her children, as has been fully enjoined upon him by the king, until otherwise ordered.

To the keeper of the forest of Gillingham. Order to cause Alan Plugenet to have in that forest twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Richard de Croupes has asserted before the king that although he was with the king by his order in his armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of the reign, in the company of William de Valencia, the king's uncle, deceased, for his service due to the king in those armies for the knights' fees that he holds of the king, they nevertheless cause him to be distrained to render scutage for the same armies to the king: the king orders them, if they ascertain by inspection of the rolls of the said William delivered to them at the exchequer of the names of those who were in William's company in those armies, that Robert did his service to the king in those armies, to cause the distraint to be released to him, and to cause him to be acquitted of the scutage. If they do not find it is so, they shall enquire fully the truth in this matter, certifying the king of what they shall find.

May 17.
Warcham.

To Hervey de Staunton. The king learns from the complaint of certain of his barons and men of the Cinque Ports that whereas their wool was ready and prepared within the port of Sandwich, on Saturday the eve of the close of Easter last, to be taken to Flanders, in accordance with the king's proclamation in this behalf, Hervey took the wool into the king's hands on that day by virtue of the king's order to take wool into his hands, contrary to the form of the said order. The king, not wishing to injure the barons, orders Hervey, at the request of Edward, his son, and for the good service that the barons have rendered and do render to him, to cause the said wool to be restored to those of the

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Cinque Ports who own it, if it was taken into the king's hands on the said day as alleged, on condition that they shall cause it to be carried to parts beyond sea within the term contained in the said order, after payment of custom thereon to the king.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas William de Gouyz has asserted before the king that although he had his service with the king by his order in his army of Wales, in the tenth year of the reign, in the company of William de Valencia the king's uncle, due to the king in that army from the knights' fees that he holds of the king in chief, the treasurer and barons cause him to be distrained to render scutage to the king for that army: the king orders them, if they ascertain by inspection of the rolls of William de Valencia delivered to them at the exchequer of the names of those who were in his company in that army, that William had his service in that company, to cause the distraint to be released and to cause him to be acquitted of the scutage. If they do not find that it is so, they shall enquire fully the truth in this matter and shall certify the king in his next parliament at London of what they shall find.

May 20.
Lyndhurst.

John Bolly of Whytechirche, imprisoned at Aylesbury for the death of William le Clerk of Caldecote, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Buckingham to bail him.

To the bailiffs of Ravensere. Whereas the king lately, at the request of John, then count of Holland, ordered the bailiff to restore to Dodinus, the count's citizen and merchant of Staveren (*Stauria*) his ship called '*Cog Godyer*,' which had previously arrived with other ships at Scardeburgh and was afterwards taken by the king's licence to the port of Ravensere; and the king afterwards ordered the sheriff of York to deliver to William de Gronall of Grymmesby, Robert ad Crucem of Scardeburgh, and Elias de Donewyco a ship each from the ships forfeited to the king and then at Scardeburgh and Ravenser, in recompence for their ships lost in the king's service; among which three ships delivered to them by the bailiffs at the sheriff's order the ship of Dodinus was assigned to the said William, which ship is still in that port, as Dodinus informs the king. As that ship was arrested, as the king learns, at the time when the count adhered to the king and before the confederacy was made between the count and the king of France, for which reason the ship could not be said to be forfeited to the king, and as it was not and is not the king's intention to give to anyone any ship that had not been forfeited to him, he orders the bailiffs to restore to Dodinus the said ship and her tackle, in accordance with the king's previous order, if Dodinus can prove before them that the ship was thus arrested before the confederation aforesaid, and that it was not forfeited to the king for any trespass of his against the king or anyone of his realm, and to cause another ship to be delivered to William from the ships in that port forfeited to the king.

To the keeper of the forest of Dene. Order to permit John Gyffard to chase and take in that forest twelve harts and to permit him to have his coursing (*percursum*) to take them, as the king has granted to him this number of harts.

Roger Nichole of Hadenham, imprisoned at Aylesbury for the death of Roger le Hoppere of Hadenham, has letters to the sheriff of Buckingham to bail him.

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To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the abbot of Hyde, Winchester, paid into the king's wardrobe to Master Thomas Bek, then keeper of the same, on Saturday after Midsummer, in the fifth year of the reign, 80*l.* by which he made fine with the king for the service of three knights that he acknowledged to the king for his army of Wales in the aforesaid year, the fourth service of one knight's fee that the king exacted from him beyond the service of three knights being respited until further orders, as appears to the king by his letters patent to the abbot: the king orders the treasurer and barons to cause the abbot to be acquitted of the said 80*l.*, which they cause to be exacted from him.

May 21.
St. Denys

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Thomas son and heir of John de Verdun to have seisin of the lands that his father held at his death of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.

To the keeper of the forest of Bere. Order to cause the prior and brethren of the order of Preachers at Winchester to have in that forest six leafless oak-stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.

May 14.
Lyme.

To Philip de Wylghby, supplying the place of the treasurer, and to John de Drokenesford, keeper of the wardrobe. Order to cause those of the Flemings who were lately captured by the king's men of Wynchelse in a ship on the coast of Brittany, and who were afterwards sent to London for custody by the king's order, whom John de Gaure and Gerard de Verboys, knights, who came to the king as envoys from the count of Flanders and who are about to return home, shall testify before Philip and John to be of the friendship and fealty of the count, to be delivered by the testimony of John and Gerard, together with the goods and chattels taken with them, whether the ship or other goods, and to cause the goods of Spain taken in the ship with the said Flemings to be delivered or restored to those who thus acquired the goods at sea.

May 21.
St. Denys.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John de Erlegh to have respite during the king's pleasure for all debts due from him to the exchequer, as he has a knight of his staying in the king's service in Gascony, and the king has granted him such respite in order that he may prepare himself to go with the king in his service to parts beyond sea. By K.

To the keeper of the forest of Asshele. Order to cause the vicar and parishioners of St. Mary's church, Suthstanham, to have in that forest three good oak trees fit for timber, in order to repair and roof their church, of the king's gift.

May 20.
Lyndhurst.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that a toft, four acres and a rood of land in Yerdeburgh that Ralph le Fevre of Yerdeburgh, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Ralph held the toft of John son of Robert de Yerdeburgh and 3½ acres of land of Philip Fraunk and three roods of Alice, daughter of John le Carpenter, and that the township of Yerdeburgh now hold the toft and land and have had the king's year and day thereof, for which they ought to answer to the king: the king orders the sheriff to cause John, Philip and Alice to have seisin of the lands thus held of them.

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Portsmouth.

To the keeper of the forest of Mulchet. Order to cause the constable of the castle of Old Sarum to have in that forest five oak trees fit for timber, for the repair of the king's chapel of that castle.

By K. on the information of brother W. de Wynterburn.

May 25.
Bedhampton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Although the wool and hides of those of the bailiwick of John de Havering, justice of North Wales, are entirely forfeited to the king, in accordance with the form of the proclamation of wool and hides lately made, the king, wishing to show them special favour, has pardoned them the forfeiture aforesaid and the other penalties provided in this matter by the king's council that they have incurred in this behalf, on condition that the wool and hides shall be taken out of the realm before Midsummer next, after payment of the custom due to the king thereon; otherwise the wool and hides shall remain forfeited to the king after that term. The king therefore orders the treasurer and barons to cause all those of John's bailiwick who are detained in prison for this reason to be delivered without delay, and to cause their wool and hides and their other goods and chattels taken into the king's hands by John for this reason to be restored to them, of the king's special grace.

The like to the same in favour of Gervase ap Ryrice and Robert, his brother, Welshmen of the bailiwick of Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, for their wool in Englefeld and to release them from prison.

MEMBRANE 14.

May 23.
Portsmouth.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to cause William de Vesey to be acquitted of all debts exacted from him by summons of the exchequer, both for fines and amercements in which he fell and for other debts of his own and of John de Vesey, his brother, and of other his ancestors for any cause whatsoever, and also for all debts touching him in his own person after the account was rendered at the exchequer for all the time when he was justiciary of Ireland and also for all the time when he was justice of the Forest beyond Trent, as the king has pardoned him all such debts by his letters patent.

May 25.
Bedhampton.

To the keeper of the forest of Bere. Order to cause the Friars Minors of Winchester to have in that forest six leafless oak-stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.

May 24.
Portsmouth.

To John de Lytheg[reyness], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Thomasia, late the wife of John de Walkyngham, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

May 27.
Arundel.

To William de Leyburn, captain of the king's mariners. Whereas the king lately ordered Philip de Wylgheby, supplying the place of the treasurer, and John de Drokenesford, keeper of the wardrobe, to cause those of the Flemings who were lately captured by the king's men of Wynchelse in a ship on the coast of Brittany, and who were afterwards sent to London for custody by the king's order, whom John de Gaure and Gerard de Verboys, knights, who came to the king as envoys from the count of Flanders, should testify before Philip and John to be of the friendship and fealty of the count, to be delivered by the testimony of John and Gerard, together with the goods and chattels taken with them, whether the ship or other goods; and although Philip and John delivered the said Flemings by the

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testimony of the said knights and ordered the men of Wynchelse on the king's behalf to deliver the goods and chattels of the said Flemings, the men of Wynchelse answered, as the king learns, that they were unable to restore the goods and chattels to the Flemings because the goods and chattels are arrested by the said William: the king orders William to restore to the said Flemings their goods and chattels captured with the ship whatsoever they may be, whether the ship or other goods, such as he shall satisfy himself are the goods of the said Flemings. Otherwise, he is ordered to be before the king on his next arrival at Canterbury to answer to him concerning the premises and to do and receive what the king's court shall consider in this behalf. He shall cause the goods of those of Spain that were taken with the Flemings in the said ship to be restored to those who thus acquired them at sea, unless they have been previously so restored.

May 29.
Lewes.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the houses, rents, goods and chattels of John le Leuter, citizen of London, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the eighth granted to the king by the citizens, to be replevied to him until the king shall next come to London, so that there may then be done what he shall cause to be ordained by his council, as the king wishes to show him favour.

June 2.
Canterbury.

To Walter Hackelut, keeper of the land of Glamorgan. Order to respite until further orders the exaction from the community of Sengheneth of 100 marks, for which they submitted themselves to the grace of Joan, countess of Gloucester, the king's daughter, as it is said, and to release any distraint that he may have made in this behalf.

June 5.
Canterbury.

To the mayor and bailiffs of Ravenser. Order to cause John Knot of Ravenser, mariner, to have one ship with its tackle from the ships at Ravenser in the king's hands and forfeited to him, of the king's gift, in recompence for his service to the king.

June 6.
Canterbury.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As Adam de Welles is about to set out with the king in his service for parts beyond sea, the king orders them to take nothing and to permit nothing to be taken for the king's use from Adam's wool of the present season of washing (*lavacionis*) in the aforesaid (*sic*) county so that he may not make his profit thereof as shall seem fit to him, upon payment of the custom thereupon due to the king.

To the sheriff of Lincoln, and to the king's takers of corn in that county. Order not to take anything from the aforesaid Adam's corn in that county so that he may not make his profit thereof as shall seem fit to him, as he is about to set out for parts beyond sea as above, for which reason he needs his corn more than usual.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Whereas the king lately ordered Walter de Gousill, late sheriff of that county, to cause Edmund Comyn of Kilbride, John de Meneteth, knights, Michael Miggel, Walter de Bosevill, William Curry and Robert de Lecheham, esquires, prisoners lately taken in the castle of Dumbur in Scotland and in the conflict there and imprisoned in Nottingham castle, to have their wages, to wit each knight 4*d.* a day, each squire 3*d.* a day and 3*d.* a day for each of their keepers, until otherwise ordered: the king orders the sheriff to cause the prisoners and their keepers to have the wages aforesaid.

June 8.
Canterbury.

To the keeper of the forest of Pykering. Order to cause William de Vescy to have in that forest ten harts, of the king's gift.

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*Membrane 14—cont.*June 7.
Canterbury.

To Malcolm de Harlewe, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Thomas, son and heir of Thomas de la Doune, of co. Essex, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.

June 8.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to deliver to Walter de Teye, king's yeoman, and Isabel, his wife, 80 acres of land, 7½ acres of meadow, five acres of pasture, 26 acres of wood, and 30s. yearly of rent in Waterholm, in that county, together with the goods and chattels that belonged to Walter and Isabel on the day when they surrendered the premises to the king, and the issues received thence in the meantime, saving to the king any costs and expenses that he may have incurred in the said lands when they were in his hands, as the king granted the lands, etc. to Walter and Isabel by his charter, to have and to hold to them and the heirs of their two bodies of the king and the other chief lords of the fees by the services therefor due and accustomed, with the advowsons of churches, knights' fees and everything else pertaining thereto on the day when they surrendered them to the king.

The like to the following:

The sheriff of York, for the manors of Steyngreve, Nunnington, Westhalle, Kelkefeld, Waterholm, and North Cave, two acres of land, two acres of meadow and 20 acres of wood in Steynton, in the said county.

The sheriff of Northampton, for a messuage and an acre of meadow in Walmesford.

The sheriff of Lincoln, for 20l. yearly of rent and a moiety of a mill in Fryseby.

The sheriff of Buckingham, for 30s. of rent in Lincelade.

The sheriff of Bedford for the manor of Caysho, a ninth of the manors of Wutton and Bromham, and the advowson of a third of the church of Hoghton.

The sheriff of Huntingdon for a messuage and an acre of meadow in Walmesford.

June 8.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of Huntingdon. Order to cause William Byset, son and heir of Robert Byset, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.

To the same escheator (*sic*). Order to cause Richard Lovel, son and heir of Hugh Lovel, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.

June 14.
Leeds.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause to be delivered to Robert le Pulter of Salisbury his wool in order that he may make his profit thereof, if they ascertain that the wool was carried to the port of Southampton in accordance with the late proclamation concerning wool and hides, on condition that the wool shall be taken to parts beyond sea before the octaves of Midsummer next, upon payment of the custom thereon due to the king. Otherwise the wool shall remain forfeited to the king.

The like to the same in favour of John Bussh, Peter Bussh, William de Kancia, John de Dorking, Paul le Butiller, Walter le Folur, Jordan Box, William de Hakeneye, Geoffrey Davy, John Gumbard, and William Bussh, merchants of London, for their wool carried to the city of London,

Vacated, because otherwise on the dorse.

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*Membrane 14—cont.*June 14.
Leeds.

To William Scarlet, constable of Rochester castle. Order to cause Richard Vaporvent, imprisoned in that castle for a blow that he gave to Philip le Escriveyne of Renham, who did not die thereof, as it is said, upon his finding mainprise to stand to right in the king's court if anyone wish to speak against him.

June 14.
Chatham.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Robert de Rye, king's yeoman, to have in the wood of Whyttmundesleye six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of W. le Brun.

June 14.
Leeds.

To Richard de Brymmesgrave, clerk of the market. Order to cause to be replevied to the abbot of St. Albans until the quinzaine of St. John the Baptist next his market of St. Albans, the mills, toll and amends for breach of the assize of bread and ale in the same town, taken into the king's hand by Richard for certain trespasses committed by the abbot and his bailiffs presented before the king when he was last there.

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June 15.
Chatham.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to release William de Wyngham, imprisoned at Rochester upon suspicion of being a spy (*explorator*), upon his finding mainprise to stand to right in the king's court if the king or anyone else wish to speak against him.

By K. on the information of Malemeyns.

June 17.
Gravesend.

To the bailiff of Marlebergh. Order to cause the brethren of the infirm of St. Thomas, Marleberge, to have 50s. for Michaelmas term, in the twenty-fourth year of the reign, unless they have already received that sum, as Henry III granted by his letters patent to the brethren that they should receive this sum yearly from the issues of that manor at Michaelmas by the hands of the bailiff of the manor, for the maintenance of a chaplain celebrating divine service for the soul of Isabel, sometime Queen of England, his mother, and the brethren received this sum yearly as well when the manor was in the hands of the late king as when it was in the hands of Eleanor, sometime Queen of England, the king's mother, as dower, by the hands of the bailiff of the manor.

June 19.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Hertford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Richard de Bydeford, deceased.

June 20.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harlegh, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Robert de Thony, son and heir of Ralph de Thony, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father was seised at his death in his demesne as of fee, as the king has taken his homage and rendered to him these lands although he has not proved his age, according to custom; saving to William de Morleye the custody of the manor of Saham, which is of Robert's inheritance, and which William has of the king's commission until Robert shall come of age.

June 20.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Hugh de Curtenay, son and heir of Hugh de Curtenay, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father at his death was seised in his demesne as of fee, as the king has taken his homage and rendered to him these lands although he has not proved his age, according to custom; saving the right of others and saving to those (*sic*) men the custodies of the lands that they have of the king's grant.

Vacated, because otherwise below.

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*Membrane 13—cont.*June 20.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Richard Laurence, clerk, lately charged with the homicide of Geoffrey de Grisele, clerk, slain at Cambridge, before John de Eyvill, Ralph Basset and Robert Malet, then justices appointed to deliver Cambridge gaol, purged his innocence before Master Guy, official of W. bishop of Ely, to which bishop as elect he was delivered by the justices; and the king thereupon ordered Hugh de Babington, then sheriff of that county, lately deceased, to restore to Richard his lands, goods and chattels, which had been taken into the king's hands for this reason; and Hugh accordingly delivered to Richard his goods and chattels, which were valued at 26*l.* 9*s.* 1*d.*; and the king then ordered the treasurer and barons to discharge Hugh of this sum, wherewith he was charged at the exchequer, which they have hitherto deferred doing, at which the king is surprised: as the king does not wish that Richard should be defrauded of his goods, if he did not make flight or do anything else by reason whereof they ought to be forfeited to him, he orders the treasurer and barons to search the rolls of the said John, Ralph and Robert concerning the delivery, and if they find that Richard did not make flight, etc. to discharge him and the heirs and executors of Hugh's will of the aforesaid sum, in accordance with his previous order.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Martin le Corouner, as it is testified before the king that he is disqualified by deafness for the execution of that office.

June 20.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harleze, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Hugh de Curtenay, son and heir of Hugh de Curtenay, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage and rendered to him the said lands although he has not proved his age, according to custom; except the lands that are in the hands of the executors of the will of Stephen son of Walter, which the king granted to Walter until he should come of age.

June 22.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Stephen le Blak of Southampton, lately elected, who is incapacitated by infirmity, as the king learns.

June 24.
Westminster.

To H. elect of York. Order to assign a suitable pension to William de Melton, king's clerk, whom the king has nominated to receive the pension due from the elect's chamber by reason of his new creation to one of the king's clerk.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order not to aggrieve or molest in any way Simon son of Ralph de Ormesby by reason of the king's order to request all those of his bailiwick having 20*l.* or more yearly in land to provide themselves with horses and arms without delay, so that they shall be at London on Sunday after the octaves of Midsummer next ready to cross to parts beyond sea with the king, as Simon, whom the sheriff has thus requested, is so infirm that he cannot go with the king, for which reason he is sending Ralph, his son, with the king.

June 27.
Westminster.

Peter de Akle, imprisoned at Eye for the death of John Botte, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Suffolk to bail him.

June 19.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harl[egh], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Hugh de Curtenay, son and heir of Hugh de Curtenay, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the manors of Ebrightone, co. Dorset, Plymptone, Exministre, Twyvertone and Toppesham, co. Devon, which Isabel de

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Membrane 13—cont.

Fortibus, sometime countess of Albemarle, held at her death of the king in chief and which fall to Hugh by right of inheritance by her death, and which are in the king's hands by reason of his minority, as the king has taken his homage for the manors and has rendered them to him, although he has not yet proved his age; retaining in the king's hands until otherwise ordered the lands that are in his hands by reason of Isabel's death and that are in dispute (*calumpnia*) between Hugh and the heir of Warin de Insula, a minor in the king's wardship.

June 25.
Westminster.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to deliver to William de Vescy the castle, manor and county of Kyldar, with the knights' fees, advowsons of churches and all other appurtenances, together with the rolls, writs and seal of that county, which were taken into the king's hands by William's surrender thereof, as William granted and rendered them, to wit whatever he had or might have in Ireland, to the king and his heirs, as contained in William's charter, and the king granted them to William for life, to be held of the king by the same services as William held them by on the day of the said grant and surrender, with reversion after his death to the king.

To Malcolm de Harlegh, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause John, son and heir of John de Meriet, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.

To the same. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Ralph de Berners, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Ralph at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

To the same. Like order concerning the lands that belonged to Robert de Plessetis.

June 29.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Bedford and the coroners in that county. Order to deliver to Emma, late the wife of Walter de Blebury, 14 acres of land and a moiety of a messuage in Pertenhale and 8 acres of land and a moiety of a messuage in the same town, if they are in the king's hands solely by reason of Walter's felony, as the king learns by inquisition taken by Robert de Retford and Henry Spigurnell that William Oyldeboef enfeofed the said Emma by his charter of the said 14 acres of land and moiety of a messuage long before she married Walter, who was outlawed for felony, and that William afterwards granted to Walter the said 8 acres of land and the moiety of a messuage in free marriage with Emma, and that she was in full and peaceful seisin severally of the former from the time of the first feoffment and of the latter from the time of the last feoffment jointly with Walter until the day when he committed the said felony.

By an inquisition returned of the council.

July 2.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to cause John de Bello Monte, kinsman and heir of Nicholas son of Reyner, to have seisin of 100s. of yearly rent in Congeham, Geyton and Grymeston, which Thomas de Weylond, who abjured the realm for felony, held, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the rent has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Thomas held it of Nicholas, and that William Berry had the king's year and day, for which he ought to answer to the king.

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Membrane 13—cont.

July 3. To the king's keeper of Morganne (*sic*). As the king has granted to the
Westminster. men of Tyriarlz, of that bailiwick, respite during his pleasure for payment of the 100 marks that are still in arrear of the 100*l.* by which they made fine with Joan, countess of Gloucester, the king's daughter, in order to have the laws and ancient customs that their ancestors were wont to use; the king orders the keeper to cause them to have such respite, and to release to them any distraint made in this behalf.

MEMBRANE 12.

July 4. To Malcolm de Harlegh, escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to
Westminster. Blanche, queen of Navarre and Brie, countess palatine, late the wife of Edmund, the king's brother, what Edmund had in the earldom of Ferrers on the day of his death, which is in the king's hands by reason of his death, to be held by her in dower, as Edmund in the contract of marriage with her granted to her in dower by his letters patent, which the king has confirmed, a third of all his lands and all his right in the earldom. The escheator is ordered to cause all the other lands that Edmund held of the king in chief and whereof he was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death, which are in the king's hands by reason of the minority of his heir, to be extended, and to send the extent to the king, in order that he may cause dower to be assigned thereof to Blanche.

July 3. The like to John de Lythegreins, escheator beyond Trent.
Westminster. To the keeper of the lands that belonged to Edmund. Order to deliver all the goods and chattels that belonged to Edmund to the said Blanche, the principal executrix of Edmund's will, to whom power of administration has been granted by her co-executors by their letters patent, for the execution of the will.

July 5. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit the
Westminster. abbot of St. Edmunds of the demand for scutage of six knights' fees for the king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as the abbot made fine with the king by his order for the said service in both armies of six knights' fees, which he acknowledged to the king in both armies.

June 30. To the barons of the exchequer. Order to discharge the heirs and
Westminster. executors of Norman Darcy of the issues of the land that belonged to John de Haulowe in co. Kent, tenant in chief, from 15 February, in the twelfth year of the king's reign, when the king granted to Norman the custody of the lands, which is extended at 9*l.* 3*s.* 6*d.* a year, during the minority of John's heirs.

June 4. To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland and to the treasurer and barons
Westminster. of the exchequer of Dublin. Tottus de Monte Claro has shown the king that whereas he lately bought in Ireland ten great sacks of wool and paid the custom thereon due to the king at Michaelmas last, the justiciary has caused the wool to be arrested by reason of the common proclamation lately made for carrying the wool and hides of those parts to certain places within a certain term, and he has besought the king to cause delivery and restitution thereof to be made to him, in order that he may make his profit thereof: the king orders the justiciary to cause the wool to be restored to Totto or to him who shall present these letters to him in Totto's name, if the wool have been arrested solely by reason of the proclamation and if the custom due thereon have been paid.

Membrane 12--cont.

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July 6.
Westminster.

To J. de Lythegreyns, escheator beyond Trent. The king, wishing to show special favour to Robert son of Ralph son of William de Grimes-thorp, because his father has gone to Scotland with A. bishop of Durham in the king's service by the king's order, orders the escheator to deliver to Robert certain lands in Angirton, Herteburn, Dodington, Nesebyte, Heddene, Stiforth, Spiriden, Nectone, Riding, Merthingleye, Brumhalgh, Shelforth, Thornburgh, Stokeleye, Blakedesleye, Birkenside, Barkesleye, and Neubigging, co. Northumberland, to be held of the king by the due and accustomed services, saving the right of others, upon receiving from him a reasonable fine for the king's use for the trespass committed by him in entering the said lands without the king's licence, of which lands Katherine, late the wife of William son of Ralph, enfeoffed him. It is provided that Robert shall come to the king to do his homage for these lands before the king crosses to parts beyond sea.

July 4.
Westminster.

To J. de Lythegreyns, escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator and it is also found by the rolls of the exchequer, which he has caused to be searched, that John son of John de Redmere held at his death of the king by the service of 30s. yearly only for all service, so that the custody of the lands that belonged to him does not pertain to the king by reason of the heir's minority: the king orders the escheator to deliver all the lands that were taken into the king's hands by reason of John's death to him who is the nearest heir of John, in accordance with the law and custom of the realm.

July 6.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Philip, son of Master Simon de Beauveys, the king's late physician, to be acquitted of the eighth of his goods due from him by reason of the eighth granted to the king by the laity in the city of London, as the king has pardoned Philip this sum for the good and long service rendered to him by Simon in his lifetime and by Philip after Simon's death. By K.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Whereas it is shown to the king on behalf of Otto de Grandisono that the county [court] of Typerary in Ireland always used to be held from time out of mind in the town of Typerary until the archbishop of Cashel withdrew it from that town to his town of Cashel and caused it to be there held by the tolerance of S. late archbishop of Tuam and justiciary of Ireland: the king orders the justiciary, if he ascertain that it is so, to cause the county [court] to be held henceforth in the town of Typerary, as was previously the custom.

July 7.
Westminster.

To the keeper of the forest of Gyllingham. Order to cause the prior of Montacute to have in that forest twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift. By K. on the information of Gerard.

To the same. Order to cause the said prior to have in that forest two bucks, of the king's gift. By K. on the information of Gerard.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas William de Valencia, the king's uncle, deceased, hunted in the king's forests, chaces and parks upon divers occasions by the king's licence and took and carried away deer at his pleasure, for which reason the king, willing that William or his men or any one who was with him in taking the deer whom he would avow in this behalf should not be molested by the king or his justices or ministers in this behalf, caused letters patent to this effect to be made to William under the date of 14 July, in the eighteenth year of his reign; the king orders the treasurer and barons to inspect the said letters and not to molest or aggrieve the heirs or the executors of William's will by reason of the hunting, taking or carrying away of deer in the king's forests, chaces and parks before the date aforesaid.

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July 20.
Westminster.

To Hugh de Cressingham, treasurer of Scotland. Whereas the king by his letters patent granted to the canons of St. John's church, Beverley, 40*l.* yearly from the exchequer of Berwick-on-Tweed, one moiety at Martinmas and the other at Whitsuntide, until such time as the king should cause them to be provided with an ecclesiastical benefice in the realm of Scotland whence they might receive for ever 40*l.* yearly after payment of costs and expenses; for which sum they have not been satisfied, as the king learns, and they have besought him to allow them to receive the said sum at Michaelmas and Easter yearly instead of at Martinmas and Whitsuntide: the king orders the treasurer to cause them to have the 40*l.* that are in arrear for Martinmas and Whitsuntide aforesaid, and to cause them to have the like sum yearly hereafter at Michaelmas and Easter in equal proportions.

June 22.
Westminster.

To Walter Hakelut, the king's keeper of the land of Glaumorgan. Order to take into the king's hands all the lay fees of all the clergy in those parts, as well those of archbishops, bishops and men of religion as of other clerks, together with the goods and chattels therein, and to cause them to be kept safely until otherwise ordered.

The like to the following :

The bailiff of John de Hastings at Bergeveny.

The bailiff of John Tregoz at Ewyas.

The bailiff of Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex, at Brehennou.

The keeper of the land of Joan, countess of Gloucester and Hertford, at Kerdyf.

The bailiff of Roger le Bygot, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, at Strugoyl.

June 9.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit William Russel, kinsman and heir of Ralph Russel, tenant in chief, of the demand made upon him for scutage for the king's use for the service of one knight's fee in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as Ralph had his service with the king by his order in that army for the fee of one knight, which he there acknowledged to the king for a moiety of the barony of Newmarche, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his marshalsea.

July 10.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause John Tregoz to have in the forest of Dene ten bucks, of the king's gift, as the king, on 13 August, in the twenty-fourth year of his reign, ordered the keeper of that forest to cause John to have these bucks and he has not yet had them, as the king has ascertained.

July 12.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Lancaster. Whereas the king lately ordered him to go in person to all ports, towns and places where there is any resort (*rivagium*) of ships in his bailiwick, both within liberties and without, and to enjoin all and singular the bailiffs and men of those ports, towns and places to have all their ships carrying 40 tons and over before the king at Wynchelse on the morrow of Midsummer next at the latest, ready and well found (*munitas*) to go thence in the king's service whither the king should then order them; the king orders the sheriff to cause all the ships to come to the said place without delay, as aforesaid, and enjoins him not to omit to do this as he loves himself and his goods and as he would wish to avoid the king's wrath.

The like to the sheriffs of Lincoln, York, Northumberland and Cumberland.

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*Membrane 12—cont.*July 11.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle with a messuage and four marks of rents yearly in the city of Exeter, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Peter, late bishop of Exeter, acquired them to himself and his heirs and assigns and not to himself and his successors, bishops of Exeter, of which messuage and rent he enfeoffed William de Bysenham and Master Roger le Rous by his charter, to have to them and their heirs, which messuage and rent the escheator took into the king's hands immediately after the death of the bishop, asserting that the bishop had acquired them to himself and his successors, bishops of Exeter, and that he had thus appropriated them in mortmain contrary to the form of the statute without the king's licence.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Richard de Croupes to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the knights' fees that he holds of the king for the service due to the king in his armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it appears to the king that Richard did his service in the said armies with Alan Plugenet in the company of William de Valencia, the king's late uncle.

July 11.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to cause to be restored to R. archbishop of Canterbury all his lay fees, with the oxen, ploughs and other his goods and chattels therein, which the sheriff took into the king's hands by virtue of his order to take into the king's hands the lay fees of the clergy. The king, wishing to show favour to the archbishop, makes this order at the request of the prelates of the province of Canterbury. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 721.]

The like to the sheriff of Surrey and Sussex, Middlesex and Essex. [*Ibid.*]

July 13.
Westminster

To the mayor and bailiffs of Ravenesere. Order to deliver to Thomas de Westone, the king's bailiff of Holderness, a ship with all the tackle from the ships forfeited to the king that are now in that port, as the king has granted to him a ship for his good service to the king.

By K. on the information of J. de Boteturte.

July 13.
Westminster.

To the justices of the Bench. Order to respite until the octaves of Michaelmas next all pleas that concern Roger de Scoter before them, except pleas of dower *unde nihil habet* and of *Quare impedit* and assises of novel disseisin and last presentation, as the king wishes to show favour to Roger, who is staying in his service in Scotland.

MEMBRANE 11.

July 14.
Westminster.

To Theobald de Verdun. The king is not pleased with his letter of excuse for not coming to him with horses and arms, in accordance with the king's letters lately sent to him, in which he excused himself on the grounds of his infirmity of body and other causes of trouble and as also of the death of John, his eldest son, whom he had proposed to send in his place, as stated in his letter. As, however, the king holds that his second son Theobald, according to the king's recollection of him when he last saw him and as he learns by trustworthy testimony, is able and strong enough to supply his brother's place, he requests and orders Theobald to send him to the king in John's place to go with the king in

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his service at his wages, laying aside all excuse. This he is warned not to omit as he loves his honour and profit and as the king trusts in him. [*Parl. Writs.*]

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause the aforesaid Theobald son of Theobald to have passage by sea and the king's wages in coming to the king. [*Ibid.*]

July 15.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Robert de Thony, son and heir of Ralph de Thony, to have seisin of all the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage. By proof [of age] taken before the king.

July 14.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause William Russel, kinsman and heir of Ralph Russel, to be acquitted of the scutage for the knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery that Ralph Russel, the kinsman and heir of Ralph Russel, tenant in chief, was a minor in the king's wardship at that time. It is provided that scutage for the knights' fees that were held of Ralph at his death shall be levied for the king's use.

July 15.
Westminster.

To Walter Haclute, keeper of the king's land of Glaumorgan. Order to cause the gate of the castle of Thlanatrissent, which is already commenced, to be finished and roofed, as the king has enjoined upon him by word of mouth.

July 8.
Westminster.

To Humphrey de Donesterr, constable of Caresbrok castle. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the constable that Thomas son of Thomas de Dacombe enfeofed Isabel, late countess of Albemarle, of a messuage, 12 acres of land, an acre and a rood of wood and an acre and a rood of meadow in Caresbrok, for two quarters of wheat and two quarters of barley to be received from her and her heirs yearly during his life, and that the countess satisfied Thomas therefor for five years before she enfeofed the king of the said lands, and that Thomas has received nothing of the rent since they came to the king's hands: the king orders the constable to cause Thomas to be satisfied for this rent from the time when the land thus came to the king's hands up to the date of the presents, and to cause him to have the rent henceforth, if the constable ascertain that Thomas received the rent peacefully from the time when he enfeofed the countess of the lands until the day when the lands came to the king's hands.

July 13.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to discharge Thomas, abbot of Teukesbyry, Robert le Veel, Simon de Heyham, Adam de Blechingle, and William de Hameldon, executors of the will of Gilbert de Clare, late earl of Gloucester and Hertford, of the debts due to the king from the earl at his death and of their mainprise in the exchequer to satisfy the king therefor, as the goods and chattels that belonged to the earl are in the king's hands, and the king expects to (*cepimus nos ad*) levy the debts from them.

To the sheriff of Stafford. Order to cause Agnes de Sumery to have seisin of a messuage and ten acres of land in Roueleye, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff of Stafford that the said messuage and land, which Geoffrey de Thurhill, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Geoffrey held them of Agnes, and that the township of Roueley now holds them, and that it has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

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Membrane 11—cont.

- July 16. To Adam Gurdoun, keeper of the forest of Wolvemere. Order to cause
Westminster. Aymer de Valencia to have in that forest ten does and two harts, of the
king's gift. By K.
- July 15. To Hugh de Leomenistre, chamberlain of Carnarvan. Whereas the
Westminster. king granted by letters patent to Margaret, late the wife of Madoc, some-
time lord of Bromfeld, 5 marks yearly from the exchequer of Carnarvan
by the hands of the king's chamberlain for the time being there, and 2½
marks thereof are in arrears to her for Easter term last, as she says: the
king orders the chamberlain, if it is so, to cause her to have the 2½ marks
without delay, and to pay to her this sum at Michaelmas and Easter
yearly for so long as he shall hold the office of chamberlain. By K.
- July 17. To the constable of Nottingham castle. Order to receive Peter le Blund,
Westminster. an alien, from Robert de Basinges, who will bring or send him to the
constable, for custody when Robert shall bring or send him, and to cause
Peter to be kept at Robert's cost in that castle until otherwise ordered.
- July 17. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As John de Erleye
Westminster. found the king at his own cost a knight in the king's service in Gascony
from the time when Edmund, the king's brother, crossed the sea to those
parts, the king has granted to him respite until further orders for all debts
due to the exchequer, and orders the treasurer and barons to cause him to
have such respite.
- July 16. To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Westminster. to be elected in place of Richard de Kynardesle, deceased.
- July 17. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As it appears to the
Westminster. king that Robert de la Mare, son and heir of Peter de la Mare, tenant in
chief, was under age and in the king's wardship, the king orders them to
supersede the demand made upon Robert for his relief for the lands falling
to him by inheritance, which were in the king's hands by reason of his
minority.
- July 13. To John son of Reginald, or to him who supplies his place in the land
Westminster. of Talgarth. The king, specially confiding in his fidelity, requests him
to cause fifty Welshmen to be chosen from the better and stronger men
of that land to set out in the king's service with the king to parts beyond
sea, so that they shall be at Hereford at the feast of St. Peter ad Vincula
to receive their wages there and to set out for the port of Wynchelse,
where they shall be in the octaves of that feast at the latest, ready to cross
the sea with the king, in such manner as John de Acton, sheriff of
Hereford, and Philip ap Howel shall cause the Welshmen thus elected to
know. [*Parl. Writs.*]
- The like to the following :
- Richard, earl of Arundel, for 100 Welshmen from the lands of
Oswestry (*de Albo Monasterio*) and Clone.
- Robert de Thony, for 100 Welshmen from the lands of Elvel,
Ughmenith and Estmenyth (*sic*).
- Edmund de Mortuo Mari, for 200 Welshmen from his land in the
Welsh marches.
- John Giffard, for 100 Welshmen from the lands of Buelt and
Cantresclyf (*sic*).
- William de Pederton, supplying the place of the justice of West
Wales, for 2,000 Welshmen from his bailiwick and the adjoining
lands.
- Roger Pichard, for 50 Welshmen from the land of Stradewy.
- Gilbert de Bohun, for 50 Welshmen from the land of Kirkehowel.
- John de Hastings, for 100 Welshmen from the land of Bergeveny.

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*Membrane 11—cont.*July 19.
Westminster.

To the constable of Nottingham castle. As the king, at the instance of A. bishop of Durham, has granted that William Barry, imprisoned in that castle for trespass of the Forest, may cross to parts beyond sea with the bishop in his service; the king orders the constable to cause William to be released, if he be imprisoned solely for this reason, in order to cross with the bishop, on condition that he shall stand to right in the king's court upon his return concerning this trespass if the king wish to speak against him concerning it.

To the sheriff of York. Order to restore to Ralph de Lasceles his lands, which the sheriff took into the king's hands by virtue of the order to take into the king's hands all the lands of men having lands in his bailiwick who dwelt in Scotland and not in England, because Ralph was then staying in Scotland, since Ralph has always been faithful to the king and has never adhered to his enemies.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Adam de Creting, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Adam at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king. He is ordered to retain in the king's hands the lands that Adam held of Joan, countess of Gloucester and Hertford, until otherwise ordered.

The like to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the prior of St. Mary's, Huntingdon, to have in the forest of Wauberg six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

MEMBRANE 10.

To the abbess of Fontévrault. Whereas the king upon the voidance of the priory of Aumesbyry ordered the abbess to send to him in England from her house of Fontévrault a suitable nun for the rule of the priory, and she has sent to him lady Joan de Genes for this purpose, praying the king by her letters to admit Joan as prioress in that place and to commit to her the temporalities of the house. The king, acceding to her request, has admitted Joan as prioress, and has rendered to her the temporalities of the house, as has been usual in the case of other prioresses of that house, and has confirmed by his letters patent the abbess's ordinance by her letters patent of Joan. The king, not unreasonably, wonders that the abbess has at the suggestion of any one otherwise ordained of the temporalities, because the said prioress after her arrival there has acted and acts energetically in the disposition of the temporalities and spiritualities according to the requirements of the order, so far as the king could see when he was present in the said house, and this pleased him beyond measure. He therefore requests the abbess to extend her goodwill to the prioress, and that she will not attempt to ordain anything concerning the temporalities of the house, committed, as she requested, to the prioress, over the head of the prioress (*superordinare attemptetis*) without his special assent.

July 18.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Kent. As Alexander de Ralliolo is setting out in the king's service for Flanders in the company of A. bishop of Durham, the king, wishing to show him favour on this account, orders the sheriff to

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deliver to Alexander all his lands in the sheriff's bailiwick, which were taken into the king's hands by the sheriff by reason of Alexander's trespasses against the king, to be held by Alexander during the king's pleasure, together with the corn in the lands, saving to the king his costs in sowing the same and the issues received by him in the meantime.

By K. on the information of the bishop of Durham.

The like to the sheriff of Hertford.

By K. as above.

July 20.
Westminster.

To Ralph de Sandwyco, keeper of the Tower of London. Order to deliver John son of John Comyn of Badenagh upon sight of these letters to A. bishop of Durham, as the bishop has mainperned before the king that John will set out with him for parts beyond sea in the king's service, and that he will answer to the king for John's body when required to do so by the king.

July 19.
Westminster.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to release on mainprise John de Agmodesham, imprisoned at Newgate for the death of John de Hereford wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Ralph de Sandwyco and John le Breton that he slew him in self defence.

July 21.
Westminster.

To the constable of Ledes Castle. As the king has lent his houses in that castle to Isabel, late the wife of John de Vesey, to dwell therein with her household during the king's pleasure, he orders the constable to deliver the houses to her, and to permit her to take by her servants in the king's park and in his outer woods there sufficient brushwood for her fuel by the constable's view.

By K. on the information of W. de Bello Campo, steward of his household.

July 23.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has pardoned the abbot and convent of Westminster the 500*l.* at which the abbot was amerced before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. Middlesex, for five escapes, to wit 100*l.* for the escape of John de Ebor[aco], 100*l.* for the escape of John Ballard, 100*l.* for the escape of Roger de Parva Frome, 100*l.* for the escape of Robert le Clerk, and 100*l.* for the escape of Eustace de Royston, convicted clerks, who escaped from the abbot's custody, and order to cause the abbot to be acquitted of the said 500*l.* By K. on the information of J. de Benestede. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 765.]

July 22.
Westminster.

To Geoffrey de Pycheford, constable of Windsor castle. Whereas the late king granted by his charter, which the king has confirmed, to God and St. Peter and the abbot of Westminster eight bucks yearly, to be taken at the king's cost in the forest of Windsor by the hands of the constable for the time being, and to be carried by the constable to Westminster on the eve of St. Peter ad Vincula, so that those who carry the venison thither shall make yearly two *(meneyas)* before the great altar of St. Peter there; and ten bucks are now in arrear, to wit two for the twenty-third year of the reign and eight for the twenty-fourth, as the abbot says: the king orders the constable to cause the abbot to have what are in arrears of the bucks for the said years.

July 21.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harlee, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Thomas de Bekering, son and heir of Thomas de Bekering, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.

The like to John de Lithegreins, escheator beyond Trent.

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July 22.
Westminster To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. As Thomas de Radeswell, sent to the king on behalf of Dionysia de Monte Caniso by her letters patent, and Ralph de Cogeshale have acknowledged before the king that Dionysia, daughter and heiress of William son of Warin de Monte Caniso, tenant in chief, whose wardship during her minority was granted by the king to Dionysia and Ralph, is of full age, and they have rendered her lands to the king: the king, for the good service that Hugh de Ver, who married the said heiress, has rendered to him in Gascony, has rendered the lands to Hugh and Dionysia, his wife, saving the right of others, and therefore orders the escheator to deliver them to Hugh and Dionysia, on condition that Hugh on his return from Gascony shall do to the king what is due in this behalf.
- July 20.
Westminster. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Edmund, earl of Cornwall, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for his service due to the king for all the knights' fees held by him of the king in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as he did his service in that army. ^{*By transcript.}
- July 22.
Westminster. To the same. Notification that the king has pardoned Aymer de Valencia, son and heir of William de Valencia, his uncle, the fifteenth due to the king from William's goods by reason of the fifteenth granted to the king by the laity, payment whereof the king had respited up to this time, and order to cause Aymer to be acquitted thereof.
- To the same. Notification that the king has pardoned Aymer the 20^l. exacted from him for the default that the said William made before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. Hereford, in not coming at the common summons of that eyre, and order to cause Aymer to be acquitted of this sum.
- To the same. Order to cause Aymer to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the service due to the king by the said William in the armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of the reign for the knights' fees that he held of the king, as it appears to the king that William did his service to him in the said armies. By K.
- July 24.
Westminster. To the same. Order not to exact from Edmund, earl of Cornwall, anything beyond the service of three knights' fees for the honour of Wallingford, with the castle and all appurtenances, and with the manor of Watlyngton, permitting him to hold the same by the service aforesaid, and not molesting him in any way contrary to the charter of the late king, dated 10 August, in the fifteenth year of his reign, which the king has confirmed, as the late king granted by that charter to Richard, count of Poitou and earl of Cornwall, the present king's uncle, father of Edmund, the said honour, etc. to be held by the service of three knights' fees only.
- July 24.
Westminster. To Malcolm de Harlee, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Thomas de Otteleye, and to restore the issues received from them to those to whom they belong, as the king granted to the executors of the will of Edmund, his brother, the custody of the lands that belonged to Edmund at his death, with the knights' fees and all other things that might fall to that custody, to have until Edmund's heir shall come of age, for the discharge of the debts in which he was bound to divers creditors at his death, and it is found by an inquisition taken by the king's order that Thomas de Otteleye at his death held nothing of the king in chief, but that he held of the honour of Lancaster.

* The words '*per transcriptum*' are written in a minute hand.

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Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Edmund, earl of Cornwall, to be acquitted of the scutage of all the knights' fees that he holds of the king for the army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as Edmund at that time supplied the king's place in England when the king was with the said army. ^cBy transcript.

To Hugh de Cressingham, treasurer of Scotland. Order to cause 179*l.* 4*s.* 3½*d.* to be allowed to Hugh de Louthre, late sheriff of Edinburgh, as he paid this sum into the wardrobe by the king's order to John de Drokenesford, keeper thereof, at Berwick on Tweed in September, in the twenty-fourth year of the reign.

July 25.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Edmund Deyncourt to be acquitted of scutage for the knights' fees that he holds of the king for the king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it appears to the king that he did his service in the said armies. By p.s.

MEMBRANE 9.

July 22.
Westminster

To the same. Whereas the late king by his letters patent, dated 23 May, in the forty-first year of his reign, acquitted William de Valencia, the king's uncle, lately deceased, of all debts and demands up to that date, as is contained in the letters patent, which the king has inspected; the king orders them to cause Aymer de Valencia, son and heir of William, to be acquitted of all the debts and demands exacted from him for the time aforesaid.

July 20.
Westminster

To the same. Notification that the king has granted to the prior of Holy Trinity, London, that he may pay the 396*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* due from him to the exchequer for divers reasons by 100 marks at Michaelmas next and 100 marks at Michaelmas on following years until it shall be paid off in full, and order to cause him to have these terms.

By K. on the information of J. de Benestede.

July 23.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to cause John de Bitterleye, king's yeoman, keeper of the manor of Havering', to be acquitted of the five marks at which he was amerced before them at the exchequer because he did not come before them on the morrow of the close of Easter, in the twenty-fourth year, to make his proffer before them on that day, as the king has pardoned him.

To the same. Order to acquit the said John of the agistment pertaining to the king in the park of Havering' from 29 April, in the twentieth year of the reign, when the king, by letters patent under the seal of the exchequer, committed to John the manor of Havering', with the park and forest and all other things, to be kept during the king's pleasure, rendering therefor to the exchequer 132*l.* yearly, as the king, wishing to show him favour, has acquitted him of the agistment.

July 25.
Westminster

To the same. Order to cause Thomas son of Roger de Lovetot to be acquitted of 10*l.* by which he made fine with the king for the service of one knight's fee that he acknowledged to the king in his army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as he paid this sum to Reyner de Luk, merchant, at Michaelmas in the said year, as appears to the king by the letters patent that he caused to be made to Thomas in this behalf.

* The words 'per transcriptum' are written in a minute hand

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July 24.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harlewe, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that Warin de Insula at his death held of other lords than the king, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Warin held nothing of the king in chief except by reason of the inheritance that belonged to Isabel de Fortibus, late countess of Albemarle, of which inheritance a certain part is in the king's hands by her feoffment, so that the custody of the lands that Warin held of other lords ought not to pertain to the king.

July 22.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Warwick. Order to deliver in bail Ralph le Coupere of Wappinbur[y], imprisoned at Warwick for the death of Robert le Weper, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of John de Haveringge, his justice lately appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

To Malcolm de Harlewe, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that Peter de Campania held at his death of other lords than the king, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Peter did not hold of the king in chief anything except the manor of Barewe as of the honour of Albemarle, which honour is in the king's hands, so that the custody of the lands that he held of other lords ought not to pertain to the king. By pet. of C.

July 24.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Alice, late the wife of Jordan le Bacher, tenant by knight service of Joan, countess of Gloucester and Hertford, whose lands are in the king's hands, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without the king's licence.

To Aubrey de Fiscampo. Order to deliver to Thomas de Meridene, son and heir of Margaret de Meridene, daughter of Walter de Meridene, tenant by knight service of Ranulph de Monte Caniso, Ernald de Montiniaco, and John Pycot, the lands that belonged to the said Walter, the custody whereof Ranulph, Ernald and John granted to Adam de Stretton, deceased, until the heir came of age, which custody came to the king's hands by Adam's forfeiture, which lands the king committed to Aubrey until the heir should come of age, as Thomas has proved his age.

July 16.
Westminster.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and Thomas Cantok, the chancellor. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by Robert de Ufford, late justiciary of Ireland, that Geoffrey de Geynvill and Maud, his wife, hold certain lands in Meath (*Midia*) of her inheritance that are outside the bounds of any of the king's counties, and that the king's writs were wont before the liberty of Meath was taken into his hands to be directed to Hugh de Lascy and Walter de Lascy, Maud's ancestors, and to their bailiffs there, and that this was altered (*muttatum*) from the time of the taking of the liberty by the king's justiciary, chancellor and other ministers at their will and not for any other cause, and that it is not to the king's damage that his writs should be directed immediately to Geoffrey and Maud and their bailiffs of the liberty, as was wont to be done in times past; for which reason the king granted to them that his writs shall be directed immediately to them or to their bailiffs of that liberty, in accordance with the tenor of the inquisition, and as they were wont to be directed to Maud's ancestors before the liberty was taken into the late king's hands, and ordered Stephen, bishop of Waterford, his justiciary, and his chancellor of Ireland to direct his writs to Geoffrey and Maud and her heirs, and to their bailiffs, in

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form aforesaid; and the king now learns from the complaint of Geoffrey and Maud that the justiciary and chancellor in some cases cause the writs to be directed to them immediately and in other cases mediately by the return of the sheriff of Dublin, to the injury of their liberty aforesaid and contrary to the tenor of the said inquisition and contrary to the form of the king's grant and order: the king, being unwilling that they shall be injured by the justiciary or his ministers contrary to the said grant, orders them to direct his writs to Geoffrey and Maud and to her heirs and to their bailiffs in form aforesaid, and in accordance to the king's order to the aforesaid Stephen, which is in their hands. If they have in any case directed his writs to Geoffrey and Maud mediately by the return of the sheriff of Dublin, they are to certify the king in what case and for what reason they have done so, returning to him this writ, so that he may cause to be done in this matter what ought to be done of right and by his council.

July 24.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Henry de la Pomeray, son and heir of Henry de la Pomeray, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the service of one knight's fee in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as his father was with the king in his service in that army by his order for the service of one knight, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of his rolls of the marshalsea of that army.

July 30.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the late king, on 21 January, in the forty-ninth year of his reign, granted by his letters patent, which the king has inspected, to Adam son of Bernard, Thomas son of Ivo, Richard son of David and Thomas son of Alvered the manors of Boudon and Haverbergh, to be kept from Michaelmas in the forty-eighth year of his reign for five years following, rendering therefor 50 marks yearly to the exchequer; and the said king afterwards, on 6 January, in the fifty-second year of his reign, committed to Eleanor, sometime Queen of England, the king's consort, the said manors, to be held for ten years from Michaelmas in that year, so that she should have all issues and profits of the manors for her maintenance for the term aforesaid, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his chancery: the king orders the treasurer and barons to cause Adam, Thomas, Richard and Thomas to be acquitted of the said 50 marks for the manors from the aforesaid 6 January for the time during which Eleanor held the manors.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Order upon sight hereof of the goods and chattels of Master Simon de Candamo, arch—— [Incomplete].

Vacated.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to restore to John de Berkewey, clerk, his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged before John le Breton and Ralph de Sandwyco, justices appointed to deliver Newgate goal, with theft and robbery, as he has purged his innocence before R. bishop of London, the diocesan of the place, to whom he was delivered in accordance with the privilege of the clergy, and as the king learns by an inquisition that he has caused to be taken by the sheriffs and by the coroners of London that John is of good fame and was never a public or notorious evildoer.

July 31.
St. Paul's,
London.

To Walter de Bello Campo, constable of Gloucester castle. Order to cause thirty oak-stumps (*robora*) to be felled in the king's wood of La Berton near Gloucester, which is in Walter's custody, where it can be done with the least destruction of the wood, and to cause brushwood (*buscam*) to be made from them and carried to that castle for its munition.

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To the sheriff of Kent. Whereas the king lately ordered him to deliver to Alexander de Balliolo, who is setting out in the king's service to Flanders in the company of A. bishop of Durham, all his lands, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of his trespasses against the king, to be held by him during the king's pleasure, with the corn now in the land, saving to the king his costs in sowing the corn and the issues received in the meantime: the king, wishing to show him further favour, now orders the sheriff to deliver to him the plough cattle (*affros carucarum*) there together with the ploughs, saving to the king the costs and issues aforesaid.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to deliver to Richard Siward all his lands, which are in the king's hands by his forfeiture, together with the fruits of the present harvest (*autumpni*), as the king has granted them to him of his special favour.

By K. on the information of A. bishop of Durham.

To Ralph de Sandwyco, constable of the Tower of London. Order to release John, earl of Athole (*Atheles*), from prison therein, as he has found mainprise before Walter de Bello Campo, steward of the king's household, to set out forthwith with the king to Flanders and to serve him well and faithfully against the king of France and other his rebels and enemies hereafter, as is contained in the mainprise, which is enrolled before the steward.

July 31.
St. Paul's

To Nicholas de Cheyny, keeper of the islands of Gernes[ey] and Geres[ey]. Whereas the king is sending Master Robert de Leyssset his clerk, to those islands to audit the account of Henry de Cobeham, late keeper of the said islands, for all the time of his office, and to hear and determine the complaints made and to be made against Henry and his bailiffs by the men of those islands and by others, and has assigned to him 5s. daily for his expenses: the king orders Nicholas to pay this sum daily to Robert in going thither, staying there, and returning thence, together with the freight of a ship in going and coming, receiving from him his letters patent testifying the sum paid to him.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Preachers at Oxford and the other friars of that order who are about to assemble there at their next general chapter to have in the forest of Bernewode sixteen leafless oak-stumps (*robora folia non portancia*) for fuel, of the king's gift.

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July 31.
St. Paul's.

To Nicholas de Cheyny, keeper of the islands of Gerneseye and Gernereye. Whereas the king has appointed Master Robert de Lesset, his clerk, to hear and determine the complaints made and to be made by the men and inhabitants of the islands and others against Henry de Cobeham, late keeper of the islands, and against his bailiffs, and also to audit Henry's account for all the time when he was keeper of the islands: the king orders Nicholas to cause to come before Robert at certain days and places to be appointed by him so many and such men of his bailiwick as shall be necessary for the execution of these affairs.

To Master Robert de Lesset, auditor of the account of the said Henry and justice to hear and determine complaints against him and his

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bailiffs. Although Henry ought to set out with the king for Flanders, for which reason the king has granted to him his protection in the usual form, he will nevertheless that he shall answer by his attorney in all and singular the things committed to Robert, notwithstanding the protection aforesaid just as he ought to answer if he were present in person.

Aug. 6.
Pembury.

To John de Lythegraynes, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Beatrice, late the wife of Henry de Ryhull, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Aug. 7.
Combwell.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As Robert son of Walter, who is now in Gascony in the king's service, was unable by reason of the last war in Wales to levy and answer to the king for the ferm due to him from the castle of Bere and the county of Meronnyth, which he held of the king at ferm at that time; the king, wishing to show him favour, in consideration of his service aforesaid, orders them to cause him to be acquitted of the ferm for so much as they shall ascertain is due for the time aforesaid, and to cause him to have respite for so long as he is in the king's service aforesaid for the remainder of the ferm due for the time of peace.

To the same. Order to acquit the said Robert of the scutage exacted from him for the knights' fees that he holds of the king for the armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it appears to the king that he did his service in the said armies for the aforesaid fees.

Aug. 8.
Robertsbridge
(*Pons
Roberti.*)

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause William, son and heir of William de la Hoge, to have seisin of the lands that his father held by knight service of the heir of John de Wyndesor', tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, as the king has taken his homage.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Alexander de Neuport, keeper of the manor of Turveston, to have in the forest of Whitlewode six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

Aug. 12.
Udimore.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to release on mainprise Simon le Barber, imprisoned at Wy for the death of Thomas Kyn, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Luke de la Gare and Richard de Gravene, his justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him by mischance.

To John de Lythegr[eynes], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of Hugh de Heriz of Stapilford, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John le Leutour to be acquitted of 8*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* due to the exchequer from his goods by reason of the eighth granted to the king by the laity in the city of London, as the king has pardoned him this sum.

By K. on the information of J. de Bensted.

To the same. Order to cause the abbot of Westminster to be acquitted of 300*l.* due to the exchequer, to wit 100*l.* at which he was amerced before Ralph de Hengham and his fellows, the king's late justices to hold his pleas, for the escape of a clerk, and 200*l.* at which he was amerced before Gilbert de Thornton and his fellows, late justices appointed to hold

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the king's pleas, for the escape of another clerk made with his knowledge (*scienter facta*), as the king has pardoned him these amercements. [Prynne, *Records*, iii. p. 765.]

To the sheriff of Hertford. Order to cause John de Takkeleye, keeper of one of the king's chargers (*dextrariis*), who is imprisoned at Hertford on suspicion of a trespass that he is said to have committed in the park of Cesterhunt, which is in the king's hands by reason of the lands of John de Britannia being in the king's hands, to be released if he be imprisoned solely for this reason.

Aug. 13.
Udimore.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the manors of Farnham and La Sere, which he took into the king's hands by reason of the death of John de Verdun, son of Theobald de Verdun, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Theobald enfeoffed John of the said manors, to hold to him and the heirs of his body of the king, with reversion in default of heirs to Theobald, and that John died without an heir of his body, and it also appears to the king by inspection of the charter made to John that Theobald enfeoffed him of the manors in form aforesaid, which manors the king caused to be taken into his hands after the feoffment because John had entered them without his licence, which manors the king afterwards caused to be delivered to John by the escheator, on condition that he should hold them of the king in chief and should answer to him for his trespass in entering them without his licence.

Aug. 13.
Udimore.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and Walter de la Haye, escheator there. Although the Friars Carmelite in Ireland have acquired and entered certain lands for the enlargement of the sites of their houses (*arcuarum suarum*), contrary to the form of the statute of mortmain, the king, wishing out of respect for charity to show them grace, orders the justiciary and escheator to cause to be restored to them the lands thus acquired, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the statute aforesaid, to be held by them notwithstanding the statute, on condition that they do not henceforth acquire any lands in Ireland without the king's special licence.

To the keepers of the king's new custom at Yarmouth. Whereas the king has ordered the sheriffs of Cambridge and Huntingdon and Norfolk and Suffolk to cause all the wool bought for the king's use by them and by others associated with them within those counties, in accordance with the ordinance made by the king and his council, to be carried to that port and delivered to the keepers aforesaid—[*Incomplete*].

Vacated, because otherwise below.

Aug. 15.
Udimore.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with a moiety of the manor of Tackeleye, which he took into the king's hands with the temporalities of the bishopric of Coventry and Lichfield, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that William le Poure demised to Roger, late bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, a moiety of the manor for life, with reversion to William and his heirs, and that William held the moiety of Roger de Monte Alto, deceased, by knight service.

Aug. 14.
Udimore.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the executors of the will of Robert de Ver, late earl of Oxford, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from them for three knights' fees in the king's army in Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as Robert was with the

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king in that army for the service of three knights' fees that he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by the rolls of his marshalsea of that army.

Vacated, because otherwise below.

Aug. 16.
Udimore.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. It is shown to the king by the abbot of Westminster that although the late king by divers writs pardoned the abbot's predecessors all debts in which they were indebted to him at the exchequer, which writs are in the hands of the treasurer and barons in the exchequer, as it is said, the treasurer and barons nevertheless cause the debts to be exacted from the abbot and cause him to be distrained for them contrary to the writs: the king orders them to examine the writs aforesaid and to cause the abbot to be acquitted of the debts in accordance with the writs.

To the same. Order to cause the executors of the will of Nicholas, late bishop of Winchester, to have respite until the king's return from parts beyond the sea or until otherwise ordered for all debts due from the bishop to the exchequer, as the king has granted such respite to Ralph de Sanford, one of the executors of the bishop's will and the king's chaplain, and to his co-executors of the will, because he is setting out for parts beyond sea with the king in his service.

Aug. 15.
Udimore.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to pay to John son of Richard Siward, whom Richard delivered to the justice as hostage to be kept in Chester castle for Richard, who was lately captured in the battle at Dumbar and was imprisoned in the Tower of London, his wages, to wit 3d. a day for his maintenance, until otherwise ordered.

To the keeper of the forest of Shotore. Order to cause Master Walter Burdun to have in that forest four bucks, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of W. de Bello Campo, steward of the king's Household.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the executors of the will of Robert de Veer, late earl of Oxford, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from them for the knights' fees that the earl held of the king for the armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it appears to the king that the earl did his service due to him in the armies aforesaid for the knights' fees that he held of the king.

Aug. 15.
Udimore.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to William de Vesey of Kyldar the manor of Cathorp, co. Lincoln, if he ascertain that William was seised thereof on the day when the escheator took it into the king's hands, as the king [confirmed] the grant and surrender of the manor that Anthony, bishop of Durham, made in his court before John de Metingham and his fellows, justices of the Bench, to William de Vesey, deceased, and to the heirs of his body, with remainder in default of such heirs to William de Vesey of Kyldar and to the heirs of his body, as contained in the fine levied between the bishop and William de Vesey before the said justices, in the twenty-fourth year of the reign, as appears by the rolls of chancery, which manor the escheator took into the king's hands upon the death of William de Vesey.

The like to John de Lythegrayns, escheator beyond Trent, for the manors of Malton, Langeton, Wintringham, and Brumpton, co. York.

Sept. 17.
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To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit the heirs of Roger de Mortuo Mari and the executors of his will, and Maud, late his wife, of the scutage exacted from them for the king's armies of

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Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it appears to the king that Roger did his service to him in the said armies for the knights' fees that he then held of the king in chief, both of his own inheritance and of the inheritance of the said Maud.

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Dec. 10.
Bures.

To Robert de Retford and Henry Spigurnel, justices to take [assizes] in co. Hereford (*sic*). Order not to put Robert Auvrey in default because he did not appear before them on Saturday after the octaves of Michaelmas last in the suit before them by the king's writ between Robert, demandant, and Thomas de Jarcumvill, tenant, concerning a messuage, 200 acres of land, 4 acres of meadow and fifteen acres of wood in Great Bysheye, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

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Jan. 6.
Ipswich.

Richard de Beverlaco was in the king's service on Thursday the morrow of All Saints last, so that he could not be present in the suit before the justices of the Bench by the king's writ between Henry de Combes, demandant, and him, tenant, concerning three acres of land and 2*d*. yearly of rent in Thorneton and Thorp near Haddesco. He has letters to the justices not to put him in default.

Jan. 9.
Ipswich.

To the bailiffs of Joan, countess of Gloucester and Hertford, at Clare. Order not to put Gerard de Wachesham in default because he did not do his suit at her court of Clare on Wednesday before St. Thomas last, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

March 7.
Salisbury.

To the bailliffs of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, of the honour of Walingford in co. Oxford. Order not to put Roald son of Alan in default because he did not appear on Tuesday before St. Peter in Cathedra last in the suit in the court of that honour without the king's writ between Petronilla de Scaccario and Roald concerning her cattle unjustly taken and detained, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

July 13.
Westminster.

To H. de Enef[ord] and J. de Bosco, justices appointed to take assizes in co. Wilts. Order not to put John Tregoz in default because he did not appear on Saturday after St. John the Baptist last in the assize of morte d'ancestor that Robert son of William de Ryngesburne arramed before them against him concerning a messuage and a carucate of land in Kenete near Marleberge, as he was in the king's service on that day by his order.

Aug. 21.
Winchelsea.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order not to put Eustace de Deyvill in default because he did not appear on Monday after the Assumption last in the sheriff's county [court] by the king's writ between him and John de Bosco of Conysby concerning a debt of 10 marks exacted from John by him, as he was in the king's service on that day by his order.

Here the king crossed [the sea].

Oct. 4.
St. Paul's.

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put John le Sauvage in default because he did not appear on Monday the morrow of the octaves of Holy Trinity in the suit before them between him and John son of Peter de London concerning the unjust taking and detention of his cattle, as he was in the king's service on that day by his order. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

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Westminster.

To the same. Like order in favour of Master Thomas de Aberbury, who was in the king's service on Tuesday after Midsummer last, so that he could not appear in the suit before them between John son of John de Couele, demandant, and him, tenant, concerning two messuages, 33 acres of land and 7 acres of meadows in Couele. By C.

Nov. 14.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order not to put Robert de Clifford in default because he did not appear on Monday the feast of St. Martin in the suit in the sheriff's county [court] without the king's writ between him and John Wak, Richard le Provost of Dyk and John Bere of Brunne concerning the unjust taking and detaining of his cattle, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

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Aug. 17.
Udimore.

To John de Lythegraines, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Anthony Bek, bishop of Durham, to have seisin of the lands whereof William de Vesey, lately deceased, enfeoffed him by the king's licence, which are held of the king in chief, and which the escheator has taken into the king's hands by reason of William's death, as the king has taken the bishop's homage.

Aug. 15.
Udimore.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king lately granted to Henry de Wynton[ia] that he may pay the 36*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* in arrear of a debt of 43*l.* due to the king for money received in the king's wardrobe and for certain moneys that he received from the issues of the king's jewry in the sixth year of the reign, of which debt he had paid 10 marks, as he says, at the rate of 40*s.* yearly, as contained in the king's writ in their hands at the exchequer; the king, wishing to show favour to Henry, although he has not kept his terms, has granted to him that he may recover his terms, and he therefore orders them to cause him to have these terms again, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

Aug. 17.
Udimore.

To the sheriff of Salop. Order to restore to Philip de Erreby, parson of the church of Worthyn, all his lay fees, which the sheriff took into the king's hands by virtue of the king's order to take into the king's hands all the lay fees in his bailiwick, together with the goods and chattels found therein, as the king, at the instance of Peter Corbet, wishes to show favour to him although he did not have the king's protection.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

Aug. 20.
Winchelsea.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. The king is sending to them enclosed in the presents a form for levying a third or a fifth of the goods of prelates, clerks and ecclesiastical persons of the realm in aid of the king's present expedition, and orders them to appoint by letters of the exchequer certain persons in whom they have confidence to tax and levy the said third and fifth according to the form aforesaid. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 765.]

Aug. 20.
Winchelsea.

To the same. Order to cause Walter Maydenstan, clerk, imprisoned in the Tower of London for certain false bulls that he is said to have forged, to R. bishop of London, in accordance with the privilege of the clergy, as W. bishop of Ely has told them more fully by word of mouth on the king's behalf.

To the bailiffs of Scardeburgh. Order to deliver to Reginald de Pycheford of Scardeburgh the ship called '*Joyeland*' of Strallesund and to John de

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Pycheford the ship called '*la Godeyere*' of Stavre, which were lately captured from the king's enemies and are now in that port as forfeited to the king, as the king has given these ships to Reginald and John in consideration of their good service to him.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to audit the accounts of the constable of Buelt castle of the costs and expenses that the said (*sic*) John expended within the castle during the king's last war in Wales about the munition of the castle against the Welsh, then the king's rebels, and to allow to John the said costs and expenses in his account, unless he have previously had allowance thereof by another writ.

To the same. Order not to take any of the wool of Edmund, the king's brother, lately deceased, for the king's use, although the king lately ordered them to take a certain number of sacks of wool within the realm for his use.

To the same. Order to cause Blanche, queen of Navarre, late the wife of Edmund, the king's brother, to have all the issues of the lands assigned to her in dower, both before the espousals between her and Edmund and after Edmund's death, from the day of Edmund's death, as the king has granted these issues to her.

To Malcolm de Harlegh, escheator this side Trent. Whereas Miles de Redeberwe is about to set out with the king in the company of Thomas de Berkeleye for parts beyond sea, as is testified before the king by Thomas, the king, wishing to show Miles favour, has respited until he returns from parts beyond sea, or until otherwise ordered, the trespass committed by him in marrying without the king's licence Maud, daughter of Hugh de Mortuo Mari, whose marriage pertained to the king by reason of the lands that she holds of him, and he has also respited to Maud the trespass committed by her in marrying Miles: he therefore orders the escheator not to molest Miles and Maud in the meantime by reason of this trespass, and to cause to be replevied to them in the meantime their lands taken into the king's hands for this reason.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted to Blanche, queen of Navarre, late the consort of Edmund, his brother, and executrix of his will, and to her co-executors respite for all the debts due from Edmund to the exchequer at his death until the king shall otherwise order, and order to cause Blanche and her co-executors to have such respite.

To the justices of the Bench. Order to cause William Sayer to be released from Flete prison, wherein he is detained by judgment (*consideracionem*) of the said justices for a faulty (*vicioso*) writ returned by him before them, as the king has pardoned him out of charity the ransom that pertains to him for the trespass aforesaid, as he has been in that prison for a year and a day and over, as the king learns.

Aug. 21.
Winchelsea.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Roger de Moubray to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as it appears to the king that he did the service due to him in that army.

To John de Havering, justice of North Wales. Order to deliver to Griffin son of Rhys (*Resi*) son of Griffin son of Edenevet certain lands in Tregarneth in Anglesey, which Margaret, late the wife of Rhys, held in dower of the gift of Rhys, and which the justice has taken into the

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king's hands by reason of her death, as the king by his letters patent granted the said lands to Griffin when they should fall in, to have and to hold of the king according to the laws and customs provided and used in those parts by the services therefor due and accustomed.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause John Comyn of Badenagh to have in the forest of Geytinton six bucks, of the king's gift.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to pay as quickly as possible when wages and debts shall be paid to others all the wages due to Lupus Burgundi of Bordeaux or to his son, concerning which he brought the letters of the earl of Lincoln, and also 45*l.* in which the king is indebted to him for wines that Matthew de Columbar[iis] took for the king's use, concerning which Lupus has tallies.

To the keeper of the forest of Tonebrigg. Order to cause Guncelin de Badelesmere to have in that forest six bucks, of the king's gift.

To the keeper of the forest of Asseden. Order to cause the said Guncelin to have in that forest six bucks, of the king's gift.

To the keeper of the forest of Havering' atte Bure. Order to cause Master John de Staunton, clerk, to have in the king's park of that manor six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

To the constable of the castle of Marleberge. Order to deliver to Aymer de Valencia the king's houses within the castle, as the king has lent them to him so that Beatrice, his wife, may dwell therein befittingly for so long as Aymer shall stay with the king in parts beyond sea.

Aug. 22.
Winchelsea.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Stephen de Penecestre to be acquitted of 160*l.* in which he was indebted by his letters obligatory to the merchants of the society of Lucca at London, whose debts are in the king's hands, as the king has pardoned him this sum in consideration of his good service.

Aug. 22.
Winchelsea.

To the constable of Bristol castle. Order to deliver to Alan de Plukenet suitable houses within the castle in which he and his wife and his household may dwell during the king's pleasure, as the king has granted to him that he may dwell therein with his wife and family during the king's pleasure.

Memorandum, that on Thursday, 22 August, Sir John de Langeton, the king's chancellor, delivered to the king on the sea at Wynchelse in a ship called '*Cog Edward*,' in which the king was then ready to cross to Flanders, the great seal, which the king forthwith received and delivered to Sir J. de Benstede. These things were thus done in the presence of Walter de Bello Campo, steward of the king's household, Robert de Burghasshe, William de Hamelton, Malcolm de Harleye, Ralph de Stanford, the king's chaplain, and Master Peter Aymerici, clerk.

And on Tuesday following, to wit 27 August, about sunset, after the king's passage to Flanders, Edward, his son, who supplied his place in England, in the castle of Tonebrigge in his chamber, in the presence of Sir Reginald de Grey, Sir Alan Plukenet, Sir Guy Ferre, and Sir Guncelin de Badlesmere, knights, and of Sir William de Hamelton, clerk, delivered to the aforesaid Sir John de Langeton, the chancellor, the king's seal that was wont to be used in England while he was in Gascony, and John forthwith received the seal from Edward's hands, and sealed writs therewith on the morrow.

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Tunbridge.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Matthew son of John to be acquitted of all debts due to the king at the exchequer, both the debts of his father and of other ancestors and his own debts, up to the day when he rendered into the king's hands the castle of Exeter and the county of Devon, which he had for life of the king's commission, as the king has pardoned him these debts. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

The king ordered this before his passage, on the information of brother Walter de Wynterburn.

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Aug. 28.
Tunbridge

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order to deliver in mainprise Thomas de Milleburn, imprisoned at Newcastle-on-Tyne, for the death of Henry le Yunge, as the king learns by the record of Roger de Burton and John de Kirkeby, his justices lately appointed to hear and determine the appeal that Emma, late the wife of Robert de Cutherston, made against Thomas for the death of the said Henry, that he slew him in self-defence. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Aug. 31.
Sevenoaks

To Eve, wife of Robert de Tybetot. The king, wishing to provide for the security of his castle of Notyngam, which is in the custody of her husband by the king's commission, orders her to cause the castle to be so well provided (*muniri*) and safely kept that damage or danger shall not arise in any way to the king or the castle for lack of such munition or custody, by reason whereof he would have to punish (*graviter capere*) her husband or herself. The king has ordered the sheriff of Nottingham to go in person to that place and to see diligently that the castle is well provided and safely guarded. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Sept. 6.
St. Paul's

To the bailiffs and men of Yarmouth. Order to cause twenty-four of the more upright, better, discreet and faithful of them to be chosen, who shall best know how to provide for the indemnity of the king of that town, and for all the merchants and fishermen mentioned below, to keep the town and the sea-coast (*maritimam*) there until the arrival of those whom the king is sending thither shortly, so that peril may not arise to the king's town of Yarmouth by reason of the dispute between the bailiffs and men of that town and the men of the Cinque Ports, which the king much regrets, and so that the passage of the king's men at arms or his victuals or other his things that are about to be sent from England to Flanders, or of the merchants of Flanders and Brabant and of other parts of Almain coming into England or from England to the parts of Almain and Flanders, or the coming capture of herrings shall not be hindered in any way. They are enjoined not to omit to do this as they love the king's honour and profit and that of all the king's realm and as they would wish to avoid their own damage.

To the barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Dover. Order not to molest the men of Yarmouth by reason of the said dispute, or for any other reason, in their persons or things, on land or sea, for the reasons aforesaid, under pain of forfeiture of their bodies, lands and of everything that they can forfeit in any way. As Edward, the king's son, supplying the king's place in England, has undertaken by the council delivered to him to compose the said dispute, the king orders them to send to Edward at London four of the more discreet, lawful and powerful men of that

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port, fully instructed concerning the matter aforesaid, with full power to consent to the ordinance to be made by the king's son and the council between them and their fellow-barons, on the one part, and the said men of Yarmouth, on the other, and to execute those things that the said matter shall require, so that they shall be at London on the morrow of Michaelmas to do and receive what shall be then ordained by the king's son and the council. The king has sent the like order to their fellow-barons of the other ports and to the men of Yarmouth.

The like to the barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Hethe, the port of Sandwich, the port of Romeneye, the port of Wynchelse, the bailiffs and men of Yarmouth, to send three men, as above.

Afterwards other like letters were sent to the barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Rye and Hastings to send four men.

To Robert de Burghesse, supplying the place of the warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to go at once in person upon sight of these letters to all the ports aforesaid, and to enjoin the barons and men strictly in the king's behalf and to induce them by all ways and means that he shall deem fit not to inflict any annoyance or grievance upon the men of Yarmouth in their persons or things on land or sea by reason of the said dispute, and to send four of the more discreet, lawful and powerful men from each port to the king's son at the aforesaid day and place. He shall cause malefactors whom he shall find guilty in this behalf to be attached to answer therefor, if he shall deem fit in his discretion. He shall return this writ at the said day together with what he shall have caused to be done in this matter.

Sept. 8.
St. Paul's.

To the keeper of the king's park at Northampton. Order to aid Walter de Frene and William de Baillol, yeomen of Edward, the king's son, whom he is sending thither to take venison in this present grease time (*pinguedinem presentis seisonis*) for his use, in taking such venison, as Walter and William shall direct the keeper on Edward's behalf. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

By G. de Pychef[ord], steward of Edward's household.

To the keeper of the king's park of Guldeford. Order to assist William the huntsman of the said Edward, whom Edward is sending thither to take for his use venison in this present grease time, and those whom he shall bring with him in taking the venison.

The like to the keeper of the park of Windsor.

By G. de Pychef[ord], steward of Edward's household.

Sept. 7.
St. Paul's.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. The record and process sent by him concerning the matter of the restitution of the temporalities to be made to Malachi, elect of Elphin, and the reasons of the said matter for which the justiciary has hitherto deferred restoring the temporalities, have been examined and fully understood before Edward, the king's son, who supplies his place in England, and the king's council, and the reasons and causes are deemed insufficient. The king therefore orders the justiciary to cause the temporalities of the bishopric to be restored to the elect, in accordance with the tenor of the king's other orders to the justiciary, as the king has taken the fealty of the elect and restored to him the temporalities of the bishopric, since the archbishop of Tuam has confirmed the election of Malachi, to whom the king had previously given his assent and favour, as appears by the archbishop's letters patent directed to the king, which the king retains in his possession. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 775.]

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Sept. 9.
St. Paul's.

To Philip de Everdone. Order to give credence to what shall be told to him by Master John de Lasey, whom the king is sending to the port of Sandwich to accelerate the passage of the ships there to the king in parts beyond sea, and to cause other ships of the Cinque Ports that are not at present at Sandwich to come there speedily by Philip's counsel in order to transport the king's men at arms staying in those parts to the king, as has been more fully enjoined upon Master John by Edward, the king's son, supplying the king's place in England, and by the king's council with him, and to execute those things that John shall direct in such manner that he may merit the king's commendation. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

The like to John Sauvage.

To Robert de Burghesse, supplying the place of the warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to give credence to what shall be told him by Master John de Lacy and John Sauvage, or either of them, whom the king is sending to accelerate the passage of the ships of the Cinque Ports to him in parts beyond sea, as has been enjoined upon Master John by Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, and by the king's council with him, and to hasten the coming of the ships of the said ports that are not yet at Sandwich, as they or one of them shall enjoin upon him.

To Eve, wife of Robert de Tybotot. Whereas the king lately ordered her to cause the castle of Nottingham, which is in her husband's custody by the king's commission, to be well provisioned and safely guarded and also ordered the sheriff of Nottingham to go to the castle in person and to see that it was well provisioned and safely guarded; and the sheriff has written back to the king that he has been to the castle and that he found there a constable and eight serjeants keeping the castle and eleven hauberks (*loricas*) and a chest filled with quarells, and no other munition that pertained to the castle. As these things are not sufficient for the custody of the castle, the king again orders her to cause the castle to be provided without delay with men, victuals and other things necessary for the garnison of a castle, and to cause it to be safely kept, so that damage or danger shall not arise to the king or that castle in any way for lack of munition or custody, and to certify the king of her proceedings in this matter. Otherwise the king will order the sheriff to cause the castle to be provisioned and safely kept in her default.

Sept. 10.
St. Paul's.

Henry Wran of Henle, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of John de Hampton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him.

Sept. 11.
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To the bailiff of Peveneseye. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition that he caused to be taken by Master Walter de Bestane and Humphrey de Waleden that the manor of Laghton, which the king granted to Joan, late the wife of Robert de Caumvill, for life in exchange for the manor of Westerham, can be repaired in the houses, buildings, walls, enclosures and other things pertaining to it for 50*l.*; the king orders the bailiff to permit Joan, by his view and testimony and by that of other men of those parts, to take timber in the woods pertaining to the said manor of Laghton, and to fell underwood and dead wood therein and other wood if necessary, and to sell the underwood and dead wood, and to have the money received up to the aforesaid sum. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

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To the sheriff of Westmoreland. Order to cause Robert de Askeby to have seisin of a messuage and four acres of land in Wynton, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said messuage and land, which Gilbert son of Stephen Wyghtman of Wynton, who was hanged for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Gilbert held them of Robert, and that the township of Wynton now holds them and has had the king's year and day, for which it ought to answer to the king.

To the sheriff of Salop. Order to cause Richard de Harleye to have seisin of half a virgate of land in Gretiton, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said virgate, which William Ho, who was hanged for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that William held it of Richard, and that the township of Gretiton has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer.

To the keeper of the park of Ekynton. Order to cause John de Insula to have in that park four bucks, of the king's gift.

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Sept. 11.
St. Paul's.

To Master John de Lacy. Whereas the king has enjoined upon Robert de Burghasse certain affairs concerning the Cinque Ports to be explained to John more fully by him on behalf of Edward, the king's son, supplying the king's place in England, and of the king's council staying with Edward; the king orders John to go in person to Robert at a day and place to be fixed by Robert, and to give credence to what Robert shall say to him in the premises, and to execute and follow them up (*sequamini*) together with Robert without delay.

To the bailiffs, men and entire community of the Cinque Ports. As the king has enjoined upon Robert de Burghasse and Master John de Lacy his will concerning the disputes between them and the men of Yarmouth and concerning certain letters of submission in regard to the aforesaid disputes to be received from them, according to what was promised by their peers who were in Flanders at the king's arrival there, which will of the king Robert and John will declare to them on the king's behalf; the king orders them to give full faith to Robert and John in the premises, and to do and fulfil those things that they shall enjoin upon them on the king's behalf.

To the warden of the Cinque Ports, or to him who supplies his place. Whereas the men of the Cinque Ports ought to give to the king letters of submission concerning the disputes that have lately arisen between some of them and the men of Yarmouth after the king's arrival in Flanders, in the form to be sent to them by Edward, the king's son, and his council; the king orders the warden to cause the letters to be made and sealed (*signari*) in the form that Edward and his council sends to him by Robert de Burghasse and Master John de Lacy, so that the better men of all the ports shall be named in each letter by their own names and surnames (*cognominibus*), and to send the letters sealed with the seal of each community of the said ports to the king's son by Robert and John.

To Robert de Tateshale, John de Mettingham, Roger son of Osbert, William de Carleton, and William de Kerdeston, or to four, three or two of them. Whereas the men of Yarmouth ought to give to the king letters of submission concerning the disputes that arose between some of them and the men of the Cinque Ports after the king's arrival in Flanders,

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according to the form to be sent to them by Edward, the king's son and his council: the king orders Robert, John, Roger, William and William to cause the letters aforesaid to be made and sealed in the form that Edward and his council sends to them enclosed in the presents, so that the better men of that town shall be named by their own names and surnames and that the letters shall be sealed with the seal of the community of that town, which letters one of them shall then carry to the king's son.

Sept. 7. To the keeper of the forest of Fekenham. Order to cause John de
St. Paul's. Elynton, the elder, to have in that forest three bucks, of the king's gift.
Witness: Edward, the king's son.

By the bishop of Ely and R. de Grey.

To John de Wareenna, earl of Surrey. Order and request that he shall not leave the king's realm of Scotland during the disturbance there, but shall remain there until it shall be quieter, as the king understands the disturbance that lately arose in that realm is not yet so appeased that the state of the realm is yet secure and quiet, and it was not and is not the king's intention that the earl shall leave those parts until the state of the land shall be in a more peaceful condition.

Sept. 15. Drogo de Barentyn, who is staying in the king's service in the islands
St. Paul's. of Gerseye and Gernereye, has letters of protection for a year, with the clause '*volumus*.' Witness: Edward, the king's son. By C.

Vacated, because on the Patent Roll [Calendar, p. 308].

To the keeper of the king's park of Burgh. Order to cause Cecily, wife of William de Morleye, to have in that park two bucks, of the king's gift.

By the bishop of Ely and Reginald de Grey.

Sept. 16. To John de Wareenna, earl of Surrey and Sussex. Whereas the king
St. Paul's. before he crossed the sea enjoined upon Edward, his son, certain things that he desired (*quedam nobis votiva*) concerning him and his realm, which he greatly desired should be done, if possible, in the earl's presence: the king orders him to hasten to his son whenever the said things require speed, if the state of the parts of Scotland will permit. This he is enjoined not to omit as he loves the king and his honour and the profit of all his realm.

To the sheriff of Dorset. Order to deliver to John de Moeles and his wife houses within the castle of Shireburn sufficient for them to dwell in, as the king has lent to John houses therein for the residence of him and his wife and household during the king's pleasure.

To Geoffrey de Pycheford, constable of Windsor castle. Order to deliver to Ralph de Mahermer and Joan, his wife, countess of Gloucester and Hertford, the king's daughter, the houses of the outer bailey of the castle, as the king has lent the houses to them for the residence of themselves and their households during his pleasure.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to cause a verderer for the forest of Essex to be elected in place of Adam de la Cleye, deceased.

Sept. 18. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit Warin
St. Paul's. son of Thomas Maudut of the scutage exacted from him for the king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as the late king, on 24 April, in the fifty-fifth year of his reign, granted to Richard, late king of Almain, the custody of the lands that belonged to Thomas, tenant

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in chief, during the minority of the heir, and the king afterwards, on 18 September, in the eighteenth year of his reign, took the homage of Warin for the lands that belonged to Thomas, whereby it appears clearly that Warin was under age and in the custody of Richard at the times when the king was in the said armies. It is provided that answer shall be made to the exchequer for scutage of the knights' fees that are held of Warin.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to resume into the king's hands the lands that Simon de Sharstede held of him at his death by reason of the barony of Crevequer, and to cause dower to be assigned from them to Alice, late the wife of Simon, in the presence of Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Simon, if she wish to be present, upon Alice taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence, as it was not and is not the king's intention that dower should not be assigned to Alice, although he lately took the homage of Elizabeth for the lands that belonged to Simon.

Sept. 20.
St. Paul's.

To the sheriff of Southampton and Baldwin de Bello Alneto, Laurence de Anne, John de Tyding and Philip Aubyn, appointed to take wool in that county for the king's use. Order to restore to the abbot and convent of Beaulieu ten sacks of the thirty lately bought by them from the abbot and convent for the king's use, as the king has granted to them that they shall have ten sacks in order to make cloth for their own use. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Sept. 23.
St. Paul's.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of Robert Luterel, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence. Witnesses: Edward, the king's son.

The like to John de Lytheg[rayns], escheator beyond Trent.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to cause verderers for the forest between the bridges of Oxford and Staunford to be elected in place of Nicholas de Wymenhale, Richard de Deseburgh and Robert Greyling, who are insufficiently qualified, as the king learns by the testimony of William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, steward of the said forest.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause a verderer for the forest of La Bere without Winchester to be elected in place of Peter de Maundevill, lately one of the verderers, as he cannot nowadays attend to the duties of the office by reason of his bodily weakness.

Vacated, because it was not sealed.

Sept. 26.
St. Paul's.

To the collectors of the new custom at Yarmouth. Order to permit Hugh de Leycestria, merchant of Margaret, wife of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, to cross to Brabant with forty-three sacks of wool, upon receiving from him the custom thereon due to the king, as Margaret is sending him thither with the wool in order to provide therewith cloth and other necessities for her and her household. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

By C. and the bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Whereas the king learns by — [Incomplete].

Oct. 10.
St. Paul's.

To Richard Oysel, bailiff of Kyngeston-on-Hul. Order to cause a new quay to be made in that town good and sufficient for loading, unloading and weighing goods and wares there. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

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Sept. 28.
St. Paul's.

To Master Robert de Leyssset, appointed to hear and determine the complaints of the islanders of Gerneseye and Geres[eye]. The letters sent by him to Edward, the king's son, supplying the king's place in England, concerning the said complaints having been fully understood, the king orders him to proceed to render judgment in the matter of the petitions and complaints propounded before the king in his last parliament at London against Henry de Cobeham, late keeper of the islands, and his bailiffs and ministers, concerning which Henry there put himself upon an inquisition, which inquisition Robert has taken in accordance with the power delivered to him, as he has informed the king, notwithstanding Henry's absence, if the law and custom of those parts will allow this. As to the other petitions and complaints against Henry newly propounded before Robert in the said islands, to the hearing and determination whereof it cannot be properly proceeded because Henry is with the king in his service in Flanders, the king orders Robert to receive the attorneys of all those who wish to propound such petitions, and to prefix for them a day before the king in England, to wit in fifteen days from Easter, to propound such their petitions and complaints, if they shall see fit, and to do and receive concerning them what justice shall require. Robert shall return to England when he shall have expedited what can rightfully be done by him by virtue of the powers granted to him in Henry's absence. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To the sheriff of Worcester. Order to cause Walter le Drinkere of Eldresfeld to have seisin of a messuage and four acres of land in Eldresfeld, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which Thomas Bretun, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Thomas held them of Walter, and that the township of Eldresfeld now hold the messuage and land and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

To the sheriff of Westmoreland. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Richard de Musegrave, who is unable to execute the office by reason of his infirmity of body.

Sept. 27.
St. Paul's.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to restore to John de Berkweye, clerk, his lands, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged before Ralph de Sandwyco and John le Bretun, justices appointed to deliver the goal of Newegate, with theft and robbery, as the sheriffs have returned that they have not delivered the lands to John, as they were ordered to do by the king, because John was found guilty of the crimes aforesaid by an inquisition of the country upon which he had placed himself before the said justices, saving the privilege of the clergy, and the king considers this cause erroneous. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 766.]

Oct. 7.
St. Paul's.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Whereas the king learns that John son of Rhys (*Iesi*), lately the leader of certain Welshmen coming through the town of Abyndon to Wynchelse by the king's order to cross the sea with him, was taken and imprisoned in Oxford castle for certain trespasses that he was said to have committed in the town of Abyndon and the adjoining parts, for which no one sues him, as it is said: the king, wishing to show him favour at the instance of John Giffard, orders the sheriff to cause him to be released from prison, if he be detained solely for this reason. Witness: Edward, the king's son. By C.

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To the warden of the Cinque Ports, or to him who supplies his place. Order to permit Agnes de Valencia, the king's kinswoman, to pass from the port of Dover to parts beyond sea, according to the form provided by the king for such passages and sent to the warden at another time, and to take with her Baldwin, her son, Walter de Huntingfeld, Goubert de Remys, John de Furne, Henry the chaplain, Thomas le Fauconer, Richard le Paneter, John le Butiller, Roger le Mareschal, Reginald le Keu, John le Taillur, three of her damsels, and the grooms of her household, provided that they be not men-at-arms.

By C.

To the bailiffs of Sandwich. Whereas the king has caused letters in a box, which is sealed with the seal of Ralph de Sandwyco, constable of the Tower of London, which brother Richard de Aston, monk of the abbey of Whallegh, is taking with him to parts beyond sea by the order of his abbot, to be examined by the said Ralph: the king orders the bailiffs to permit the monk to pass to the said parts from that port with the box and with two of his grooms, provided that he do not carry with him any other suspicious letters.

By C.

To John de Lythegr[aynes], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the escheator assigned to Hawysia, late the wife of Ralph de Goushill, tenant in chief, dower of her husband's lands by the king's order, as appears to the king by inspection of the assignment sent to the king by him, and the escheator has taken the lands thus assigned to her in dower into the king's hands by virtue of a writ called '*diem clausit extremum*' concerning Ralph's death, as he has signified to the king, which cause the king considers null: he therefore orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the lands thus assigned in dower, if they have been taken into the king's hands solely for this reason, or with the issues thereof since the time when the lands were taken into the king's hands.

Oct. 8.
St. Paul's.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Whereas the king granted by his letters patent to the prioress and nuns of Chester 24 marks yearly from the ferm of the town of Middlewich (*de Medio Vichio*), until such time as he should cause this yearly sum to be assigned to them to be received in a certain place for ever, for certain fixed alms granted to them by the king's predecessors, formerly lords of Cheshire (*Cestresirye*), and he also granted to them by the same letters 4*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* yearly from the said ferm in recompence for the damages that the prioress and nuns sustain yearly to that amount by the withdrawal from them by the abbot and convent of Vale Royal of the tithes pertaining to the prioress and nuns' church of Ovre, as in the tithes of hay, fishponds, gardens, cows, calves, servants in Lent and other small tithes, until the king should similarly provide them with that sum elsewhere for ever; and 93*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.* are in arrear to the prioress and nuns for Michaelmas term in the twenty-first year of the reign and for the four following years: the king orders the justice to cause them to have this sum, unless they have been previously satisfied for it, in accordance with the king's grant aforesaid and as they have been wont to have and receive it in times past. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To John de Lythegr[eynes], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle with the lands that Ralph de Goushill at his death held of other lords than the king, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Ralph at his death held nothing of the king in chief as of the crown, but that he held certain lands in Coldon of the honour of Albemarle, which is in the king's hands, by knight service.

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To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to cause Thomas de Bolesdon to have seisin of a messuage and seven acres of land in Wickewik, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which William le Herde[man] of Wickewik, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that William held them of Thomas, and that the township of Wickewik now holds them and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

Oct. 10.
St. Paul's.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause a verderer for the forest of La Bere to be elected in place of Peter de Maundevill, who is incapacitated by paralysis. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To Malcolm de Harl[egh], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Isabel, late the wife of Walter de Ouresby, to have seisin of the lands that Walter at his death held of the king in chief of her inheritance, as the king has taken her fealty. It is provided that he shall come to the king forthwith upon his return to England to do homage.

Oct. 12.
Westminster.

To the bailiffs, men and community of both towns of Yarmouth. The king sends to them enclosed in the presents the form provided by his council in the parliament of Edward, his son, supplying his place in England during the king's absence from the realm, between them and the men of the Cinque Ports, to be sealed by them and to be returned to the council within a month of Michaelmas last, as the king has enjoined upon John Wyth and his fellows, who were sent to his council by them. The king orders them to return the form sealed for both of their towns and its members, so that his council shall have it sealed at the latest before the said (*sic*) Sunday. The king inhibits them, under pain of forfeiture of their bodies and goods and of all that they can forfeit, from inflicting any damage, annoyance or wrong upon the men of the Cinque Ports or upon any of them by land or by sea in the meantime. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To Walter de la Haye, escheator in Ireland. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Isabel, late the wife of William de Vesey, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

To Ralph de Sandwyco, constable of the Tower of London. Order to receive William de Douglas, Thomas de Morham and John de Fortore of Scotland, whom John de Warenn, earl of Surrey, will deliver to him, and to cause them to be kept safely in the Tower until otherwise ordered.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause G. bishop of Worcester to be acquitted of 80*l.* exacted from him for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as he paid this sum into the king's wardrobe to Master Thomas Bek, deceased, the late keeper of the wardrobe, on Sunday after St. Peter and Paul, in the said year, by which sum he made fine with the king for the service of three knights' fees that he then recognised to the king for that army, as appears to the king by inspection of his letters patent to the bishop.

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Oct. 13.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Hawysia, late the wife of William de Mortuo Mari, to have seisin of the lands that they held of the king in chief at William's death of her

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inheritance, after receiving from her fealty and an oath that she will not marry without the king's licence, power to receive which the king has granted to the escheator at the instance of John Giffard, of the receipt of which he is to certify the king. He is also ordered to cause dower to be assigned to her. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Oct. 10.
St. Paul's.

To Richard Oysel, bailiff of Kyngeston-on-Hul. As the king wills that suitable houses for the stay of his bailiff and others necessary for the custody of that town shall stand at Miton near that town, he orders Richard to cause a suitable hall, chambers and chapel, bakehouse, brew-house and other necessary houses and a well for drawing water from to be made at the said place of Miton, and to cause the houses to be inclosed with a ditch on all sides, and to cause a bridge for entry there from the town to be made, as shall seem best to him. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Oct. 16.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause Nicholas de Segrave to have in the forest of Whychewode three live bucks and three live does in order to stock his park of Stowe, of the king's gift.

To the fermors of the king's mills and bridge of Chester. Order to pay to Robert de Crevequer 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for the quinzaine of Michaelmas of the 45*l.* yearly granted to him by the king from the issues of the mills and bridges for the custody of Beston castle (*as at p. 28 above*).

Oct. 14.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king has granted to Roderic de Ispannia, the yeoman of Edward, the king's son, for his good service to Edward, a wardship or wardships from those now in the king's hand in Malcolm's bailiwick from which he may receive 400 marks within six or seven years from the day of the delivery thereof to him, with proviso that if the wardship or wardships do not attain to this sum, he shall have what is lacking from other wardships next coming to the king's hands within that time: the king orders the escheator to cause such wardship or wardships to be assigned and delivered to Roderic by an extent to be made by the escheator.

To the bailiffs of Yarmouth. Whereas the king has caused to be examined by Master Reginald de Braundon and Ralph de Sandwyco the letters and writings that brother William de Stapelford, canon of Bernewell, is taking to parts beyond sea in a hanaper sealed by the said Reginald and Ralph: the king orders the bailiffs to permit William to cross to parts beyond sea with a groom without making further examination in the premises, if it appear to them that William has not in his possession any other suspicious letters or writings.

Oct. 18.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order to cause to be replevied to Thomas de Milleburn his lands, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being appealed by Emma, late the wife of Robert de Cothereston, of the death of Henry le Yung, her son, for which appeal Thomas was imprisoned at Newcastle-on-Tyne, as the king ordered the sheriff to release Thomas on mainprise because he learnt by the record of Roger de Burton and John de Kyrkeby, his justices appointed to hear and determine the appeal, that he slew him in self-defence.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause David le Blund, son and heir of Petronilla de Vivoun, tenant in chief, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the king's armies of Wales

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in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as Petronilla had her service with the king by his order in those armies for half a knight's fee that she then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of the marshalsea.

Oct. 23.
Westminster.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. The king has inspected the transcript sent to him by the justiciary of the agreements with Richard, earl of Ulster, and John son of Thomas and others of Ireland to come to him in Flanders in his service. As the agreements seem to the king to be very exacting (*dure quamplurimum*), it is his pleasure that Richard and John and others shall remain in Ireland on this occasion, and he therefore orders the justiciary to withdraw from the covenants in as courteous a manner as possible, so that none of them shall rightly think themselves ill content.

By the bishop of Coventry and Lichfield and John de Drok[enesford].

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to search the rolls of that exchequer, and to certify the king of what debts Thomas de Multon owes to it, both for his own debts and the debts of his ancestors, and what are clear and what are not clear. As Thomas has gone to Scotland by the king's order in his service, the king has granted to him respite for all the debts aforesaid until the quinzaine of Easter, and he orders the treasurer and barons to permit him to have this respite unless he shall otherwise ordain.

To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to cause two coroners for that county to be elected in place of Philip Strug and Reginald Crok, deceased.

To the keeper of the park of Maclesfeld. Order to cause John de Grey to have in that park four bucks and six live does, of the king's gift.

Oct. 20.
Westminster.

To John de Lythegr[eys], escheator beyond Trent. Order to permit Nicholas de Segrave to enter and hold 10*l.* yearly of land and rent in Tykhill until the king shall otherwise order, as Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex, has granted this land and rent to him until the earl shall pay him 100*l.*, as the earl has acknowledged in chancery.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harley, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause John Flaschel and Elizabeth, his wife, the second daughter and heiress of John de Sottesbrok, to have seisin of the purparty falling to them of the lands that John at his death held of the king, as she has proved her age before the king and he has taken John's fealty for the said purparty.

Vacated, because otherwise below.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to cause John and Elizabeth to have seisin of the purparty of the aforesaid lands falling to them in accordance with the partition made by the escheator between the heirs and parceners of the inheritance, which is in the king's hands by reason of Elizabeth's minority, as she has proved her age before the king and the king has taken John's fealty.

Memorandum, that John Faschel (*sic*), father of the said John, had this marriage of the gift of a yeoman of the king's household, who had it of the king's gift.

Oct. 28.
Westminster.

To the keeper of the king's park of Havering. The king is sending John de Wenneston and William le Venur, his yeomen, the bearers of the presents, to take venison in the present close season (*ad instantem*

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fermisonem . . . capiendam) in that park for the use of Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, and he orders the keepers to aid and counsel them in so doing.

Oct. 25.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to cause Alice de Akeny to have seisin of a messuage, five acres of land and $1\frac{1}{2}$ roods of land in Wytlesford, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which Joan Page, who was hanged for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that she held it of Alice, and that Hugh de Babington, late sheriff of that county, had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king lately by his letters patent under the seal of the exchequer committed to Hugh de Curtenay, deceased, the manor of Lyfton, which is in the king's hands by the demise of John de Cancellis, deceased, and which is extended at 29*l.* 4*s.* 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.*, during the king's pleasure, rendering therefor the said extent to the exchequer, as the treasurer and barons may ascertain by the enrolment before them of the said letters; and the king afterwards, on 14 July, in the eighteenth year of his reign, caused to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of the said John, a third of the manor, to be held in *tenencia* until he should cause dower to be assigned to her, which third is extended at 9*l.* 4*s.* 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.*: the king orders them to inspect the rolls of the exchequer, and if they find that Hugh had the manor of the king's commission as above, to cause the executors of his will to be acquitted of the aforesaid 9*l.* 14*s.* 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.* a year from the said 14 July.

Nov. 3.
Eltham.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Geoffrey, son and heir of Robert Lutterel, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death, upon his finding security to be before the king when he next comes to England to do his homage, as he has proved his age before the king and the king has taken his fealty.

The like to John de Lythegreins, escheator beyond Trent.

Nov. 3.
Eltham.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Like order in favour of John, son and heir of John de Daggewrth.

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Nov. 5.
Eltham.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to restore to Henry de Leyburn and Elizabeth, his wife, daughter and heiress of Simon de Sharstede, tenant in chief, their lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands because Henry married Elizabeth without the king's licence, as Henry has found security in chancery to satisfy John le Latimer, to whom the king had granted Elizabeth's marriage, for the value of her marriage. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

The like to Humphrey de Waledon, constable of Ledes [castle].

To the constable of St. Briavels castle. Order to permit John Giffard to take and have two boars and twelve roe-bucks in the forest of Dene, which the king has granted to him.

By the bishop of Ely, at the order of the king's son.

Nov. 4.
Eltham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Richard son of Alan, earl of Arundel, demised by the king's licence to Robert, late bishop of Bath and Wells, then the king's chancellor, for the discharge

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of certain debts due to the king from the earl, a certain part of his lands for a certain term, as is contained in an indented deed made between the earl and the bishop, and the king granted to the bishop that he should not be distrained in the said lands during the term aforesaid for any debts that the earl owes the king: the king orders the treasurer and barons not to make any distrainment during the term aforesaid in the said lands for any debts due to the king from the earl. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Nov. 6.
Eltham.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to release on mainprise Geoffrey le Machun, imprisoned at Neugate for the death of Walter le Breuere, whereof he is appealed, as the king learns by the inquisition that he has caused to be made by the sheriffs that he is appealed thereof out of hatred and not because he is guilty. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To the constable of Richmond castle. Order to cause that castle to be repaired where necessary, and to cause it to be kept safely, so that no peril shall arise to the king or to the castle for lack of custody.

Nov. 6.
Eltham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that whereas John de Cobeham has delivered to the exchequer 500 marks as a loan for the expedition of the king's most urgent affairs, the king, wishing to satisfy him therefor, has granted him the wardship of 51*l.* 13*s.* 3*d.* of land and rent of the lands that belonged to Adam de Bavent, tenant in chief, which are in the king's hands by reason of the minority of Roger, son and heir of Adam, in the following places, excepting the dower of Alice, late the wife of Adam: to wit in Schilburn, co. Kent, 7*l.* 3*s.* 0½*d.*; in Brantesdon, co. Suffolk, 10*l.* 9*s.* 8½*d.*; in Combes, in the same county, 53*s.* 8½*d.*; in Putfeld, co. Surrey, 20*s.* 10*d.*; in Wisteneston, co. Sussex, 29*l.* 2*s.* 8*d.*; in Billinghamurst and Slogherere (*sic*), in the same county, 23*s.* 4*d.*; to have with all things pertaining to the custody for five years from 5 February next, provided that the wardship shall be in the king's hands for so long, for 258*l.* 6*s.* 3*d.* the amount of the extent of the lands, in part payment of the said 500 marks. The king wills that the remaining 75*l.* 0*s.* 5*d.* shall be allowed to John in the fermes of the city of Rochester and of the castle-guard (*warde castri*) there, which John holds for life by his grant, to wit 6*l.* in the ferm of the city for Michaelmas term, in the twenty-fifth year of the reign, and 6*l.* from the same ferm for Easter term following, and 36*l.* 4*s.* 0*d.* in the ferm of the castle-guard for the term of St. Andrew, in the twenty-sixth year of the reign, and 26*l.* 16*s.* 5*d.* for the ferm of the castle-guard for the term of St. Andrew following; and the king orders them to allow to John these sums in the fermes aforesaid. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

By the bishops of Ely and London and the treasurer.

Nov. 10.
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Robert Cristofre, imprisoned at Newegate for the death of Walter le Brewere, whereof he is appealed out of hatred and not because he is guilty, has letters to bail him until the first assize at the Tower.

Nov. 8.
Eltham.

To Geoffrey de Pycheford, constable of Windsor castle. Order to pay to two chaplains celebrating divine service in the king's chapel of that castle 50*s.* a year each; to John Braye, janitor of both gates of the castle, 4*d.* a day; to Thomas Burnel, one of the viewers of the king's works in the constable's bailiwick, 2*d.* a day; to Simon de Shawes, the second viewer of the works there, 2*d.* a day; to Robert de Schorteford, clerk of the works there, 2*d.* a day; to four watchmen of the castle, 2*d.* a day each; to Adam the gardener of the king's garden without the castle, 2½*d.* a day; to Robert Lightfot, janitor of the park of Windsor and keeper of the

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king's houses there, 1*d.* a day; to Robert de Say, chief forester of the forest of Windsor, 12*d.* a day; to William, the parker of the king's park of Kenyton, 1½*d.* a day, their wages and stipends from Michaelmas last until the following Michaelmas. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To the same. Order to cause the houses, tower, walls and gates of the castle, with the stable and wall of the king's garden without the castle, the houses and ponds of the king's park of Windsor, with the paling about the same, the houses and walls of the king's manor of Kenyton, with the paling and wall about the park there, and the houses and walls of the king's manor of Bray to be repaired.

To the same. Order to cause hay and oats to be found for the king's deer in the parks of Windsor and Kenyton during the present season of winter, so that they shall not perish for lack of sustenance.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to deliver in mainprise Godfrey Draper, imprisoned at Est Derham for the death of John Bernard, as the king learns by the record of Fulk Baynard and Richard de Belhus, justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that John killed himself by mischance while wrestling with Godfrey.

Nov. 8.
Eltham.

To Malcolm de Harl[egh], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Richard de Hywysh, retaining in the king's hands the manor of Meneley until Maud, late the wife of Richard, shall come to the king and shall do to him what is due therefor; as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Richard and Maud held the manor jointly on the day when Richard died of the king in chief by the service of a moiety of a knight's fee, and that Richard held all his other lands of other lords.

To the keeper of the park of Relegh. Order to cause Joan, countess of Gloucester and Hertford, the king's daughter, to have in that park ten does, of the king's gift.

Nov. 13.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John de Dyve, son and heir of Henry de Dyve, tenant in chief, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the knights' fees that his father held at his death of the king for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, and also of the relief for the lands that his father held of the king in chief, which were in the king's hands by reason of John's minority, as it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery that John was a minor in his wardship at the time when the king was in his said army of Wales. It is provided that answer shall be made to the king for the scutage of the knights' fees that were held of Henry on the day of his death. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To John de Lythe[eynes], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king, learning from the complaint of Philip de Lou and Margery, his wife, that their lands in Hundeburton had been taken into the king's hands without reasonable cause, ordered the escheator to certify him under his seal of the manner and cause of their being taken into his hands; and the escheator returned that he had taken the lands into the king's hands because it did not appear to him how the lands had come to the hands of Philip and Margery after they had been taken into the king's hands upon the death of Alan de Walkingham, who held them at ferm during the will of Queen Eleanor, the king's late consort, of her demise, the king having committed to her during his pleasure the

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said lands, which were then in his hands by reason of the insanity (*fatuitatis*) of Richard de Ardern, an idiot, and the escheator also answered that the lands were in the king's hands solely by reason of Richard's insanity, and that the king rendered them after Richard's death to Philip and Margery, one of Richard's heiresses: the king, holding such taking of lands into his hands as unreasonable and unjust, and considering that by [such seizures] many persons of his realm are much injured contrary to the law and custody of the realm, by reason whereof he may be frequently solicited and moved by complaints made to him concerning such undue seizures, orders the escheator not to intermeddle henceforth with the holding or taking into the king's hands of any other lands without reasonable cause.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to release on mainprise John de Morton, imprisoned at Rokingham, for a trespass that he is said to have committed in the king's forest of Wytlewood.

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Westminster.

To William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, keeper of the forest between the bridges of Oxford and Stanford. Order to cause John Lovel to have in the forest of Rokingham ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.
By the bishops of Ely and London.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Emma, late the wife of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, the manor of Cleydon, which is extended at 26*l.* 7*s.* 8*d.* a year, the manor of Aylesbyr[y] with the hamlet of Burton, which is extended at 51*l.* 4*s.* 5½*d.* a year, and the manor of Querindon, which is extended at 34*l.* 11*s.* 11¾*d.* a year, as the king has assigned them to her to be held in *tenancia* until he shall cause dower to be assigned to her.

To the same. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that William de Mortuo Mari held at his death of the king in chief the castle of Bruggewauter and a third of the manor there, two parts of the manor of Milverton, and two parts of the manor of Odecumbe, and that he held at his death 13*l.* 18*s.* 3½*d.* yearly of rent in Neubyr[y], and a third of the manor of Crendon of Maud de Mortuo Mari, his mother, by her feoffment, with condition that if he died without an heir of his body, all the lands aforesaid should revert to her and her heirs, and that William died without an heir of his body, so that the castle and tenements aforesaid ought to revert to Maud in accordance with the form of the feoffment, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition aforesaid that William at his death held any other lands of the king except of the inheritance of Hawisia, his late wife: the king orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the castle and lands that are thus held of the king or with the lands that William held of Maud or of other lords, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of William's death.

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MEMBRANE 24*d.*Nov. 22.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

Nigel le Brun acknowledges that he owes to John de Hastings 1,000*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in Ireland.

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William de Sutton acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Nov. 24. To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to cause proclamation
Bury to be made throughout that county that all of that county who have 30*l.*
St. Edmunds. yearly of land or a whole knight's fee worth 30*l.* yearly in that county and elsewhere in the realm, and who ought to be knights and are not, shall take knighthood (*arma militaria recipiant*) before Whitsuntide next at the latest, under pain of grievous forfeiture of their lands and tenements, certifying the king of his proceedings in this matter and of the names of those who shall have received knighthood in the meantime and of those who shall not have received it. [*Parl. Writs.*]

Nov. 24. To the sheriff of Essex. Whereas the king clearly understands that in
Bury the present time of winter there is no need for as much custody at sea as
St. Edmunds. there was in times past, for which reason he, wishing to spare the country the costs and expenses wherewith they have been much grieved heretofore about the custody of those parts, has ordered John de Fyloyle, warden of certain of the parts about the sea in that county, to cause jointly with the sheriff, immediately upon sight of the letters sent to him, a lighter and smaller guard (*custodiam*) to be provided and put upon the sea coast in the sheriff's bailiwick, to wit scouts (*ascultores*), watchmen and bells (*signa*) in all places on the coast where necessary, by which scouts, watchmen and bells the country may be speedily warned concerning any fleet of the king's enemies that may approach those parts in order to do evil, and so that there shall be in each place aforesaid four or six scouts and watchmen, who shall stay continuously by day and night in the places to which they shall be assigned by the sheriff and John, and so that those who shall thus stay shall have their reasonable expenses from the country to the least grievance thereof, in such wise as the sheriff and John shall provide in their discretion. When all these things have thus been ordained and established, the sheriff and John shall provide without delay that John and all others in John's bailiwick who have previously been concerned in the said custody shall be always ready and prepared with horses and arms, to wit each of them according to his estate, upon every occasion when they shall be warned by the scouts, watchmen and bells or in any other way, so that the country shall be so guarded that damage, loss or danger by the king's enemies shall not threaten the king or his realm in any way. The king orders the sheriff to lay aside all other affairs and to go with John to the coast, and to do and execute all the premises in form aforesaid. This he shall in no wise omit as he shall wish to avoid the king's wrath and as he loves himself and his things.

The like to the sheriffs of Sussex, Suffolk, Dorset, Kent, Devon and Cornwall.

To William de Alta Rypa, keeper of the parts about the sea in co. Sussex. Order to provide with the sheriff of the county the like smaller custody.

The like to the following:

William de Bovill, keeper of the parts about the sea in co. Suffolk.

Henry de Cobham, keeper of the parts about the sea in co. Kent.

William de Malteby, keeper of the parts about the sea in co. Norfolk.

Adam Gurdun, keeper of the parts about the sea in co. Southampton.

Robert de Sancto Claro, keeper of certain parts about the sea in co. Essex.

The keepers of the parts about the sea in co. Cornwall.

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The keepers of the parts about the sea in co. Devon.

The keepers of the parts about the sea in co. Dorset.

John Fillol, keeper of certain parts about the sea in co. Essex.

To John de Haveryng, keeper of North Wales. It is shown to the king on behalf of the men and whole community of Snaudon and Anglesey that they have been told that certain things have been suggested to the king concerning them by reason whereof the king ought to hold them suspect, and they are much disturbed and aggrieved thereby. As the king does not wish that their minds shall be further vexed or disturbed by the lying stories of such speakers of evil, he has intimated to them by his letters patent that nothing at all of sinister rumour concerning their estate or behaviour has come to his notice at the present time, and that he has not conceived against them any suspicion, as is more fully contained in his letters. For these reasons the king orders John to so chastise any such liars as shall be found henceforth in his bailiwick that the punishment shall strike terror into others saying the like things.

Dec. 26.
Ipswich.

Master Nicholas de Honiton acknowledges that he owes to John de Langeton, parson of the church of Raculvre, 178*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Cancelled on payment.

Edmund de Hastings acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Benhale, parson of the church of Keleshale, 50*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

Dec. 30.
Ipswich.

To R. bishop of London. Request that he will be present at the solemnisation of marriage between the count of Flanders and Elizabeth, the king's daughter, which the king proposes shall be celebrated at Ipswich on Monday the morrow of the Epiphany. [*Fædera.*]

The like to the following:

The abbot of St. Edmund's.

The abbot of Colchester.

R. le Bigod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England.

Humphrey de Boghun, earl of Hereford and Essex.

Robert de Veer, earl of Oxford.

Robert de Tateshale.

Robert son of Roger.

The consort of the earl of Norfolk and marshal of England.

The countess of Cornwall.

The countess of Oxford.

The consort of R. de Typetot.

The consort of John de Holebrok.

The consort of John Engayn, the younger.

The consort of John de Boghun.

The consort of John de Buttetourte. [*Ibid.*]

Memorandum, that Adam de Osgotby, clerk, delivered to Isabel, late the wife of John de Vesey, the elder, on 29th December, at Ipswich, a deed made to Robert de Clesby, her serjeant, under the name of Adam le Coppere, for a sum of 31*l.* to be paid to Robert or his attorney, which deed she received from Adam in order that she might cause it to be levied by the treasurer and barons of the exchequer in part payment of a debt in which William de Egesclyve, her late steward, is indebted to her. And she promised to save Adam and Robert harmless against William in this matter.

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Harwich.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Order to distrain Henry son of William le Especer of Oxford to go to the town of Berwick on Tweed, so that he shall be there in his own person in the octaves of Easter next, to ordain and dispose concerning the town of Berwick with other citizens and burgesses whom the king is sending thither, according to the power given to Henry and them by the king's letters patent, as the king wills that Henry shall go in person with Ralph de Mercer of Stok of Oxford. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriff of Northumberland to distrain Peter le Draper of Newcastle-on-Tyne to go thither with John le Escot. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriff of Lincoln to distrain Richard de Bella Fago in the city of Lincoln to go thither with Gilbert le Neyr of the same city. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the same to distrain William de Gurnall' of Grymmesby, John Braban of Staunford, and Roger de Belvero of Grantham. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriff of Norfolk to distrain Hugh de Massingham and Richard de Gerleston (*sic*) of the town of Lynn. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriff of York to distrain John Sampson and Copinus le Flemeng of the city of York. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 23.
St. Edmunds.

Walter atte Forest of Wytteneye, Simon le Bere, and Roger de Askeby acknowledge that they owe to Robert de Askeby, clerk, 60 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

*Membrane 24d—Schedule.*Oct. 26.
Westminster.

To Robert la Warde. Request that he will be at Sandwich on the eve of St. Katherine with horses and arms, ready to set out to the aid of the king in Flanders, as the king wishes to have the company of those who are bound to him by fealty, although he hopes to have a sufficient number of divers nations in the parts wherein he is to resist his enemies and to attack their power. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to thirty-eight others. [*Ibid.*]

The like to fifteen others, with an additional clause enjoining them not to omit this by reason of any requests previously made to them to come to Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, at Newcastle-on-Tyne. [*Ibid.*]

To the barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Hastings. Order to cause all ships of their port of the burthen of forty tuns of wine and upwards to be prepared without delay, and to send them to Sandwich thus prepared, so that they shall be there on the aforesaid eve, with bridges and hurdles and other things necessary for transporting horses, which bridges, etc. were left in their hands at the time of the king's late passage from Wynchelse, to carry thence to him in Flanders his subjects aforesaid who shall then come to that place with horses and arms and other necessities for passage to Flanders.

The like to the following:

The barons, bailiffs, and men of the port of Rommeshale.

The bailiffs and men of Shorham.

The mayor, bailiffs and men of Southampton.

The barons, bailiffs and men of Wynchelse.

The bailiffs and men of Portesmuth.

The barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Dover.

The barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Sandwich.

The barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Hethe.

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To Stephen de Penecestre, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to go in person to each of the said ports and to cause all the ships of forty tons burthen and upwards to come to Sandwich by the said eve at the latest, so that the coming of the said men to the king in Flanders shall not be delayed for lack of ships. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To the bailiffs of Kyngeston-on-Hull. Order to cause proclamation to be made in that town that all those who have for sale victuals or other things necessary for the earls, barons and other magnates of the realm, whom the king has requested to go with horses and arms to Edward, his son, supplying his place in England, to Newcastle-on-Tyne by St. Nicholas next, to set out for Scotland to repress the malice and rebellion of the Scots, who have invaded the realm, shall cause such victuals and things to be carried by land and sea to Halyelande or Newcastle. They will there find men who will buy the victuals from them and who will satisfy them promptly for the price thereof.

The like to the following:

The mayor and bailiffs of Lenn.

The bailiffs of Boston.

The bailiffs of Hertipol.

The bailiffs of Grymesby.

The mayor and bailiffs of York.

The mayor and bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne.

The sheriffs of Norfolk, Suffolk, York and Northumberland are ordered to cause proclamation to be made to the like effect in cities, boroughs and market towns throughout their whole bailiwicks.

Nov. 4.
Eltham.

To Robert son of Roger. The king specially thanks him for the diligence that he has displayed about the custody of the town of Newcastle-on-Tyne and of the adjoining parts against the invasions and assaults of the Scotch rebels, and commends his fidelity and probity. As the king has caused John de Insula to be sent to levy money for his use within the county of York, he requests Robert to give credence to what John shall tell him by word of mouth on the king's behalf concerning the premises, and that he will do and execute them.

Vacated, because otherwise below.

To Robert son of Roger. Request that he will give credence to what John de Insula, whom the king is sending to the marches of Scotland, shall tell him by word of mouth on the king's behalf concerning certain affairs specially touching the king in those parts, and that he will do and execute them.

The like to Gilbert de Umfreville, earl of Angos, Brian son of Alan, and Ralph son of William.

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Oct. 20.
Westminster.

To the barons, bailiffs and men and whole community of Sandwich and of its members. Notification that the king has granted and taken truce (*sufferenciam*) in the war between the king of France and his confederates and the king and his confederates, as well for the duchy of Aquitaine as for the county of Flanders and certain other places, from realm to realm, land to land and people to people, by land and by sea, until the Epiphany next for the duchy and until the octaves of St. Andrew next for the other lands; during which sufferance all merchants and others may safely come from one realm to another and return and stay there and ply their merchandise. The king has promised that if

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anything be seized (*interceptum*) from the king of France, his confederates merchants and men, by the king or any of his men during the truce, he will cause suitable amends to be made therefor, the truce remaining nevertheless in force ; for the observance whereof he has caused Walter de Bello Campo, steward of his household, to take oath on peril of the king's soul (*in animam nostram*). The king therefore orders them to observe the truce in all its articles, and not to inflict or cause to be inflicted any damage, wrong, hindrance, annoyance or grievance upon the king of France, his confederates, merchants, or people, as they love the king and his honour, under pain of forfeiture of life and limbs and of everything that they can forfeit, more especially as the king is bound by the oath aforesaid to cause amends to be made for everything attempted against them. The king warns them if anything be attempted against the king of France, his confederates, merchants and men contrary to the form of the truce, that he will punish (*capiemus ad*) not only the offender but also the community to which he belongs. Witness : Edward, the king's son. [*Fœdera.*]

The like to the barons etc. of the ports and members of Dover, Hethe, Romenhale, and Hasting', and the barons and the whole community of Wynchelse, the bailiffs and men of the community of Yarmouth, the bailiffs and men of Lynn, Gypwyz, Donewyz, Herewyz, Hulle, Boston, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Portsmouth, Southampton, Lym, La Pole, and Bristol. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Stephen de Penecestre, warden of the Cinque Ports, with order to go in person to each port and to cause the truce to be publicly proclaimed and observed, inhibiting all and singular on the king's behalf that no one shall, under forfeiture of his body and of all that he can forfeit, inflict damage, etc., upon the king of France, his confederates, merchants, or people contrary to the tenor of the truce, and to intimate to all that if any one contravene the truce, the king will punish not only the offender but also the community to which he belongs. [*Ibid.*]

The like to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, with order to cause the truce to be proclaimed in all ports and other places where ships arrive in Ireland and elsewhere as he shall deem fit. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. [*Ibid.*]

The like to John de Havering, justice of North Wales. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Robert Tibetoft or to him who supplies his place in South Wales. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriff of Northumberland and to the sheriffs mentioned below to go in person to all places in their bailiwicks where ships arrive and to cause the truce to be proclaimed, to wit the sheriffs of York, Lincoln, Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex, Kent, Sussex, Southampton, Dorset, Somerset, Devon, Cornwall and Gloucester. [*Ibid.*]

Oct. 21.
Westminster.

To Oliver la Suche. Request that he will be at Newcastle-on-Tyne on the day of St. Nicholas next with horses and arms, to set out thence with Edward, the king's son, and other subjects of the king against the Scots, who have broken their homage and fealty and have now invaded the realm of England. Witness : Edward, the king's son. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to one hundred and twelve others. [*Ibid.*]

The like to six earls and sixty-one others. [*Ibid.*]

To the abbot of Rading'. Request that he will send to Newcastle a suitable company of his men by the said day. [*Ibid.*]

The like to sixteen abbots, four priors, the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England, and the master of the military order of the Temple. [*Ibid.*]

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Wareham.

To Sir John de Havering, justice of North Wales, and Sir William de Cycouns, constable of Aberconeweye. Forasmuch as the king's affairs on this side the sea are in such a forward condition that he has undertaken to cross the sea with the power of his realm as speedily as he can after Sunday next after the octaves of St. John the Baptist next; for which reason he wishes that the Welshmen whom he can have shall pass with him at that time in the same manner as the other men of his realm; he therefore orders them to cause to come before him as speedily as possible all the Welshmen of North Wales who are powerful and fencible at certain days and places at which they can best and most speedily assemble them, and to there show to them advisedly and clearly the king's undertaking aforesaid, how he has done it for the common profit and salvation of himself and them and of all his realm, and how he trusts much in them and in the good service that they can render to him, and to pray them on the king's behalf, in the most loving and courteous manner that they are able, that they will cross the sea with the king himself, that is to say with his person, when he crosses. If they grant this in good manner and will do it, they shall then cause them to know that they shall be all assembled in a certain place near to the march where the justice and constable shall deem fit, so that they shall be there by the octaves of St. John next at the latest. They may tell them that the king will then send thither someone to receive them and to guide them to him, to such number as the king shall tell them, and to pay them their wages in due manner. The justice and constable shall write back to the king what place the men will be assembled at, with all their proceedings in this matter, so that he may be fully advised to do therein what he shall see ought to be done. In order that they may be the more favourably inclined (*entalentez*) to do the king's will in this matter, he sends to the justice and constable his open letters sealed with his great seal, whereby he prays the said men to grant and do what the justice and constable shall require from them, which letters they shall give (*baudrez*) to them so soon as they shall have assembled them before them, as is aforesaid. *French.* [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the following :

Thomas de Rossale and Master Gilbert de Ardern in the parts of South Wales.

Walter Hakehute, Morgan ap Mereduk and David le Graunt in the parts of Glamorgan.

William de la Pole and John de Borham in the parts of Powys.
[*Ibid.*]

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Whereas the king lately ordered the earl of Ulvestre and John le fiz Thomas and his other good men of Ireland by his letters, which he sends to the justiciary to be delivered to them, to provide and prepare themselves with horses and arms, so that they should be ready to come to him in England and to go with his own person for the defence of his entire realm at such time as he should cause to be made known to them, and that they should give credence to the justiciary in what he should tell them concerning this matter; and he commanded the justiciary by his letters to exhibit as much pains and diligence towards them as he could and also towards others of that land until he should secure that they would prepare themselves and come to the king in form aforesaid, so that the king should have from those parts four hundred men on barded (*covertz*) horses; and the king has now ordained his passage to parts beyond sea, for which reason he has caused his men-at-arms of his realm to be summoned to be with him at London on Sunday after the octaves aforesaid, ready to pass with him to

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the parts aforesaid. Seeing that his men of Ireland cannot conveniently come at the aforesaid day because they are at such a distance and by reason of the long sea that they have to cross, he sends to them his letters praying them to be at London by the first of August with horses and arms, to hear and do what he shall cause to be made known to them then, either to come to him or to remain as they shall be told, and that they shall give credence to the justiciary in this matter. The king therefore orders the justiciary to cause the said letters, which the king sends to him, to be delivered to them without delay, and to employ all pains and diligence that he can in order to have them at London at the first of August at the latest. If it seem to the justiciary that the number is too great for them to furnish easily, the king wills that it shall be reduced in order that they may come the more easily, according to what shall seem fit to the justices to be done between him and them. He is ordered to certify the king of his proceedings in this matter by the bearer of the presents. *French.* [*Ibid.*]

May 24.
Portsmouth

To Patrick son of Patrick, earl of March. Whereas the king has appointed his passage to parts beyond sea for as early as possible after Sunday after the octaves of St. John next, for which day he has summoned his *proceres* and other his subjects to set out with him; he has enjoined certain things that he has at heart upon Hugh de Cressingham, the treasurer of Scotland, and Osbert de Spaldington to be told by them to Patrick by word of mouth: he orders Patrick to give credence to what Hugh and Osbert shall tell him concerning the passage aforesaid, and to do and execute such things, as he loves the king's honour and profit and his own and as the king specially confides in him, accordingly as they shall be required from him on the king's behalf. [*Ibid.*]

The like to thirty-nine others dwelling this side the Scótech sea. [*Ibid.*]

The like to seventeen others dwelling beyond the said sea. [*Ibid.*]

* Roll of the lay fees of clerks taken into the king's hands, and that those who owe service to the king shall come with their service to cross with the king's body, for the twenty-fifth year.

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Jan. 14.
Harwich.

Geoffrey de la Mare, who is going to Brabant by the king's order with Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex, in the company of Margaret, duchess of Brabant, the king's daughter, has letters of respite for the king's debts and those of others until Easter next, directed to the sheriff of Northampton.

John de Hastings, who is also going to the parts aforesaid with the duchess, has like letters of respite, directed to the sheriffs of Warwick, Leicester, Northampton, Salop, Stafford, Norfolk, Suffolk, Buckingham, and Bedford.

Roger de Tylemanneston, who is also going with the duchess, has like letters of respite, directed to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer and to the sheriff of Kent.

* This title occurs at the foot of the membrane, which was evidently intended to be the first of a set of rolls for the enrolment of the orders relating to the clerks' land (concerning which it contains no other reference) and of the writs of military service.

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Jan. 14. John de Hastings, who is also going with the duchess, has letters of
Harwich. respite for pleas until Midsummer next, directed to the justices of the
Bench.

Hugh Bardolf, who is staying in Gascony in the king's service by his
order, has letters of respite for the pleas and matters touching him before
the justices of the Bench for a month from Easter, directed to the justices.

Jan. 24. To the prior and convent of Merton. The king is sending to them
Bury Nicholas Morel, who is incapacitated from work by infirmity of body, and
St. Edmunds. requests them to admit him into their house with a groom and a horse,
and that they will find him his necessaries according to the requirements
of his estate. The king wills that he shall not long stay there, but that
he shall stay for a time only, provided he behave himself courteously and
honestly. If he behave otherwise, the prior and convent are to certify the
king fully of his behaviour.

Jan. 26. To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Order to be with the king at Salisbury
Weeting. on Sunday the feast of St. Matthias next at the latest, as the king wishes
to have parliament (*colloquium*) and treaty concerning certain arduous
affairs touching him and the earl and the realm with the earl and other
proceres and magnates of the realm. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to five earls and eighty-eight others. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 30. To the king's takers of corn in co. Gloucester. Order not to inter-
Castleacre meddle in any way with taking the corn of Simon, master of the house of
the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England at Dunamenaye, as he
is staying in Gascony in the king's service by his order.

Vacated, because otherwise below.

Jan. 30. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to give order to
Castleacre the king's takers of corn in co. Gloucester not to intermeddle with taking
the corn of the aforesaid Simon, if they satisfy themselves that he is in
Gascony in the king's service by his order.

Feb. 12. The like in favour of William de Cantilupo for his corn in cos.
Ely. Buckingham, York, and Lincoln.

Jan. 31. To the barons and bailiffs of the port of Dover. As the king wills that
Castleacre no one, whosoever he may be, clerk or laymen, shall go out of the realm in
any way without his special licence, he orders them not to permit anyone
to pass the sea from that port without such licence. If any one wishing
to cross the sea be found there with letters, they shall cause him to be
arrested without delay, whatsoever may be his condition, and shall cause
the letters to be sent to the king wherever he may be in England with all
speed, safely keeping him upon whom the letters have been found until
the king shall have had inspection thereof and shall give them further
orders. It is provided that those who have the king's letters of licence to
pass the sea may pass without hindrance. They are enjoined to execute
this order as they love themselves and their goods. [*Prynne, Records,*
iii, p. 729.]

The like '*de verbo ad verbum*' to the mayor and bailiffs of Sandwich
and to the following:

The barons and bailiffs of Romenhale.

The barons and bailiffs of Hethe.

The barons and bailiffs of Wynchelse.

The barons and bailiffs of La Rye.

The barons and bailiffs of Hasting'.

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The barons and bailiffs of Faversham.
The mayor and bailiffs of Southampton.
The mayor and bailiffs of Portesmue.
The bailiffs of Shorham.
The bailiffs of Yarmouth.
The bailiffs of Dunwich.
The bailiffs of Ipswich.
The bailiffs of Sheford.
The bailiffs of Peveneshe.
The mayor and bailiffs of Bristol.
The bailiffs of Herewych.
The bailiffs of Oreford.
The bailiffs of Goseford.
The bailiffs of Maldon.
The bailiffs of Yarmouth.
The bailiffs of La Pole.
The bailiffs of the Isle of Wight.
The mayor and bailiffs of Sandwich.
The bailiffs of Hardelawe.
The bailiffs of Flynt.
The bailiffs of Holmeoltram.
The bailiffs of St. Bee's (*Bega*).
The bailiffs of Wyrkington.
The bailiffs of Ravenglas.
The bailiffs of Falemue.
The bailiffs of St. Michael's Mount.
The bailiffs of Mousehole.
The bailiffs of St. Crantock (*Karantoci*).
The bailiffs of Oldestowe.
The bailiffs of Clovelly (*Cloveby*).
The bailiffs of Shippedenemere.
The bailiffs of Welles and Holkeham.
The bailiffs of Brunham.
The bailiffs of Thornham.
The bailiffs of Lynn.
The bailiffs of Boston.
The bailiffs of Salteneve.
The bailiffs of Saltfleteby.
The bailiffs of Waynflet.
The mayor and bailiffs of Grimesby.
The bailiffs of Gingeston(*sic*)-on-Hull.
The bailiffs of Ravensere.
The bailiffs of Scardeburgh.
The bailiffs of Bamburgh.
The bailiffs of Tynemuth.
The mayor and bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne.
The bailiffs of Whyteby.
The bailiffs of Lancaster.
The bailiffs of Cockermue.
The bailiffs of Lyvrepol.
The bailiffs of Fordesham.
The bailiffs of the prior of St. Helen of the Isle of Wight.
The bailiffs of Neuport in the Isle of Wight.
The bailiffs of Towemouth.
The bailiffs of Ilfardecumbe.

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The bailiffs of Cumbemartin.
 The bailiffs of Dunsterre.
 The bailiffs of Strugoyl.
 The bailiffs of Uske.
 The bailiffs of Goer.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Lym.
 The bailiffs of Landstephan.
 The bailiffs of Talthan.
 The bailiffs of Haverford.
 The bailiffs of Penbrok.
 The bailiffs of Sencher.
 The bailiffs of Kameys.
 The bailiffs of Calgaran.
 The bailiffs of Kermerdyn.
 The bailiffs of Kardigan.
 The bailiffs of Angleseye.
 The bailiffs of Rothelan.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Chester.
 The bailiffs of Aberconweye.
 The bailiffs of Lampader.
 The bailiffs of Sweyneseye.
 The bailiffs of Karnarvan.
 The bailiffs of Kedewelly.
 The bailiffs of Muleford.
 The bailiffs of Lym.
 The bailiffs of Oterimouth.
 The bailiffs of Exemue, with the ports of Luleham and Kyen and
 Toppesham.
 The bailiffs of Sidemouth.
 The bailiffs of Teygnemue.
 The bailiffs of Dertemue, with the port of Tottonye.
 The bailiffs of Porlemue.
 The bailiffs of Yalmue under Nyweton Ferers.
 The bailiffs of Plymmue, with the port of Sutton.
 The bailiffs of the port of Lo.
 The bailiffs of Fauy.
 The like to Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, for his bailiwick.
 The like to John de Havering, justice of North Wales.
 The like to Stephen de Penecestre, warden of the Cinque Ports.
 The like to John de Warennia, earl of Surrey, keeper of the realm and
 land of Scotland, with clause enjoining him to execute this order with
 diligence as he loves the king and his honour and the profit of his realm.
[Ibid.]

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Feb. 4. To the king's takers of corn in co. Dorset. Order not to intermeddle
 Walsingham. with taking the corn of John Huse, as he is staying with John de Sancto
 Johanne in the king's service by his order in Gascony.
 The like his favour for co. Wilts.
 The like in favour of John de Cendale for cos. Norfolk and York.
 The like in favour of William de Ormesby, who is staying in Scotland,
 for co. Norfolk.

Enrolment of letter from Malcolm de Harlee, escheator this side Trent,
 to Sir John de Drogenesford, the king's treasurer, or to him who supplies
 his place, setting out that, upon receipt of the king's order under the privy

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seal to assign dower to Eleanor, late the wife of Ralph Russel, he assigned and delivered to her the manor of Horsington, co. Somerset, except 71s. 11½*d.* yearly of land in the same, but so that she shall have and hold the said 71s. 11½*d.* of land, rendering therefor 71s. 11½*d.* yearly to Robert Russel, uncle and heir of Ralph; and half a knight's fee in Great Weston, which Richard de Weston holds, and which is extended at 20s. yearly; and a tenth of a knight's fee in Cadebyry, which tenth the heirs of Robert Martin and William Quintin, hold, and which tenth is extended at 10s. yearly; and a knight's fee in Galenton, which Walter de Cheny and the heirs of John de Stokes hold, and which is extended at 100s. yearly; also a tenth of a knight's fee in Wulfton, which the heirs of John de Stokes hold, and which is extended at 13s. 4*d.* yearly; also an eighth of a knight's fee in Estrop, which eighth the heirs of Ralph Huscard hold, and which eighth is extended at 20s. a year; also a tenth of a knight's fee in Horsington, which tenth the heirs of Gervase le Scrivein hold, and which tenth is extended at 6s. 8*d.* a year; also a twentieth of a knight's fee in Horsington, which twentieth Bartholomew Lucas and Robert Sowey hold, which twentieth is extended at 4s. a year; also a fortieth of a knight's fee in Horsington, which fortieth German Attebrok holds, and which fortieth is extended at 2s. a year; also a twentieth of a knight's fee in Horsington, which twentieth John Botevilein holds, which twentieth is extended at 12*d.* a year; also a knight's fee in Cindercombe and Cadebiry, which John de Mussegros holds, and which is extended at 50s. a year; a quarter of a knight's fee in Cadebury, which quarter Robert de Bosco holds, and which quarter is extended at 10s. yearly, in co. Somerset. He has also assigned to her a sixth of a knight's fee in Derham, which sixth John Tragin holds, and which sixth is extended at 33s. 4*d.* a year; also a sixth of a knight's fee in Derham, which sixth John le Hireis holds and which sixth is extended at 33s. 4*d.* yearly, in co. Gloucester, and also the advowson of the church of Derham, in the same county, which church is extended at 15 marks yearly. The escheator signifies this to the treasurer at the request of Eleanor, so that what shall please the king in this matter may be ordered (*demandetur*) to those whom it concerns.

Feb. 3.
Walsingham.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order not to intermeddle in any way with the corn, salted food (*lardario*), or other victuals or necessities of the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England in that county by reason of the provision to be made for the use of the king's men staying in Gascony in his service, as the king has granted to the prior and brethren that nothing shall be taken for the reason aforesaid from them at present.

The like to the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk.

Enrolment of agreement made between Hugh le Despenser and Sir Walter de Langeton, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, whereby Hugh grants to the bishop that he may close up a deer-leap (*saltatorium*) descending from the bishop's park of Terven into Hugh's park in his manor of Barewe in such manner as he shall please, and that he may hold it thus closed up for all the time that he shall be bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, provided that Hugh or his heirs shall have the deer-leap again upon the voidance of the bishopric in such manner as they had it before. Witnesses: Sir Reginald de Grey, Sir Hamo de Macy, Sir Richard de Macy, Sir Ralph de Vernun, knights, Richard de Fougheleserst, William de Donecastre, Alexander Hurel, Adam de Burton.

Memorandum, that the bishop and Hugh came into chancery at Walsingham, and acknowledged the aforesaid deed, and prayed that it might be enrolled.

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Walsingham.

To the king's takers of corn in cos. Somerset and Dorset. Order to defer taking corn for the king's use from Nicholas de Cheyny at present, so far as can be done without inconvenience to the king, in consideration of his merits.

The like for cos. Devon and Cambridge.

Robert de Wattlington acknowledges that he owes to Ranulph Bakun 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

To the king's takers of corn in co. Norfolk. Order not to intermeddle in any way with taking the corn of Master Arnald Lupi de Tylio, who is staying in Gascony by the king's order, so that the king ought to provide for his indemnity.

Thomas Bacun acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Watlington and Agnes, his wife, 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

Feb. 12.
Ely.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to give orders to the king's takers of corn in cos. Oxford and Buckingham not to intermeddle with taking the corn of William de Burmingham, if they ascertain that William is staying in Gascony in the king's service.

The like in favour of Almaric de Sancto Amando for his corn in cos. Oxford, Buckingham, Bedford, Berks, Wilts, and Gloucester.

The like in favour of Robert son of Nigel for his corn in cos. Buckingham and Oxford.

March 2.
Clarendon.

To the sheriff of Stafford. Order to take with him twelve discreet and lawful knights of that county, and to go in person to the land of Richard de Draycote in Draycote and the land of Robert de Hukeford in Hyndolveston, and to cause a perambulation to be made by the oath of the knights between the said lands, so that the perambulation shall be made by certain metes and bounds, as Richard and Robert have put themselves upon that perambulation before the king. The sheriff is ordered to certify the justices at Westminster in fifteen days from Easter under his seal and the seals of four of the said knights by what metes and bounds the perambulation shall have been made.

Feb. 28.
Clarendon.

To the taxors and collectors of the twelfth in co. Bedford. Order to supersede entirely the taxing and collecting of the goods that belonged to Edmund, the king's brother, in the custody of his executors by reason of the twelfth, as it appears to the king that Edmund died before the grant of the twelfth aforesaid.

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The like to the taxors and collectors of the twelfth in cos. York, Derby, Wilts, Leicester, Buckingham, Warwick, Northampton, Stafford, Nottingham, Lincoln, and Northumberland.

Robert de Eccleston acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Cliderhou, clerk, 40*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

Memorandum, that the king ordered, on Friday, 1 March, that all those who have protections shall have suitable writs that nothing of their corn shall be taken for his use.

Memorandum, that, on Tuesday following, the king ordered that all merchants of Flanders and others of whom it shall appear that they are men and merchants of the count of Flanders shall have letters of protection

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and conduct in the usual form to endure for so long as the king shall please, and writs of chancery to demand their debts, according to the law merchant.

March 7.
New
Salisbury.

Peter de Chaumpvent, John de Merk, knights, Aymery de Quarto, provost of Beverley, and Peter de Sabaudia, canon of St. Mary's church, Salisbury, acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, clerk, 140l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk, Wilts and York.

MEMBRANE 21d.

Ordonée est par le roi e par son conseil, qe nul passage des leynes ne des quirs, des messagers, ou des marchantz ne se face nule part du reame d'Engleterre, mes en les leus desutz nomées, ceo est a saver, a Noef Chastel sur Tyne, Hulle, Seynt Batolf, Jernemuth', Jerepyz, Londres, Sandwyz, Suhampton, e Bristowre. E en chescun des ditz lius soient le coket, e les gardeyns de la custume le roi, associez a eus deus plus prodeshommes e leaus de meme le leu, assignez e jurez de garder si bien e si estregement le port de jour e de nuyt, qe nul messenger qe porte lettre ou message de dela saunz especial garaunt du roi, ne autre q' porte lettre close ou autre suspencionuse ne passe en nule manere, mes seit son cors pris e gardé en prison deske taunt qe le roi en eit comaundé sa volenté. E tuz les mariniers qui passeront a totes les fiez qe eus sey moveront, jurgent e soient examinez, e les marchantz soient quitz par lour serement q'il ne porteront lettres ne message de quey mal peusse venir au roi ou au reame, e qe eus ne feroient de dela de fet ne de dit, par art ne par engyn, nule chose qe seit nusaunte au roi ou au reame. E veit le roi qe les messagers soient estreytement serchez e examinez ensi qe nule rien ny passe dont mal ou damage peusse avenir au roi ou au reame. E si nul messenger ou autre oveske lettre ou autre chose damajouse au roi ou au reame seit trovée, seit son cors pris e soit enveyé au roi, ou q'il seit, oveske les lettres, ou gardé jeske taunt qe le roi eit maundé sa volenté. E bien se arise chescun des gardeyns qe nul marchaund Lombard a queus le passage ad esté eynz ces hures defendu e est uncore ne passent en nule manere. E si nul veigne pur passer, tauntost seit pris e arestu, e sauvement gardé taunt qe le roi eit maundé sa volenté. As autre portz du reame qui ne sont nomez de sus, veit le roi qe les viscontes des leus chescuns en chescun port de sa baillie, graunt e petit, assignent deus prodeshommes des leus q'il ne lessent passer nul messenger ne marchaunt saunz garaunt du roi. E si les mariniers des leus voiller aler a la mer a tutes les fethes jurgent e soient examinez q'il ne portent de dela lettre ne message qe peusse estre nusaunte au roi ou au reame. E est ordené qe cest ordenement seit crié e pupplié par le reame en leus e viles solempnes ensi qe nul se peusse escuser par ignoraunce. E entendent le roi e son conseil qe si nul messenger ou autre dela arrive a nul de ces ports ou autre qe la fourme desus dite seit gardé en dreit de eus.

Ordené est par le roi e par son conseil qe nul passage des messagers ou des marchantz ne se face nule part en Gales ou en la March' horspris en lieus desutz nomez, ceo est a saver, a Cestre, Beaunareis, Muleford, et Haverford, e qe en chescun lieu les socereins ministres le roi assignent deus des prodeshommes de mesme le lieu jurez de garder si bien e si estreitement le port de jour e de nuyt qe nul messenger qe porte lettre ou message en autres terres, sauntz especial garaunt du roi, ou autre q' porte lettre close ou autre suspencionuse ne passe en nule manere, mes seit son cors pris e gardé en prison jeske tant qe le roi en eit commaundé sa volenté. E les marchantz qui jurront q'il ne portent lettre ne message ailleurs qe peusse estre damajouse au roi ou au reame,

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serront quites par taunt, mes les mariners a totes les fiethes qu'il passeront frount meisme cel serement, e jalemeys il serront examinez qu'il ne portent lettre ou message, ne ne frount de fet ne de dit chose dont mal ou damage puisse avenir au roi ou au reame. E les messagers seient estreitement serchez e examinez issint qe nule rien suspecinouse ne passe. E si nul messenger ou autre ovesque lettre damajouse au roi ou au reame seit trové, seit son cors pris e enveié au roi, ovesque les lettres, ou gardé jesque taunt qe le roi eit maundé sa volente. E bien s'arisent chescun des gardeins qe nul marchaund Lombard as queus les passages ad esté einz ces heures defendu e est uncore passe en nule manere. E si nul veigne pur passer, tauntost seit pris e arestu, e sauvement gardé tauntque le roi en eit maundé sa volenté. E si nul messenger ou autre qi veigne de aillurs arrive en nul de ces portz ou a autre en la fourmé desusdite, seit gardé endroit de eus. E pur ceo est mester qe les soverains ministres le roi en Gales e en la March' assignent ascuns en chescun des autres portz pur garder les en la fourme desusdite.

Ordené est par le roi e par son conseil que nul passage de leines ou de quirs, de messagers ou de marchaunz ne se face en reame d'Escoce, nule part horpris, en leus ou sont les coketz e a Kircudbright, mes avant qe passage se face a Kircudbright qe le coket y seit mis par le conte de Garenne e par le conseil que le roi ad en Escoce. E qe en chescun leu deus de plus prodeshommes e leaus de mesme le lei associez aus gardeyns de la custume nostre seignour le roy soient assignez e jureez de garder si b[e]n, etc., come desus est dit.

March 1.
Clarendon.

To the keeper and sheriffs of London. Whereas it is ordained that passage shall be made at London and in other certain places in the realm, in the form that the king sends to them enclosed within these letters, he orders them to cause the form aforesaid to be kept and firmly held in that city and port. *French.*

The like to the following for the ports in their respective bailiwicks :

The sheriff of Northumberland for Newcastle-on-Tyne and other places in his bailiwick.

The sheriff of York for Hull and other places in his bailiwick.

The bailiffs of Yarmouth.

The bailiffs of Ipswich.

The mayor and bailiffs of Sandwich.

The mayor and bailiffs of Southampton.

The bailiffs of Bristol.

Sir Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, to cause the form to be observed in the four cantreds and in other places in his bailiwick, according to the articles sent to him.

John, earl of Warenne (*Garenne*), keeper of the realm of Scotland, to cause the form to be observed in all the towns where there are cockets in Scotland and also at Kyreudbright, according to the articles sent to him. *French.*

March 11.
Breanore.

Aymer de Quarto, provost of Beverley, and Taldus Geniani, merchant of Florence of the society of the Friskebaldi, for himself and his fellows of the society aforesaid, acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, John de Merkyngfeld, and John de la Roche 1,000 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. York and London.

Memorandum, that an inquisition made by Roger Lestrangle (*Extraneum*), late justice of the Forest this side Trent, and returned into chancery as to whether it is to the damage or annoyance of the king's forest of Wychewod if the king were to grant to John Lovel that he may enclose his wood of Minstre, which is within the bounds of the forest, and make a park

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thereof, was delivered by the king's order to John de Benested at Langeford near Salisbury, on 8 March, to be kept in the king's wardrobe.

March 12.
Breamore.

To the taxors and collectors of the twelfth in co. Cambridge. Order to supersede the taxing and collecting of the goods of Hugh Peverel in the custody of his executors by reason of the aforesaid twelfth, as it appears to the king that Hugh died before the grant of the twelfth was made.

The like for the executors to the sheriffs of Wilts, Southampton and Devon.

March 13.
Breamore.

William Servat, citizen of London, and Terricus de la Bruere, merchant of Bruges, acknowledge that they owe to Eymer de Quarto, provost of Beverley, 790*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

March 25.
Gillingham

John le Sauvage, whom the king has appointed to execute certain of his affairs on the sea coast, has respite until Michaelmas next for the debts due to the exchequer and for the debts of others.

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March 2.
Clarendon.

* Master William de Chirinton to the sheriffs of London, Worcester, Northampton, Gloucester.

Matthew de Hamme, parson of the church of Staunton St. Quintin, to the sheriff of Dorset.

John de Romeseye, parson of the church of Edinton and Ichenestok, to the sheriffs of Southampton and Wilts.

The provost of the house of St. Edmund, Salisbury to the sheriff of Wilts and Dorset.

The abbess of Romeseye to the sheriffs of Gloucester, Southampton, Wilts, Berks, and Dorset.

The master of the hospital of St. Nicholas, Salisbury, to the sheriff of Dorset and Wilts.

The prioress of Ambresbury to the sheriffs of Southampton, Berks and Wilts.

John de Newent, parson of the church of Gratele, to the sheriff of Gloucester and Southampton.

Richard Malore, parson of the church of Lyndwode, to the sheriff of Lincoln.

The abbot of Tychefeld to the sheriff of Berks and Southampton.

Gilbert de Wollavynton, sheriffs' clerk, to the sheriff of Somerset.

Stephen Malore, parson of the church of Draghton, to the sheriff of Northampton.

* The roll contains no title or other evidence as to the meaning of these orders, but they were probably orders relating to corn issued in consequence of the king's order of 1 March (on p. 85 above). It is, however, somewhat curious that they are addressed to the sheriffs, and not to the person appointed to take corn into the king's hands in the respective counties. From the numerous changes in the colour of the ink, it is evident that these orders were not all issued on 2 March. The list is, apparently, continued on Membrane 19*d* (p. 97 below).

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Robert de Welham, parson of the church of Wythcok, to the sheriff of Leicester.

Master Ralph de Odyham, parson of the church of Bradeford Peverel, to the sheriff of Southampton.

John de Wytham to the sheriffs of London, Norfolk, Essex, Stafford and Salop.

William de Wermenistre, parson of the church of Thidolveshide, to the sheriff of Wilts.

The abbess of Wylton to the sheriffs of Wilts, Dorset, Cornwall, Southampton, Kent and Devon.

Roger de Essex[ia], parson of the church of Wulfreton, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Master William de la Wyle, archdeacon of Dorset, to the sheriffs of Dorset, Devon and Wilts.

Master Robert de la Wyle, parson of the church of Brideton, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Richard de Preston, parson of the church of Long Bridy, to the sheriff of Dorset.

To the abbot of Muchelnye to the sheriff of Somerset.

The prior of Sandelford to the sheriff of Berks and Southampton.

The keeper of the house of the scholars at Salisbury to the sheriffs of Berks, Wilts and Dorset.

Robert de Aldinton, vicar of the church of Sturministre Mareschal, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Master William de Perham, parson of the church of Romeseye, to the sheriff of Southampton and Wilts.

Robert Russel, parson of the churches of Horsenton and Derham, to the sheriffs of Somerset and Dorset, Gloucester and Buckingham.

Peter Maundevile, parson of the church of Chelesbury, to the sheriff of Wilts.

The abbot of Glastonbury to the sheriffs of Wilts, Berks, Somerset and Dorset.

The prior of Longleat (*Longa Leta*) to the sheriffs of Wilts and Somerset.

The prior of Poghelee to the sheriffs of Wilts and Berks.

Richard de la Wyle, parson of the church of Haukchirche, to the sheriff of Dorset.

The prior of Brommore to the sheriff of Devon.

William atte Wyle, parson of the church of Staplebrigg, to the sheriff of Dorset.

The prior of Suthwyk to the sheriff of Southampton.

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Nicholas de la Wyle, parson of the church of Childesfrome, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Master William de Wederhale to the sheriffs of Kent, Northampton, Southampton and Nottingham.

The prior of Bruton to the sheriffs of Sussex and Somerset.

Master Ralph de Vasto Prato, parson of the church of Wydyndon and Bekinton, to the sheriffs of Devon, Wilts, Gloucester and Somerset.

Walter Bacun, parson of the church of Endegate, to the sheriff of Suffolk.

William Gascelyn, parson of the church of Hinepiddele, to the sheriff of Dorset.

The prior of St. Denis to the sheriffs of Southampton and Wilts.

The abess of Lacok to the sheriffs of Wilts, Gloucester, Southampton and Dorset.

Richard de Preston, parson of the church of Long Brydy, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Peter Bolymer, parson of the church of Norrigg, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Master John de Shipton, vicar of the church of St. Mary, Salisbury.

The prior of Longleat (*Longa Leta*) to the sheriffs of Somerset and Wilts.

The abbot of Cerne to the sheriff of Dorset.

William son of Robert de Stokes, parson of the church of Buddesden, to the sheriff of Wilts.

William de Motesfonte, parson of the church of Whelpelegh, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Richard le Engleys, parson of the church of Farnham, to the sheriff of Essex.

The prior of Ivychurch (*de Monasterio Ederoso*) to the sheriffs of Wilts and Southampton.

Robert de Leycestria, parson of the church of Tarente Vylers and Penrich, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Richard de Wilton, parson of the church of Cumpton Chaumberl[eyn], to the sheriffs of Dorset and Wilts.

Matthew de Hamme to the sheriff of Wilts.

Richard Bryan, parson of the church of West Grimsted, to the sheriff of Wilts.

William de Burton, parson of the chapel of Whaddon, to the sheriff of Wilts.

William de Boclund, canon of the free chapel of Tottenhale, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Thomas de Neweton, parson of the church of Knoll, to the sheriffs of Dorset and Wilts.

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Membrane 20d—cont.

The prior of Stafordale to the sheriff of Somerset.

Master Peter de Baiona, parson of the church of Shapwyk.

The prioress of Kyngton to the sheriff of Wilts.

Brother Benedict, the elect of Abbotesbur[y].

John de Hyneton, parson of the church of ——— [*Incomplete.*]

William de Molis, parson of the church of Maperton, to the sheriff of Somerset.

Nicholas de Bassingburn, parson of the church of Tytecumbe Husee, to the sheriff of Norfolk.

John de Hyneton, parson of the chapel of Stanebrigg, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Richard de Wynton[ia], parson of the church of Penyton, to the sheriff of Southampton.

John de Wynton[ia], parson of the church of Enham, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Laurence de Clifford, parson of the church of Thoresby, to the sheriff of Lincoln.

The said Laurence, parson of the church of Wynterbourne, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Richard Bryan, parson of the church of West Grimsted, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Vacated, because otherwise above.

Stephen de Asshebur[y], parson of the church of Wyly, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Robert de Cliderhowe to the sheriff of Lancaster.

The prior of Bath to the sheriff of Gloucester, Somerset and Southampton.

Peter Maundevill, parson of the church of Chelesbur[y], to the sheriff of Dorset.

Master Richard de Sotwell, canon of St. Mary's church, Salisbury, to the sheriffs of Wilts, Lincoln, Berks, Somerset and Dorset.

William le Deneys, canon of St. Mary's church, Salisbury, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Richard de Roteland, parson of the church of Tarent Hyneton.

The bishop of Salisbury to the sheriffs of Wilts, Oxford and Berks, Southampton, Surrey, Dorset, Middlesex and London.

John de la Ryvere, parson of the church of Allerleye, to the sheriff of Berks.

Brother Geoffrey, master of St. John's hospital, Brugewater, to the sheriffs of Cornwall, Somerset, London and Devon.

The abbot of Athelingnye to the sheriff of Somerset and Dorset.

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Membrane 20d—cont.

The abbes of Godestowe to the sheriffs of Oxford, Berks, Sussex, Northampton, Buckingham, Wilts, Southampton and Gloucester.

Richard Fromund, parson of the church of Thornfagun, to the sheriffs of Gloucester and Somerset.

Thomas de Sancto Johanne, parson of the churches of Bryenston and Chauton, to the sheriffs of Dorset and Southampton.

Master Michael de Wodeford, parson of the church of Long Cheselburne, to the sheriffs of Dorset and Wilts.

William de Braybrok, canon of St. Mary's, Salisbury, to the sheriffs of Dorset, Wilts and Berks.

Robert de Sancto Quintino to the sheriffs of Dorset, Kent and Wilts.

Geoffrey de Pympeleye, parson of the church of St. Mary, Orchiston, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Henry de Kemeseye, warden of St. Mary's house, Southampton, and parson of the church of Dummer, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Stephen de Remmesbury, clerk, to the sheriff of Wilts.

John de Keynesham, parson of the church of Abbodesdon, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Andrew de Lincolnia to the sheriff of Hertford.

John de Exonia to the sheriff of Devon.

Henry de Colingburn, parson of the church of Tolre, to the sheriffs of Wilts and Dorset.

Michael de Godishull, parson of the church of Sutton Walerand, to the sheriff of Dorset.

William Torny, parson of the church of Horton, to the sheriff of Gloucester.

The prioress of Westwode to the sheriff of Worcester.

William de Cotenham, vicar of the church of Croppey, to the sheriff of Oxford.

Osbert de Baggeston, canon of Salisbury, to the sheriff of Wilts, Devon and Cornwall.

William de Taunton, parson of the church of Badekynton, to the sheriff of Warwick.

William de Staunton, vicar of the church of Stepel Lavynton, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Richard de Wynton[ia], parson of the church of Penyton, to the sheriff of Southampton.

John de Wynton[ia], parson of the church at Enham, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Walter de Chilteham, parson of the churches of Ameneye and Whytyn-ton, to the sheriff of Gloucester.

William de Middelton, parson of the church of Bradeleghe near Grymesby, to the sheriffs of Lincoln and Suffolk.

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Membrane 20d—cont.

Aymo de Quarto, provost of Lausanne (*Lausan'*), proctor general of John Judicis, the pope's notary, canon of St. Mary's, Lincoln, to the sheriff of Oxford.

The abbot of Oseneye, to the sheriffs of Oxford and Berks, Buckingham, Northampton, Stafford, Gloucester and in the city of London.

Reymund de Threscun, parson of the church of Chilemark, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Master Richard de Sotwell, canon of St. Mary's, Salisbury, to the sheriff of Gloucester.

Walter de Sancto Austolo, parson of the church of Patyngnam, to the sheriff of Stafford.

Nicholas son of Lambert, canon of St. Mary's, New Sarum, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Nicholas le Engleys, parson of the church of Staunton Abbess and Sideling, to the sheriffs of Wilts and Dorset.

The prior of Merton to the sheriffs of Somerset, Essex, Hertford, Buckingham, Middlesex, Huntingdon, Surrey, Kent, Cornwall, Southampton, Devon, Wilts and London.

Thomas de Ryp-ton, canon of St. Mary's, Salisbury, and parson of the church of St. Mary, Duneheved, to the sheriffs of Wilts, Berks, and London.

Godfrey, bishop of Worcester, to the sheriffs of Worcester, Gloucester, Middlesex, Warwick, Southampton, Wilts and Somerset.

The prior of St. Frideswide's, Oxford, to the sheriffs of Oxford and Berks, Buckingham, Northampton.

John de Trenenedec, parson of the church of St. Clether (*Clederi*), to the sheriff of Cornwall.

The prior of Bradenestok to the sheriff of Wilts, Dorset, Gloucester, Somerset, Northampton, York and Oxford.

Richard de Horton, vicar of the church of Mulleford, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Master William de Kerchehull, parson of the church of Little Kerchehull, to the sheriff of Dorset.

The prioress of Stodleye to the sheriffs of Somerset, Oxford, Warwick and Wilts.

Master Bartholomew de Mere, parson of the church of Funtel Giffard, to the sheriff of Somerset.

The prioress of Garinges to the sheriff of Oxford and Berks.

Henry de Haddon, parson of the church of Lydelinch, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Robert de la Barre, vicar of the church of Elingge, to the sheriff of Southampton.

William de Haddon, parson of the church of Melebury Bubbe, to the sheriff of Dorset.

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Membrane 20d—cont.

Hugh de Wenlok, master of the chapel of La Hidehalle of Clyvedon, to the sheriff of Somerset.

Thomas de Verdun, parson of the church of Farnham and Milham, to the sheriffs of Buckingham, Norfolk, Northampton and Gloucester.

The prior of the St. Bartholomew's hospital, Neubury, to the sheriff of Berks.

Richard le Blund, parson of the church of Tappelawe, to the sheriff of Buckingham.

Bogo son of Bogo de Knovill, parson of the church of Dene, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Reginald, parson of the church of Winterburn Abbots, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Ralph de Torny, parson of the church of Heringeswell, to the sheriff of Suffolk.

The prior of Christ Church, Twynham, to the sheriffs of Southampton and Dorset.

The prioress of Ruesparre to the sheriff of Sussex.

Eustace de Henton, parson of the church of Iuerne Curteney, to the sheriff of Dorset.

The abbot and convent of King's Beaulieu, to the sheriffs of Southampton, Berks, Cornwall and Norfolk.

Peter Poleyn, parson of the church of Gussich St. Michael, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Robert de Cotehegh, parson of the church of Werdeford, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Master William de Ewell, parson of the church of Berkyng, to the sheriff of Surrey.

William le Peilere, clerk, proctor-general in England of Master Louis de Bello Monte, treasurer of St. Mary's, Salisbury, and canon of Wells, to the sheriff of Wilts and Somerset.

Hugelin de Lavanna, canon of St. Mary's, Salisbury, to the sheriff of Gloucester.

Master William de Appirle, parson of the church of Est Brightwell, to the sheriffs of Warwick, Gloucester, Oxford and Berkshire.

The abbot of Dorchester (*Dorkeestr'*), to the sheriff of Oxford and Berks.
By the testimony of John Lovel.

William de Preston, vicar of St. Mary's, Cettre, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Nicholas, vicar of the church of Chiriton, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Richard, vicar of the church of Domerham, to the sheriff of Wilts.

The abbot of Quarr (*Quareria*), to the sheriff of Southampton.

Thomas de Verdun, parson of the churches of Farnham and Milham, to the sheriff of Wilts.

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Membrane 20d—cont.

The prior of Noketon Park, to the sheriff of Lincoln.

John, vicar of the church of Gotesdon, to the sheriff of Oxford.

Henry de Esshe, canon of the church of St. Mary's, Salisbury, to the sheriffs of Devon and Gloucester.

Richard Pax, parson of the church of Bledon, to the sheriff of Somerset.
By the bill of Alan Plugenet.

Master John de Ibestok, parson of the church of Newechirche, to the sheriff of Leicester.

The prior of Repindon, to the sheriffs of Nottingham and Derby, Essex and Huntingdon.

The abbot of Bynedon, to the sheriff of Dorset.

William Coterel, parson of the church of St. John the Baptist, Seint-lyngg, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Master Henry de Wodestok, parson of the church of Bottelegh, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Roger, parson of the church of St. Michael, Southampton, to the sheriff of Southampton.

William, parson of the church of Holy Cross, Southampton, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Brunus de Monte Revelli, parson of the church of Sheperton, to the sheriff of Middlesex.

John de Insula, parson of the church of Arreton, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Ralph de Oxonia, parson of the church of Fymemere (*sic*).
By the testimony of John Lovel, sheriff of Norfolk.

Nicholas de Bluntesdon, parson of the church of Chakynden, to the sheriff of Oxford.
By the testimony of J. Lovel.

William, vicar of the church of St. Peter's in the East (*in le Est*), Oxford, to the sheriff of Oxford.
By the testimony of J. Lovel.

Richard de Lyouns, parson of the church of Bekbrok, to the sheriff of Oxford.
By the testimony of J. Lovel.

Ralph de Oxonia, parson of the church of Fynnemere, to the sheriffs of Oxford and Stafford.
By the testimony of J. Lovel.

William, parson of the church of St. Ebbe (*Hebbe*), Oxford, to the sheriff of Oxford.
By the testimony of J. Lovel.

Reginald, parson of the church of Anne Abbot's, to the sheriff of Southampton.
By the roll of Recognitions.

The prioress of Wynteneye to the sheriff of Southampton.
By the testimony of Henry Tyeis.

John, parson of the church of Stur' Prewes, to the sheriff of Dorset.

William de Babeton, parson of the church of Selton, to the sheriff of Dorset.

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Membrane 20d—cont.

Master Philip de Cornubia, archdeacon of Winchester, to the sheriff of Warwick and Reginald de Grey. By the roll of Recognitions.

Bernard, parson of the church of Holy Cross in Cornwall, to the sheriff of Cornwall.

Henry de Preselond, parson of the church of Wynefeld, to the sheriff of Southampton.

William de Batesford, parson of the church of Lokeston, to the sheriffs Somerset and London. By the testimony of A. Plug[enet].

Malcolm de Harleye, to the sheriffs of London, Hereford and Worcester.

William de Middleton, sacristan of the church of Wymburn Menstre, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Simon, parson of the church of Baggewrth, to the sheriff of Somerset.

Walter de Wyntonia, parson of the chapel of Staundon, to the sheriff of Southampton.

The abbot and convent of Donekeswelle, to the sheriff of Devon.

Walter de Sancto Licio, vicar of the church of Arreton, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Henry de Moy, parson of the church of Blandford Forum, to the sheriff of Dorset.

William de Puntynghon, parson of the church of Hardington, to the sheriff of Somerset. By the bill of Alan de Plogenet.

Thomas de Norring, parson of the chapel of Wyntreburn Thomaston, to the sheriff of Dorset. By the roll of Recognitions.

William, parson of the church of Langerichel (*sic*), to the sheriff of Dorset. By the testimony of Alan Plug[enet].

Peter de Bruges, parson of the churches of Lanpeter in Wales and of St. Bride, Netherwent, to the sheriff of Somerset.

Brother John de Birne, prior of the cell of St. Mary Magdalene without Lincoln, to the sheriff of Lincoln.

Thomas de Corf, parson of the church of St. Peter's, Shaftesbury, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Robert de Rympton, parson of the church of Long Blanford, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Richard, vicar of the church of Nethrewollop, to the sheriff of Southampton.

Robert de Sancto Nicholao, parson of the church of Estocker, to the sheriff of Dorset.

MEMBRANE 19d.

March 4. To the sheriff of Somerset and Dorset. Order to restore to the prior of Montacute, an alien, all his lay fees, which the sheriff took into the king's hands by virtue of his order to take into his hands all the lay fees of clerks, and to restore to the prior the goods and chattels found therein.
Clarendon.

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as the king lately caused all his lands, goods and chattels to be restored to him by a writ of the exchequer, to be held during the king's will, rendering therefor a certain sum of money yearly to the exchequer in accordance with an ordinance made in the exchequer.

The like for other aliens as follows to the sheriffs mentioned below:

The said prior, to the sheriff of Devon.*

†The abbot of Forde, to the sheriff of Dorset.

Philip de Vasto Prato, parson of the church of Westdevelihs, to the sheriffs of Southampton and Somerset.

Jordan de Insula, parson of the church of Wryngton, to the sheriffs of Devon and Southampton. By bill of Alan Plug[enet].

The prior of Fakenhamdam to the sheriff of Norfolk.

By the testimony of Robert de Tateshale.

Master Bartholomew de Mere, parson of the church of Funtel Giffard.

Master Robert de Crast, parson of the churches of Bedeworth and Eilmerthorp, to the sheriffs of Warwick and Leicester.

By the testimony of J. de Segrave.

Henry, parson of the church of Wasinges, to the sheriff of Berks.

By the testimony of John Lovel.

Gerard de Wyspeyns, canon of the church of St. Chad, Lichfield, to the sheriff of Stafford.

The said Gerard, parson of the church of Creystok, to the sheriff of Cumberland.

William de Estaniaco, archdeacon of Lincoln, to the sheriff of Lincoln.

The said William, parson of the church of Grenestede, to the sheriff of Surrey.

The abbot of Torre, to the sheriff of Somerset and Devon.

By the testimony of Gilbert de Knovill, sheriff of Devon.

The abbot of Nyweham, to the sheriff of Cornwall and Devon.

Robert Saleman, parson of the church of Yatebury, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Robert de Berewyk, vicar of the church of Henton, to the sheriff of Wilts.

Richard de Hertrigge, parson of the church of Suthmorton, to the sheriff of Berks. By the testimony of J. Lovel.

William de Berewyk, parson of the church of Calvedon Harang', to the sheriff of Dorset.

John de Sheffield, sheriff of Norfolk.

The abbess of Canonlegh, to the sheriffs of Dorset and Devon.

By the testimony of G. de Knovill and [to?] the sheriffs of Suffolk and Essex.

The prior of St. Nicholas, Exeter, to the sheriff of Devon.

MEMBRANE 18d.

Enrolment of letter from the king to B[oniface], the pope, dated at Shireburn, 28 March, requesting the pope's favour on behalf of Theobald de Barro, canon of Rheims, who has been elected bishop of Metz by part

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† The following list seems to be a continuation of that on the preceding Membrane.

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of the chapter of that church, the other part choosing Frederick (*Fredelicus*), bishop of Orleans, as the king is much bound to Theobald by reason of the affinity between the king and Theobald's brother Henry, count of Barre, the husband of the king's eldest daughter, and the count would derive great convenience and honour from the promotion of his brother. [*Piedera; Prymne, Records, iii, p. 771.*]

Enrolment of letter from the king of the same date to G. bishop of Sabina, cardinal of the Roman church, requesting his intervention with the pope in this matter.

The like to the following cardinals :

Sir M. cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Porticu.

Sir P. cardinal deacon of St. Eustace.

Sir M. bishop of Porto.

Sir J. cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Via Lata.

Sir J. bishop of Winchester.

Enrolment of letter from the king to Guy, count of Flanders and marquis of Namur, setting out that whereas Peter de Artikelunge Otony of Bayonne, master of the ship '*Seint Piere*' of that town, lately passed by sea, after the alliance made between the king and the count, with his said ship laden with divers merchandise on a voyage to Gascony by the king's order, certain men of Spain with ships coming from Flanders attacked him, slew a great part of his men, and took and carried away by force the ship with the goods and merchandise within her, to the great damage of Peter and the king's other men to whom the goods and merchandise pertained, and contrary to the form of the truce that the king had previously granted at the count's request between the king and those of Spain, and contrary to the prohibition (*deffense*) that the count himself had made to them in this behalf before they left his power, as the king understands. As the king is bound to save Peter from damage and to make amends to him and to others for what they have lost as is aforesaid, and as this deed was done contrary to the count's prohibition and to the truce aforesaid granted by the king at the count's prayer, the king specially prays the count for Peter and the others aforesaid to cause restitution and amends to be made to them from the goods of those of Spain which are arrested in his land, in the best manner that he can and as quickly as possible. The king prays him to do so much in this matter for his love that he may praise him and that the king's said men may hold themselves satisfied in reason with what the count shall do for them. The king has received such sufficient proof in this matter that he is satisfied as to it, and he would not have undertaken it if he had not held that the proof was so good, more especially as it concerns him in so much that he is bound to save them from damage. Dated at Forde, 1 April. *French.*

April 5.
Exeter.

William le Puleter came before the king, on Friday after St. Ambrose last, and sought to replevy the land of Thomas le Bakere and Maud, his wife, in Chippeham, which was taken into the king's hands for their default in the court of Edmund Gocelyn at Chippeham against Henry Payn and Isabel, his wife. This is signified to the bailiffs.

April 18.
Plympton.

The king requested Juliana de Wyleton to respite the demand upon John de Mohun, who is staying in Gascony by his order, for a suit at her court at Gidesham for so long as he shall be in the king's service, and to release to him any distraint that she may have levied in this behalf.

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Membrane 18d—cont.

March 18.
Christchurch
Twineham.

To Peter Malore and Henry de Gildeford. Although the king lately appointed them to hear the complaints that his people of West Wales and any one of them shall make against the bailiffs of the king and those of the barons and magnates in those parts, and also against the barons and magnates, and to determine such of them as they could, and to hear and examine the others that they were unable to determine, which were to be referred to the king in his next parliament, as contained in the king's letters patent to them; the king nevertheless orders them, as he ordered them at another time, to hear complaints concerning the king's bailiffs, ministers, men and immediate tenants only by authority of the said letters, and not complaints concerning others, until otherwise ordered.

William le Puleter came before the king on Saturday in Easter week last, and sought to replevy to Thomas le Bakere and Maud, his wife, their land in Chippeham, which was taken into the king's hands for the king's default in the court of Edmund Gacelyn at Chippeham against Henry Payn and Isabel, his wife. This is signified to Edmund's bailiffs.

April 24.
Plympton.

To the bailiffs of Aulton. Notification that Henry le Porter came before the king, on Wednesday the morrow of St. George the Martyr last, and sought to replevy to Joan, late the wife of William de Moneye, her land in Aulton, which was taken into the king's hands for her default in the court of Aulton against Nicholas son of Nicholas atte Mulle.

Master John Baret, parson of the church of Bysshoppestre, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Wilts.

April 27.
Plympton.

To Stephen de Penecestre, warden of the Cinque Ports, or to him who supplies his place. Whereas the king, by reason of certain arduous affairs touching him and all his subjects of his realm, ordered the barons and men of those ports to have all the service due from them to him of themselves and their ships before him at Wynchelse on the morrow of Midsummer next, ready and well found (*munition*) to set out to such place as the king should then order, so that the said affairs should not be delayed for lack of their service, and he also requested and ordered them to have in like manner, in addition to their service aforesaid, all the other ships of those ports of the burthen of forty tuns of wine and upwards before the king at the said place, willing and granting that the coming of the said ships beyond their service should not be drawn into a precedent hereafter: the king orders the warden to go in person to all the ports aforesaid and to each member thereof, and to enjoin upon the barons and men thereof to have their said service and all the ships aforesaid before the king at the day and place aforesaid, to set out as above. The warden is enjoined to conduct himself so in the speedy execution of this order that the king may rightly commend his diligence and circumspection, and so that the king's affairs aforesaid may not be delayed in any way by his default. It is not the king's intention, and he does not wish it to be the warden's (*vestre*) intention, that any ship loaded by the king or by any merchants to go to Gascony shall not (*sic*) be arrested or in any way hindered from going to Gascony; but the owners of such ships shall be warned and specially charged on the king's behalf to cause their ships to come to the said day and place if they return in time; if they do not return in time, the owners shall cause them to come thither as speedily as possible.

The like to William de Leyburne, captain of the king's mariners.

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Membrane 18d—cont.

To John Boteturte, sub-captain of the mariners of Yarmouth and of certain other towns and places of the realm. Order to cause all bailiffs and men of the ports, towns, and places where there is any arrival of ships in his bailiwick, to cause all their ships of the burthen aforesaid and upwards to come as above.

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April 27.
Plympton.

To the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk. Order to go in person, immediately upon sight of this order, to each and every port, town, and other place where there is any arrival of ships in his bailiwick, and to enjoin the bailiffs and men thereof to have their ships as aforesaid before the king at the said day and place, with the clauses regarding the sheriff's conduct in executing this order and regarding ships loaded for Gascony as in the preceding order to the warden of the Cinque Ports.

The like to the following :

Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester.

John de Havering, justice of North Wales.

Walter de Pederton, supplying the place of Robert Tybetot, justice in West Wales.

The sheriffs of Cumberland, Northumberland, York, Lincoln, London, Cambridge and Huntingdon, Norfolk and Suffolk, Essex, Kent, Sussex, Southampton, Dorset and Somerset, Devon, Cornwall, Gloucester, Hereford, Lancaster.

To the barons and men of the port of Hastings. Order to have all their service due to the king of themselves and their ships at Wynchelse on the aforesaid day, as above, so that the king's affairs aforesaid shall not be delayed in their default. The king requests and orders them to send thither at that date, in addition to their service aforesaid, all other ships of that port of the burthen of forty tons and upwards. He wills and grants that the coming of these ships beyond their service shall not be drawn into a precedent hereafter.

The like to the barons and men of the following :

Faversham.

Hastings.

Sandwich.

Romenhale.

Hethe.

Dover.

Wynchelse.

La Rye.

To the bailiffs and men of Yarmouth. Request and order to have all ships of that port of the burthen of forty tuns of wine and upwards before the king at Wynch[else] on the day aforesaid, as above. As the king considers these affairs as of the greatest and most arduous that he has had to deal with in any times past, they are enjoined not to omit in any way, as they love the honour and profit of the king and of themselves and of the whole realm, and as the king fully confides in them, to have all the aforesaid ships before him at the said day and place ; with clause as above that this shall not be drawn into a precedent.

The like to the following :

The mayor and bailiffs of Southampton.

The mayor and bailiffs of Portesmue.

The bailiffs of Shorham.

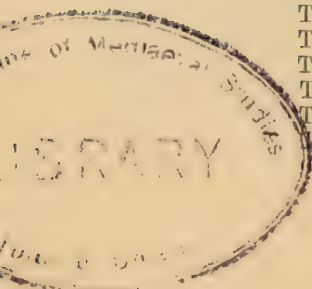
The bailiffs of Little Jernemue.

The bailiffs of Dunwich.

The bailiffs of Ipswich.

The bailiffs of Shefholt.

The bailiffs of Pevense.



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The mayor and bailiffs of Bristol.
 The bailiffs of Harwich.
 The bailiffs of Oreford.
 The bailiffs of Goseford.
 The bailiffs of Maldon.
 The bailiffs of Great Jarnemuth.
 The bailiffs of La Pole.
 The bailiffs of the Isle of Wight.
 The bailiffs of Hardelawe.
 The bailiffs of Flynt.
 The bailiffs of Holmcoltran.
 The bailiffs of St. Bee's (*Bega*).
 The bailiffs of Wyrkyngton.
 The bailiffs of Ravenglas.
 The bailiffs of Falemue.
 The bailiffs of Mount St. Michael, Cornwall.
 The bailiffs of Mousehole.
 The bailiffs of St. Crantock (*Sancti Karantoci*).
 The bailiffs of Oldestowe.
 The bailiffs of Clovelly (*Cloveby*).
 The bailiffs of Blakeneye.
 The bailiffs of Shippedenemere.
 The bailiffs of Welles and Holkeham.
 The bailiffs of Brunham.
 The bailiffs of Thornham.
 The bailiffs of Lenn.
 The bailiffs of Boston.
 The bailiffs of Salteneye.
 The bailiffs of Saltfleteby.
 The bailiffs of Weynflet.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Grymesby.
 The bailiffs of Kyngeston-on-Hull.
 The bailiffs of Ravensere.
 The bailiffs of Scardeburgh.
 The bailiffs of Bamburgh.
 The bailiffs of Tynemouth.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne.
 The bailiffs of Whyteby.
 The bailiffs of Lancaster.
 The bailiffs of Cokermue.
 The abbot and bailiffs of Furneys.
 The bailiffs of Kertmel.
 The bailiffs of Lyvrepol.
 The bailiffs of Fordesham.
 The bailiffs of the priory of St. Helen in the Isle of Wight.
 The bailiffs of Neuport in the Isle of Wight.
 The bailiffs of Towemuth.
 The bailiffs of Ilfardecombe.
 The bailiffs of Cumbemartyn.
 The bailiffs of Dunsterre.
 The bailiffs of Glamorgan.
 The bailiffs of Strugoyl.
 The bailiffs of Usk.
 The bailiffs of Goer.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Lym.
 The bailiffs of Landstephan.

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The bailiffs of Talthan.
 The bailiffs of Haverford.
 The bailiffs of Penbrok.
 The bailiffs of Sencher.
 The bailiffs of Kameys.
 The bailiffs of Calgaran.
 The bailiffs of Kermerdyn.
 The bailiffs of Kardygán.
 The bailiffs of Angleseye.
 The bailiffs of Rothelan.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Chester.
 The bailiffs of Aberconeweye.
 The bailiffs of Lampader.
 The bailiffs of Sweyneseye.
 The bailiffs of Karnarvan.
 The bailiffs of Kedewelly.
 The bailiffs of Muleford.
 The bailiffs of Lym.
 The bailiffs of Oterimouth.
 The bailiffs of Exemue, with the ports of Luleham, Kyen and
 Toppesham.
 The bailiffs of Sidemouth.
 The bailiffs of Teygnemue.
 The bailiffs of Dertemue, with the port of Tottonye.
 The bailiffs of Porlemue.
 The bailiffs of Yalmmue under Nyweton Ferrers.
 The bailiffs of Plymmue, with the port of Sutton.
 The bailiffs of the port of Lo.
 The bailiffs of Fawy.
 The bailiffs of Briggewauter.
 The bailiffs of Weymouth.
 The bailiffs of Hertelpol.
 The bailiffs of Seford.
 The bailiffs of Lemynton.
 The bailiffs of Hamele.
 The bailiffs of Tychefeld.

May 1.
 Newton
 Ferrers.

To John de Foxleye. Order to cause to be restored to the abbot of Middleton his wool and hides, which were lately carried by him to Shirburn, in accordance with the proclamation that the king by his writ caused the sheriff of Dorset to make, ordering all persons having wool or salted hides to prepare them for sale in due manner and then to cause them to be carried to Shirburn by the day of the Close of Easter last, and which were afterwards arrested there, by virtue of the king's writ to the sheriff and his bailiffs of that county to cause such wool and hides to be arrested for his use, as the king wishes to show favour to the abbot, provided that he had the king's protection before the day aforesaid, and on condition that the abbot shall sell the wool and hides within the term contained in the said writ, after payment of the custom thereon to the king. If the wool and hides be not sold within the term aforesaid, they shall remain to the king at a reasonable price by indenture to be made between John and the sheriff, on the one part, and the abbot on the other. The king will provide in his next parliament at London for such terms of payment therefor as should satisfy the abbot.

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MEMBRANE 16*d*.May 4.
Plympton.

To Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster. Order and request to provide himself with horses and arms without delay, so that he shall be ready to come to the king and accompany him for the defence of the realm whenever ordered, as the king will need him and others of his subjects of Ireland shortly by reason of the present war between him and the king of France. The king wishes him to know that he proposes to retain him by his side and not to send him anywhere from him, for which reason it seems to him that the earl ought to be more inclined and ready to come to him and to go with him in the service aforesaid. He is desired to give credence to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, concerning this matter, as the king has sent his will in this matter to the justiciary to be communicated by him by word of mouth to the earl, who is desired to fulfil and execute what the justiciary shall tell him and to send the king his answer concerning the things thus to be communicated to him. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to thirty others. [*Ibid.*]

Thomas de Polmorva came before the king, on Saturday the morrow of the Invention of the Holy Cross, and sought to replevy his and his wife Joan's land in Pengelly, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Thomas le Clerk of Penros. This is signified to the justices.

May 8.
Sutton.

To the justices of the Bench. Order to adjourn all pleas before them concerning Hugh Bardolf, who is staying in Gascony in the king's service, from day to day until Michaelmas next, so that he may in the meantime appoint and send to England attorneys in all pleas moved for or against him in any courts in England, as Godfrey de Acre and William de Tudenham, whom he attorned in his place in such suits, are dead.

May 1.
Newton
Ferrers.

To John de Foxleye. Order to restore to Ralph de Gorges, who was lately captured in Gascony in the king's service by the men of the king of France and who is now detained in the said king's prison, his wool and hides, which were lately carried to Bristol, in accordance with the proclamation that the king by his writ caused the sheriff of Somerset to make, ordering all persons having wool and salted hides to cause them to be prepared for sale in due manner and to be carried to Bristol by the day of the Close of Easter last, and which were afterwards arrested there by virtue of the king's writ to Robert de Middleton, his late clerk appointed for this purpose, now deceased, in whose place the king appointed the said John by writ of the exchequer, to cause such wool and hides to be arrested for his use by the sheriff and bailiffs of that county. He is also ordered to cause any other wool and hides belonging to Ralph in that county that has not yet been carried to Bristol and has been taken into the king's hands in consequence as forfeited, to be restored to Ralph and his attorneys for his use, in order that he may make his profit thereof, although he may have incurred forfeiture and the other pains contained in the said writ. It is provided that the wool and hides shall be sold within the term contained in the writ and shall be taken out of the realm, after payment of the custom thereon due to the king: otherwise they shall remain to the king by a reasonable price by an indenture to be made between John and the sheriff, on the one part, and Ralph's attorneys on the other. The king in his next parliament at London will provide such terms of payment therefor as should satisfy Ralph.

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May 14.
Lyme.

The like letters in favour of the prior of Wytttenham, of the Carthusian order, for his wool and hides carried to Bristol, for certain secret reasons, of the king's special grace, directed to William de Harden without the clause providing for the sale thereof within a certain time.

May 1.
Newton
Ferrers,

To Lambert de Trykyngham. Like order in favour of the said Ralph de Gorges, in the same terms as the one above in his favour, for his wool and hides carried to Northampton in accordance with the proclamation made by the sheriff of Northampton and arrested for the king's use for certain reasons continued in a writ directed to Lambert.

The like in Ralph's favour addressed to Henry Spigurnel for his wool and hides carried to Southampton.

The like to Adam de Crokedayk for wool carried to Newcastle-on-Tyne for Isabel, late the wife of John de Vescy, who was in Brabant at the time of the proclamation with Margaret, duchess of Brabant, the king's daughter.

The like in her favour to the following :

John de Lythegr[eins], for her wool carried to York.

Richard Oysel, for her wool in co. York carried to Kyngeston-on-Hull.

Hervey de Staundon, for her wool in co. Kent carried to Sandwich.

Hugh de Cave, for her wool in co. Lincoln carried to Boston.

William Haward, for her wool carried to Lincoln.

The like for the executors of the will of Edmund, the king's late brother, to the following :

Richard Oysel, for wool in co. York carried to Kyngeston-on-Hull.

John de Lythegr[eins], for wool in co. York carried to York.

Henry Spigurnel, for wool in co. Wilts carried to Southampton.

Humphrey de Waledene, for wool in co. Stafford carried to Stafford.

May 15.
Loders.

The like to John de Foxleye for Richard de Bosco, staying in Gascony in the king's service, for wool carried to Shirburn, co. Dorset.

May 24.
Portsmouth.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. John de Penynton, merchant of Andevre, has shown the king that whereas he lately delivered eight sacks of wool to the keepers of the king's new custom at Southampton by way of pledge for 47*l.* 3*s.* 2*d.* to be paid to them at Whitsuntide next, for the custom due from him for the wool taken by him from the port of Southampton to Flanders, Simon de Grenhull, whom the king lately appointed to arrest wool and hides in that county, took the said eight sacks for the king's use, as if they were then in the said merchant's hands, by reason of the king's order to him to take into the king's hands wool found in that county on the day of the Close of Easter. As it was not and is not the king's will that wool delivered there or elsewhere for the custom aforesaid shall be taken into his hands before the terms of payment have arrived, he orders the treasurer and barons to cause the eight sacks to be restored to the merchant, if they satisfy themselves that he thus delivered them for the custom, and that the term of payment has not yet arrived, upon payment of the custom.

The like to the treasurer and barons for Thomas Selide, merchant of Andevre, for six sacks of wool delivered to the keepers as pledge at Southampton for 37*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

The like to the same for John de Sherley, merchant of Southampton, for 20 sacks delivered to the keepers at Southampton for 50*l.*

The like to the same for James de Neubury, merchant of Winchester, for eight sacks at Winchester delivered for 20*l.*

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May 5.
Plympton.

To the sheriff of York. As it is not yet clear to the king when he will need his subjects of the realm by reason of the war between him and the king of France, and something might happen through the wiles of his enemies that might be full of damage and perilous to him and his subjects and all his realm, unless he and they be better and more speedily prepared; the king, reflecting that this matter is so great and so touches in common all and singular of the realm that it cannot be deferred to any one in this matter, orders the sheriff, immediately upon sight of these letters, to signify to all persons of his bailiwick who have 20*l.* yearly of land and upwards, both those who hold of the king in chief and those who do not, that they shall provide themselves with horses and arms and shall prepare themselves without delay, so that they shall be ready to come to the king and to accompany his person for the defence of them and of the whole realm whenever ordered. The sheriff is enjoined to execute this order so circumspectly and speedily that the king ought to commend his circumspection, and so that none of the said men of his bailiwick shall remain without coming to the king as aforesaid for lack of summons. [*Fiedera; Parl. Writs.*]

The like to Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, and to the sheriffs of thirty-six counties. [*Ibid.*]

May 4.
Plympton.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Forasmuch as the king expects (*entendoms*) to need shortly his good men for the war with the king of France, for which reason he prays and requests the earl of Ulster and John le fiz Thomas and his other good men of Ireland by his letters, which he sends to the justiciary for delivery to them, to provide themselves without delay with horses and arms, so that they shall be ready to come to the king in England, to set out with his person for the defence of the realm at such time as he shall order them, and to give credence to those things that the justiciary shall tell them concerning this matter on the king's behalf: the king orders the justiciary to cause the said letters to be delivered speedily to those to whom they are directed, and to employ all possible pains and diligence with them and with others of that land to obtain in good manner that they shall prepare themselves and come to the king as is aforesaid, so that the king may have from that land four hundred men on barded (*covertz*) horses at his order aforesaid. The justiciary shall make known to them that the king does not intend to send them from him in any way, but that they shall be with him, for which reason they ought to be the more inclined to come and go with him in the form aforesaid when they see that he is going in his own person. The justiciary is enjoined to apply all diligence that the day that is between the earl and John concerning the disputes between them shall be postponed as long as possible by the same surety on both sides, or better if he is able, in the same manner as at present. He shall take care that the men who shall come to the king shall be well mounted and attired, for the king has ordained to take so few from them in order that those who come to him shall be well attired and well mounted and that the land after their departure shall remain well guarded. The king orders the justiciary to stay there and not to depart thence in any way by reason of this order or for anything else, until he shall have special order from the king himself. In addition the king orders him to certify him by the bearer of this letter of the number of the ships loaded in those parts with corn of the king's provision to go into Gascony, and at which places and where they are to discharge, and of the numbers of quarters of each kind of corn, and whether the ships have all gone or only part of them. He shall certify the king by his letters and by the bearer hereof of his pro-

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ceedings in these matters as speedily as he can, and of the condition of the land of Ireland, and of all other things that he shall deem fit. The king sends him his open general letters to those to whom he does not write by name, so that the justiciary may the better and more speedily obtain that they shall come to the king and go with him, as above. *French.* [*Parl. Writs.*]

To the same, and to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to cause all the ships that are now loaded with corn in Ireland by the king's order for despatch to Gascony and the corn ordained by the king to be sent thither from that country that is now ready for loading but has not yet been carried to the port, to be carried without delay to the ports and to cause the ships to be loaded therewith without delay, and to send each ship into Gascony when loaded as speedily as possible. They are not to provide any further corn or other victuals for Gascony without special order from the king, but they are ordered to cause money to be raised and collected from the corn and issues of that land and from other things whatsoever whence money can be derived, as shall seem best to them for the king's benefit, and to cause such money to be deposited in Dublin castle and safely guarded until the king shall send for it. This they are enjoined not to omit as they love the king's honour and profit and as the king trusts in them, certifying him in writing of their proceedings, together with the state of that land, by the bearer of these presents.

May 13.
Honiton
(Honyngton).

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. At the request of Master Thomas Cantok, chancellor of Ireland, the king orders them to prefer John de Seleby, the bearer of the presents, in committing the office of the ushery of the exchequer, which is void by the death of Walter de Scaccario, if John be suitable for it.

May 12.
Clist
(Clyst
Episcopi).

To John de Havering', justice of North Wales. Whereas the king appointed him by his letters patent to receive recognisances from prelates and other ecclesiastical persons in his bailiwick who wished to have the king's peace, according to the form then delivered to John by the king, which letters endured until Easter last and no longer, and the king afterwards caused the power to receive such recognisances to be extended for three weeks following: the king orders the justice to receive the recognisances of all ecclesiastical persons of his bailiwick who he shall ascertain offered themselves to make such recognisances within the said three weeks. The king wills that the justice shall not receive until otherwise ordered any recognisances from other ecclesiastical persons who did not offer themselves within the said term.

May 12.
Clist.

To Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent. Order to go in person to Exeter to the mill that the mayor and community of that city have newly erected over the course of the water in the suburbs of the city going to the mills of Hugh de Curtenaye, to the injury of the mills and the disinheritance of Hugh, whose inheritance is in the king's hands by reason of his minority, and if he find that the mill has been erected as is aforesaid, to cause to be demolished what he shall find to have been erected during the time of the wardship to the injury of the mills and the disinheritance of Hugh and to the king's prejudice, as the king is bound to render to heirs in his wardship when they come of age the lands of their inheritance as fully as they come to his hands by the death of their ancestors.

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Dorchester.

To Edmund de Mortuo Mari. The king has received divers complaints from the community of Welshmen of Melenith, Edmund's men and tenants, setting out that he grievously disquiets and molests them by imprisonment of their bodies and the taking and carrying away of their goods and chattels and by various ransoms, wilfully and without reasonable cause, contrary to justice and contrary to the law and custom of those parts, so that they are now so impoverished that they have little or nothing to live upon, as they assert; and the king, compassionating their estate, has given them day before him in parliament at London in the octaves of Holy Trinity to show their complaints there before him and his council: he therefore orders Edmund to be present in person on that day to answer to the said Welshmen for the aforesaid grievances and other things that they will object against him, and to do and receive what the court shall consider in the premises. He is ordered not to aggrieve or molest them in any way in the meantime in their persons or goods by reason of the complaints aforesaid or for any other reasons.

May 21.
St. Denys.

To Simon de Grenhull. Henry de Lym, merchant of Salisbury, has shown the king that whereas he lately delivered five sacks of wool to the keeper of the king's new custom at Southampton, as a pledge for 17*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to be paid to them at Whitsuntide next, for custom due from him upon wool taken by him from the port of Southampton to Flanders, the said Simon took the said five sacks for the king's use as if they had been in the merchant's hands, by virtue of the king's order to him to take into the king's hands wool found in co. Southampton on the day of the close of Easter last. As it was not and is not the king's intention that wool thus delivered there or elsewhere within the realm for custom whereof the term of payment has not yet arrived shall be taken into his hands before the terms, he orders Simon, if he satisfy himself that the merchant delivered the sacks to the keepers in form aforesaid and that the term of payment has not yet arrived, to cause the five sacks to be restored to the merchant upon payment of the custom, unless there be a reasonable cause why they ought not to be delivered to him, in which case he shall certify the king of the cause under his seal.

Enrolment of letters patent (*overtes*) to Ralph Saunz Aver, knight, notifying that he did homage and fealty to his lord, Sir Henry de Percy, on Friday after St. Dunstan, 25 Edward, in God's House at Portsmouth, in the presence of Sir John de Langeton, the chancellor, Sir Hugh de Cressingham, treasurer of Scotland, and Sir William de Hamelton, for the manor of Bygenevre with appurtenances, co. Sussex, which Ralph claims to hold of him; which homage and fealty Henry received from him, saving the right of others. Dated at Portsmouth, on the said day.

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Newton
Ferrers.

To Harsculph de Cleseby. Order to restore to the prior of St. Mary's, Carlisle, his wools and hides, which were lately carried by him to Carlisle, in accordance with proclamation that the king by his writ caused the sheriff of Cumberland to make, ordering all persons having wool or salted hides to prepare them for sale in due manner, and then to cause them to be carried to Carlisle by the day of the Close of Easter last, and which were afterwards arrested there by the sheriff and his bailiffs of that county by virtue of the king's writ to Harsculph to cause such wool and hides to be arrested for his use, as the king wishes to show favour to the

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prior, provided that he had the king's protection before the day aforesaid, and on condition that the prior shall sell the wool and hides within the term contained in the writ aforesaid, after payment of the custom thereon due to the king. If the wool and hides be not sold within the term aforesaid, they shall remain to the king at a reasonable price by indenture to be made between Harsculph and the sheriff, on the one part, and the abbot on the other. The king will provide in his next parliament at London for such terms of payment therefor as should satisfy the prior.

The like to the following :

Henry de Meynill for the bishop of Carlisle, for his wool in co. Westmoreland carried to Appelby.

Adam de Crokedayk for the said bishop, for his wool in co. Northumberland carried to Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Hasculph de Cleseby for the abbot of Holmcoltran, for his wool in co. Cumberland carried to Carlisle.

The same for the said prior of Carlisle for his wool in the same county carried to Carlisle.

The same for the bishop of Carlisle for his wool carried to Carlisle.

John de Lythegr[eins] for Hugh de Walecote, parson of the church of Wendesle, for his wool carried to York.

John de Foxele for the abbot of Shirburn, for his wool carried to Shirburn.

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Loders.

John de Foxele for the prior of Frumpton, for his wool in co. Dorset carried to Shireburn.

John de Kirkeby for Thomas de Shefeling of Sandwich, for his wool in co. Norfolk carried to Yarmouth.

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May 24.
Portsmouth.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to certify the king on Sunday after the octaves of St. John the Baptist next of the names of those of his bailiwick enjoined by him to be with the king at London on the said day with horses and arms, in execution of the king's late order (*of 15 May, as at p. 112, below*).

Vacated, because otherwise below.

The like to Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, and to all the sheriffs of England.

Vacated, as above.

To Reginald de Grey, justice [of Chester]. Order to give credence to what John de Havering, justice of North Wales, and William de Cytons, constable of Aberconeweyc castle, shall tell him on the king's behalf, as the king has enjoined upon them certain things that specially concern him concerning his passage to parts beyond sea to be communicated by them to Reginald, who is enjoined to cause what they shall thus tell him to be done as they shall require, in such manner that he may merit the king's commendation for his faithfulness and diligence.

The like to William de la Pole and John de Borham.

May 27.
Arundel.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Thomas Shelyvng, merchant of Sandwich, has shown the king that whereas he lately delivered five sacks of wool to the keepers of the king's new custom at Yarmouth as pledge for the custom due upon other wool of his taken into Flanders, which was to be paid to the keepers at Whitsuntide next, John

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de Sancto Ivone, whom the king lately appointed to take wool and hides in co. Norfolk into his hands, took the aforesaid five sacks into the king's hands by virtue of the king's order to him to take into his hands wool found within that county on the day of the Close of Easter, as if the sacks were then in the hands of the said merchant. As it was not and is not the king's intention that wool thus delivered there or elsewhere within the realm for custom whereof the term of payment has not yet arrived shall be taken into his hands before the terms, he orders the treasurer and barons, if they satisfy themselves that the merchant delivered the five sacks to the keepers in form aforesaid and that the term of payment has not yet arrived, to cause the five sacks to be restored to the merchant upon payment of the custom.

To the same. Whereas the king learns from certain barons and men of the Cinque Ports that Hervey de Stainton (*sic*), whom he lately appointed to take into his hands wool and hides in co. Kent, took into the king's hands, on Saturday the eve of the Close of Easter, their wool in the port of Sandwich that they had ready to be sent, in accordance with the form of the king's proclamation, to Flanders, contrary to the form of the king's order to him; whereupon the king ordered Hervey to cause the said wool to be restored to the owners, on condition that they should cause it to be sent to parts beyond sea within the term contained in the said order, upon payment of the custom due to the king thereon; and Hervey did not take steps to execute this order, in contempt of the king's order and to the loss of the barons and men. As the king does not wish that the barons should be injured, he orders the treasurer and barons to cause the said wool to be restored to those of the Cinque Ports to whom it belongs, if they satisfy themselves that it was found within the said port on the said day and was then taken into the king's hands by Hervey, on condition that the owners shall cause it to be carried to parts beyond sea before Holy Trinity next, upon payment of the custom thereon due to the king, and to send Hervey to the king without delay to answer to him why he did not obey the said order.

May 28.
Lewes.

To the same. Order to cause Geoffrey de Geynville, who is setting out with the king by his order for parts beyond sea, to have respite during the king's pleasure for all debts due to the exchequer.

To the same. William de Whitsaund, burgess and merchant of Chichester, has shown the king that whereas he delivered nineteen sacks of wool to the keepers of the king's new custom at Southampton as a pledge for 6*l.* 3*s.* 6½*d.* for the custom due upon wool taken by him from that port to Flanders, to be paid at Whitsuntide next, Simon de Grenhull, whom the king lately appointed to arrest wool and hides in that county, took the said nineteen sacks into the king's hands by virtue of the king's order to him to take into the king's hands wool found within that county on the day of the Close of Easter last, as if the sacks were then in the hands of the said merchant. As it was not and is not the king's intention that wool thus delivered there or elsewhere within the realm for custom whereof the term of payment has not yet arrived shall be taken into his hands before the terms, he orders the treasurer and barons, if they satisfy themselves that the merchant delivered the sacks to the keepers in form aforesaid and that the term of payment has not yet arrived, to cause the sacks to be restored to the said merchant upon payment of the custom thereon to the keepers.

May 24.
Portsmouth.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to certify the king on Sunday after the octaves of St. John the Baptist next of the names of those of his

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bailiwick enjoined by him to be with the king at London on the said day with horses and arms, in execution of the king's late order (*of 15 May, as at p. 112, below*). [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, and to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

May 28.
Cranbrook.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to cause a regard to be made in the forest of Shirewode before the coming of the justices, so that it be made before St. Peter ad Vincula next.

[*Capitula.*]

MEMBRANE 14d.

June 5.
Canterbury

To Ralph the cofferer (*coferario*). Order to deliver to William de Poleham, Simon de Scotenye, John and Walter, brothers of the said Simon, Simon de Shodewelle, and Robert de Bydendenn, their wool and hides, on condition that they cause them to be carried to parts beyond sea before Midsummer next, upon payment of the custom thereupon due to the king, as the king wishes to show them favour although the wool and hides are forfeited in accordance with the form of his proclamation.

May 13.
Honiton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to commit the office of the ushery of that exchequer, which is void by the death of Walter de Scaccario, who lately held it, to John de Seleby, the bearer of the presents, before others, provided that he be fit for the office.

By K.

June 5.
Canterbury.

To Ralph the cofferer (*cofrario*). Order, made at the request of Edward, the king's son, to restore to the barons of the Cinque Ports their wool taken into the king's hands at Sandwich by Hervey de Staunton (*as in order at p. 109, above*), if he satisfy himself that the wool was thus taken into the king's hands and is detained for no other reason, on condition that they shall cause it to be taken to parts beyond sea before Midsummer, after payment of the custom thereon, or if they do not, it shall remain to the king, as the treasurer and barons have done nothing in execution of the order (*at p. 109*) to restore the wool, as the king learns from the complaint of the said barons.

June 4.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of York. Whereas the late king granted to Edmund, the present king's brother, and to Avelina, his wife, that they should have for ever a market on Wednesday in every week at their manor of Skipse, in that county, and a fair every year at their manor of Hedon, in the same county, on the eve, the day, and the morrow of St. Augustine in Autumn and for five days following, and another fair every year at their manor of Pokelinton, in the same county, on the eve, the day, and the morrow of All Saints and for five days following, as contained in his charter, which manors are now in the king's hands; the king, willing that the market and fairs, together with another fair at the manor of Skipse yearly on the eve, the day, and the morrow of All Saints, shall be held henceforth, orders the sheriff to cause the market and fairs to be publicly proclaimed and held.

June 4.
Canterbury.

To Stephen de Penecestre, warden of the Cinque Ports. The barons and men of the port of Dover have intimated to the king that they suffered such damage by the burning of their houses, ships and goods in the assault lately made upon them in that port by aliens of the power of the king of France that they have no ships of their own by which they

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can do the service that they owe to the king in his present passage to the parts of Flanders, and they have prayed the king that they may hire ships to do the service from the fleet of ships that the king has ordered to come to Winchelse: the king orders the warden to permit them to hire ships from the said fleet for this purpose by the will of their owners.

June 6.
Canterbury.

To G. bishop of Worcester. Order to restore to Master Peter Doucet the church of Aveninges, which the bishop took into the king's hands by virtue of the king's order to take into his hands the benefices of alien secular parsons, whether they be canons or rectors of churches or otherwise benefited in the realm, of the power of the king of France and his adherents, because Peter is an alien, as the king wishes to show him favour for his long and good services to Eleanor, late queen of England, the king's mother, and afterwards to Mary, his daughter, a nun of Ambresbury.

To Ralph the cofferer (*cofrario*). Order to cause to be delivered to John Rosse and Richard de Hikelyng, merchants of Seford, their wool that was taken into the king's hands at Sandwich by Henry (*sic*) de Staunton, who was lately appointed to take into the king's hands wool and hides in co. Kent, if they ascertain that it was carried to that town by John and Richard before the Close of Easter, in accordance with the king's proclamation, if it was taken into the king's hands by reason of the proclamation, on condition that they shall cause it to be taken to parts beyond sea before Midsummer, after payment of the custom thereon due to the king. If they do not, the wool shall remain forfeited to the king.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king lately ordered them to hear the complaint of Thomas de Shelvyngg, merchant of Sandwich, and of his fellows of that town concerning their wool found at London and arrested by Ralph de Sandwyco, John de Insula, Henry Spigurnel, and John de Bauquell for the king's use, contrary to the form of the ordinance for arresting wool for the king's use, and to cause justice to be done to the said merchants; and they afterwards wrote to the chancellor that although it was ordained in the first ordinance for arresting wool for the king's use that the wool of native merchants should not be arrested, nevertheless it was agreed and provided by Hugh le Despenser, John de Drogenesford, keeper of the king's wardrobe, and by others of the king's council sitting in the exchequer, because the sum of wool provided could not be obtained by the ordinance, that the wool of well to do (*sufficiencium*) and especially of wealthy native merchants should be arrested for the king's use, and that the wool of Thomas and his fellows was arrested by virtue of the later ordinance. As the king has heard nothing previously of any such ordinance, and knows nothing of it or of any other ordinance except that by which it was ordained that wool and hides that had not been carried within the time after the proclamation limited for this purpose should be forfeited to him, and as he does not wish to wrong the said merchants, he orders the treasurer and barons to cause the wool to be restored, if they ascertain that it was carried in accordance with the proclamation and if it was arrested solely by reason of the last ordinance, on condition that it be taken to parts beyond sea before Midsummer next, after payment of the custom thereon due to the king. If it be not thus taken, it shall remain wholly forfeited to the king.

William de Beveresbrok came before the king, on Friday after SS. Marcellus and Peter, and sought to replevy to Roger Bide his land in

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New Sarum, which was taken into the king's hands for this default before the justices of the Bench against Mabel, daughter of Gervase la Espicere. This is signified to the justices.

June 9.
Canterbury.

To Ralph de Manton, the king's cofferer. Order to deliver to Peter de Geldeford, provost of the church of Wengham, and to John But of Norwich their wool that was lately arrested at Sandwich for the king's use by Hervey de Staunton, if he ascertain that it was carried in accordance with the king's proclamation for wool and hides, on condition that the wool be taken to parts beyond sea before Midsummer, upon payment of the custom thereon due to the king. If it be not thus taken, it shall remain forfeited to the king.

June 13.
Leeds.

To the sheriff of York. Although the wool of Henry de Bluntesdon, the king's chaplain, in the sheriff's bailiwick is forfeited to the king in accordance with the late proclamation concerning wool and hides because it was not carried within the time limited for this purpose, the king has pardoned him all other penalties incurred by him in this behalf, on condition that the wool remain entirely forfeited to the king: the king therefore orders the sheriff to cause Henry's goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the trespass aforesaid, to be delivered to him.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause to be delivered to John Bussh, Peter Bussh, William de Kancia, John de Dorking, Paul le Butyler, Walter le Folour, Jordan Box, William de Hakeneye, Geoffrey Davy, John Gumbard, and William Bussh, merchants of London, their wool, which was lately taken into the king's hands by Ralph de Sandwyco, John de Insula, and John de Bauquell, if they ascertain that it was carried to the city, on condition that it be taken to parts beyond sea before the octaves of St. John the Baptist, after payment of the custom thereon due to the king. If it be not so taken, it shall remain forfeited to the king.

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May 15.
Loders.

To the sheriff of York. Order to require and enjoin all and singular of his bailiwick having 20*l.* yearly or more in land and rent to be with the king at London on Sunday after the octaves of St. John the Baptist next, with horses and arms befitting their estate, ready to cross with the king's person to parts beyond sea for the defence of the realm, the king having previously ordered the sheriff to warn them to provide themselves with horses and arms and to be in readiness to come to him. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. [*Ibid.*]

To the sheriff of York. Order to summon archbishops, bishops, abbots, priors, and other ecclesiastical persons and also widows and other women of his bailiwick who hold of the king in chief by knight service or by serjeanty or of wardships in his hands to have the service due from them at London on the aforesaid day. [*Federa; Parl. Writs; Prynne, Records, iii, p. 728.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Reginald de Grey. [*Ibid.*]

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Order to be with the king at London on the said day with horses and arms. [*Ibid.*]

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The like to seven earls and one hundred and twenty-three others.
[*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to A. bishop of Durham, with request that he will be at London as above with men provided with horses and arms in the most fitting and powerful manner that he can. [*Ibid.*; *Fœdera*; *Prynne.*]

To O. bishop of London. Order to have all the service due to the king from him at London on the said day. [*Ibid.*]

The like to eleven bishops, and to J. bishop of Winchester or his vicegerent and to W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield or his vicegerent, both the latter being in parts beyond sea. [*Ibid.*]

May 17.
Wareham.

To Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster. Order to be at London with horses and arms at the feast of St. Peter ad Vincula to hear and do what the king shall then cause to be told to him, to wit either to come to the king or to remain, as the king has summoned the men at arms of his realm to be with him at London on Sunday after the octaves of St. John the Baptist, and he considers that Richard cannot conveniently come to him by that day because he is in distant parts and because of the length of sea that he must cross. The king requests him to give credence to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, whom the king has ordered to explain his will in this matter to Richard by word of mouth, and that he will do the things that the justiciary shall require of him in the king's name, sending to the king by the justiciary his answers concerning the premises in writing. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to thirty others. [*Ibid.*]

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June 18.
Westminster.

Peter Corbet acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, archdeacon of York, 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

Philip de Cleyton acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Clyderhowe, clerk, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

June 20.
Westminster.

Robert de Monte Alto acknowledges that he owes to John de Dokes-wrth 60l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

Hamo de Denton acknowledges that he owes to Robert son of William Burnel 8 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Suffolk.

William de Hereford le armerer of London acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Scardeburgh, clerk, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. London and Hertford.

Richard de Weylaund acknowledges that he owes to Henry de Herlowe of London 10l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

A. de Crok[edayke] and W. Ing are appointed justices to take an assize of novel disseisin that Peter Peverel of Flekeneye arramed against Margery, late the wife of Hugh Peverel, and against others (*al'*) concerning a tenement in Flekeneye.

[*Cancelled.*]

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R. de Ret[ford] and H. Spig[urnel] are appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin that William Breuell arramed against Robert le Venur and Alice, his wife, and John de Rugge concerning a tenement in Crey Paulini.

[Cancelled.]

The said R. and H. are appointed to take an assize of mort d'ancestor that Agnes Sharpe arramed against Ralph le Kyng and others concerning a messuage and three roods of land in Wrotham.

[Cancelled.]

The same are appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin that John son of John de Norton arramed against Reginald le Chapeleyn of Baldok and others concerning a tenement in Wyleyn.

[Cancelled.]

Henry de Gascrik of Barton and Robert Crispin of Barton acknowledge that they owe to Alan de Thornton 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

June 26.
Westminster.

Peter de Langeleye acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

These lands are assigned to Maud, late the wife of Ralph de Gorges, as her dower for a third of the lands that belonged to Ralph de Gorges, by the assent of Robert son of Payn and of the other executors of the will of Ralph, on the one part, and John Lovel, on the other, in place of Maud: the manor of Bradepol, with appurtenances and with the rent issuing from the land of Kentecumb; the manor of Ludeton, co. Dorset, with appurtenances and with the advowson of the church; and also for [her] action to demand her dower against all persons enfeofed by Ralph of any tenements.

Memorandum, that this assignment was made at Westminster, on 27 June, by the assent of the said executors and of John Lovel, Maud's attorney.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Alexander de Ledes, who cannot attend to the duties of the office because he is executing the office of sheriff in the county of Dumbreton in Scotland by the king's order.

June 30.
Westminster.

Thomas de Holcroft acknowledges that he owes to William de la Doune, clerk, 129 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

John de Nevill, knight, lord of Waleden Regis, acknowledges that he owes to John de Hert [of] Dokesworth 63*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by the said John de Dokesworth.

June 2.
Westminster.

William Darel, parson of the church of Broddeswrth, acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Jernemuth' 20*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

June 1.
Westminster.

Henry de Maulle acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Occe 5 marks 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

July 3.
Westminster.

To the keeper of the land of Morganne (*sic*). Order to cause the men of Meyskyn of Glynrothony to have respite during the king's pleasure for

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the 60 marks that are in arrear of the 500 marks by which they made fine with Joan, countess of Gloucester, the king's daughter, for pardon of their trespasses and for having again their laws and old customs.

July 5.
Westminster.

Robert de Berley acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, archdeacon of York, 30 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

The abbot of Seleby acknowledges, for himself and his successors, that he owes to Richard de Bernak of Treton 80 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

July 8.
Westminster.

Peter Basset, John de Netherwyk, and Richard de Hoggeswell acknowledge that they owe to Robert de Scardeburgh 7 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

William de Northho acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Cornubia, clerk, 10s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Sussex.

July 11.
Westminster.

Roger de Huntingfeld acknowledges that he owes to Ralph le Butiller, clerk, 20l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk.

Gilbert de Brunolvesheved acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Goldington and Alexander de Keldelyth 10l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Westmoreland.

July 8.
Westminster.

To the taxors and collectors of the eleventh in co. Hertford. Order to supersede the levying and collecting from the goods of the prioress of Chesterhunte by reason of the eleventh lately granted to the king by the laity of the realm, and to cause her to be acquitted thereof, as the king has pardoned her the eleventh in compassion for her poverty.

By pet. of C.

Like letters in her favour for the twelfth in the same county.

July 11.
Westminster.

Roger de Carum acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Shirwode 6 marks 10s. 0d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Buckingham.

June 26.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted to William son of Warin, who is staying in Scotland by his order, respite for all debts due to the exchequer, and that he shall not be distrained for the debts of others while he is thus in the king's service or until the king shall otherwise order, and order to cause him to have such respite in the meantime, and not to distrain him for the king's debts and for the debts of others.

The like in his favour to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin.

The sheriffs of London and Wilts are ordered by divers writs not to distrain him, as above.

Assignment of dower to Agnes, late the wife of William de Asperville, tenant in chief, made by Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent, by the king's writ. There is assigned to her a third of all the lands whereof William was seised in Aylesbyr[y] in his demesne as of fee, which third is extended at 14s. 9d.

Thomas de Bekering acknowledges that he owes to William de Holecote, clerk, 20s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Huntingdon.

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Memorandum, that on 9 June, in the chapel of the archbishop of York's house near Westminster, Blanche, Queen of Navarre, late the wife of Edmund, the king's brother, made oath of fealty to the king for the lands that she holds in dower and that she will not marry without the king's licence.

————— The prior of Carlisle acknowledges, for himself and his successors, that he owes to Robert de Scardeburgh, clerk, 47 marks 6s. 8d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cumberland.

————— John de Hastings acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton and Henry de Dunolmia, executors of the will of Hugh de Kendale, 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Middlesex and Warwick.

Cancelled on payment.

July 10.
Westminster.

Gilbert de Brunvolvesheved acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 52*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Westmoreland.

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July 13.
Westminster.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his place, and to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Notification that the king has granted to Geoffrey de Geynvill, who is going with the king by his order to parts beyond sea, respite during the king's pleasure for all debts due to the exchequer, and that he has granted to him that he shall not be distrained by the king or his ministers for the debts of any others for so long as he is in the service aforesaid, and order to cause him to have such respite and not to distrain him in the meantime for the debts of the king or of others. By K.

Roger de Riville of Scardingwelle acknowledges that he owes to John le Heyward 60 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

July 16.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of York. Alice, late the wife of Walter Heyrun, has shewn the king that whereas Walter, by the assent and will of William Heyrun, his father, deceased, tenant in chief, assigned to her in dower at the church door of Alverstane when he espoused her a third of all the lands that belonged to his father, which are in the king's hands by reason of William's death and of the minority of his heir, and she has besought the king to cause the said third to be delivered to her. The king, wishing to be more fully certified concerning the form, manner and cause of this assignment and of all the circumstances and that what is just herein shall be done for Alice, orders the sheriff to cause to come before the king in the octaves of Michaelmas wherever the king may then be in England Walter de Tylneye, John de Hasting, Nicholas de Hasting, Walter d'Engleterre, and Simon de Bedingfeld, who were present at the celebration of the espousals of Walter and Alice at the door of the said church, as Alice asserts, and such other men of the neighbourhood of Alverstane by whom the truth of the matter of the assignment may be best known and inquired, and to warn William de Felton, who has the wardship of the lands by the king's commission, to be there at the said day, which the king has prefixed to Alice, to show cause on behalf of the heir why the king ought not to deliver to Alice the said third part as her dower, if it was assigned to her.

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To A. de Crok[edayke], W. Inge, and Malcolm de Harleye. Whereas John de Tresel, by reason of certain disputes that have arisen between him and the king's men of the manor of Chauerleye (*sic*) concerning the boundaries between John's land in his manor of Tresel, co. Stafford, and the king's land in his said manor, co. Salop, on the heath of La Rugge, which boundaries form the division between the two counties, has besought the king to cause a perambulation between the two counties to be made upon the heath: the king has appointed them to make the perambulation there, and orders them to go thither in person at a certain day to be provided by them, and to cause the perambulation to be made by twelve knights from each of the counties of Worcester, Warwick, Salop, and Stafford, provided that it be made by the ancient metes.

July 17.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Stafford. As the king wills that the perambulation that he lately caused to be made between the land of John de Tresel in his manor of Tresel, co. Stafford, and the king's land in the manor of Claverle, co. Salop, a transcript whereof the king sends to the sheriff under his half seal (*sub pede sigilli*), which he has caused to be enrolled in chancery, shall be held and observed, he orders the sheriff to cause it to be held and observed in form aforesaid.

Enrolment of the said perambulation made by the king's writ before Adam de Crok[edayke], W. Inge, and Malcolm de Harleye, justices appointed for this purpose, on Sunday after Michaelmas, in the twenty third year of the reign of king Edward, by William de Stafford, William de Mere, Robert de Bromlegh, Richard de Kaverswall, Henry de Kerssewall, Robert de Kyntelegh, Ralph Basset, Hugh de Weston, Henry de Morf, Thomas de Lutteleye, Roger de Symerton, and Geoffrey de Greselegh, of co. Stafford, Ralph Spryngehose, Robert Corbet, Walter de Hoptun, William de Huggefurd, Ralph de Sandeford, Peter de Eyton, Richard de Leythton, William de Ercaluwe, Ralph de Arras, Ivo de Clynton, William Randolph, and Fremund de Erdynton, of co. Salop, and Nicholas de Oddyngescheles, Henry de Eglaston, William de Bracebrugge, Thomas de Wolneye, John de Somervill, Peter de Wolwardynton, Gerard de Camvill, Robert de Val, Richard de Folwode, John Bodard, Robert de Gyngesford, and John de Otteleye, of co. Warwick, and Robert de Bracy, Henry le Waleys, William le Power, William Fokeram, Adam de Elnbrugge, Thomas de Stone, John de Kent, Thomas de Hetheye, Stephen de Bosco, Walter de Wytelynge, Richard Oliver, and John de la Berewe, of co. Worcester, jurors, who say that the boundary between the counties of Stafford and Salop and between the land of John de Tresel in his manor of Tresel, co. Stafford, and the king's land in the manor of Claverleye, co. Salop, begins at Bekwyneburnesse, extending over the summit of Rugge to Wytemereswey, and from Wytemereswey to Puttes, and from Puttes to the way leading from Aston to Seydonwey upon La Rugge, and from Seydonwey le Condos to the foot of Aquardescatel and from Aquardescatel to the corner by the high way of Shipelefeldes, and from the corner of Shipelefeldes by the high way leading to Wolverhampton as far as Wyteweyesmere. In witness whereof the seals of four knights of each of the said counties and the seals of Adam, William, and Malcolm are appended to the present perambulation.

July 15.
Westminster.

To John de Havering', justice of North Wales. The king has received a petition from Juliana, late the wife of Simon de Faveresham of Dublin, setting out that whereas Simon took a great part of the treasure of the fifteenth of Ireland pertaining to the king in a ship of his to a place called St. Helen's Bay (*la baye Sancte Elene*) in Anglesey, and the ship was wrecked there on All Saints' Day, in the twenty-third year of the king's

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reign, by tempest (*per maris intemperiem*), in which ship Simon was drowned with his three sons, the said treasure with the tackle of the ship and the other goods and chattels that belonged to Simon, to the value of 60 marks, came to the hands of divers men of those parts. As the king wishes to recover his treasure as far as possible and to help Juliana as to the recovery of Simon's goods aforesaid, he orders the justice to cause inquisition to be made as to whose hands the treasure and goods came to, and to cause Juliana to have of the said goods according to what he shall find by the inquisition.

———— The abbot of Gerewedon acknowledges, for himself and his successors, that he owes to William de Hamelton 140*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Leicester and Nottingham.

———— The said abbot acknowledges that he owes to William 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in the aforesaid counties.

John de Bereford, parson of the church of Hothcote, acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Plumpton 8 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

Master Adam Fraunceys acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 117*l.* 15*s.* 3*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

July 23. To the sheriff of Derby. Order to respite the demand made upon Henry
Westminster. de Grey for so long as he shall be in the king's service in Gascony for a man to make presentments in the sheriff's county [court] or his manor of Stok.

———— John de Sutton acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

June 17. To the sheriff of Stafford. Order to cause a regard to be made in the
Westminster. forest of Kynefar' before the coming of the justices of the forest, so that it shall be made before the quinzaine of Michaelmas next.

[*Capitula.*]

July 25. Matthew son of John acknowledges that he owes to Eleanor, late the
Westminster. wife of Hugh de Curtenay, 112*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. ———.

———— Thomas de Shepleye acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 60*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Richard de Sancto Walerico, knight, acknowledges that he owes to John de Foxle 100*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Berks.

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John, baron of Creystok, acknowledges that he owes to Stephen de Pagula 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northumberland. ^oBy transcript.

* Written in a very small hand.

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July 29.
Westminster.

Thomas de Notyngham, parson of the church of Portelaunde, acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Cliderhou, clerk, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Dorset.

July 30.
St. Paul's,
London.

To the sheriff of York. Order to permit Edmund, earl of Cornwall, to use and enjoy the liberties that Richard, late king of Almain, his father, heretofore used in the sheriff's bailiwick.

Aug. 8.
Combwell.

* The like to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer until the king shall otherwise order.

[† July 30.]
[St. Paul's.]

Master Richard de Gloucestria, parson of the church of Chepinge Norton, acknowledges that he owes to Master William de Chirington 6 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

*Cancelled on payment.*July 24.
Westminster.

To Nicholas de Cheyny, keeper of the islands of Gereseye and Gerneseye. The king remembers that at another time—when it was shown before him by Thomas de Sandwyco, who had been sent by him to the islands to enquire concerning trespasses of bailiffs, that when he began to enquire against Master William de Sancto Remigio, then bailiff of the island of Gerneseye,*after many petitions had been delivered against him, many of the islanders wishing to deliver others, which were not, however, delivered, and when Thomas had condemned William in many sums of money to certain of the complainants, William fled to the immunity of the church and remained therein until he abjured the islands, for which reason Thomas took his tenements and also his moveable goods into the king's hands—he ordered, because it seemed to him unfitting that the amends should be withdrawn from the complainants by reason of William's absence or abjuration, those who supplied the place of Otto de Grandisono in the islands to cause the complainants to be satisfied for the sums of money in which William was condemned by Thomas from the goods and chattels of William and of Otto, if William's were insufficient, since Otto was bound to answer for William, whom he had appointed his bailiff, provided that William, if he returned into the islands, should answer to each of the complainants and should stand to law according to the law and custom of the islands. But, as the king learns from the complaint of many persons, the said order was not put into execution, he, wishing to be certified by the keeper of the cause why this was not done, and also as to what goods William had at that time and to whose hands they came and in whose hands they now are, and what their value was and is, and if they are sufficient to satisfy the said amends, orders the keeper to cause inquisition to be made concerning these things and to certify him of what he shall find thereby.

July 30.
Westminster.

To the keepers of the new custom at Yarmouth. Whereas the king has ordered the sheriffs of Cambridge and Huntingdon, Norfolk and Suffolk to cause all wool bought by them and others associated with them within those counties for the king's use to be carried without delay to the port of Yarmouth, to be there delivered to the keepers aforesaid, the king orders the keepers to receive the wool by indenture, and to cause ships to be hired (*frextari*) to carry it to Flanders and to cause such ships to carry the wool thither without delay, in accordance with the form of the ordinance made by the king and his council in this matter, which the sheriffs and those associated will show to them.

* Added in the margin.

† 'Teste ut supra,' referring to the date of the preceding order to the sheriff of York.

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The like to the keepers of the new customs in the following ports:

London, for wool within cos. Oxford, Berks, Buckingham and Bedford, Essex and Hertford, and Surrey carried to London.

Southampton, for wool within cos. Wilts and Southampton, Somerset and Dorset, Gloucester and Worcester, carried to Southampton.

Boston, for wool within cos. Lincoln, Nottingham, Derby, Northampton, Rutland, Warwick, and Leicester, to be taken to Brabant.

Kyngeston-on-Hull, for wool in cos. York, bought by John Sampson, knight, Thomas de Weston, Richard Oysel, William de Leyre, and William de Wolchirchagh, carried to that port.

MEMBRANE 9d.

July 23.
St. Paul's.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to respite until the king's return from parts beyond sea the demand made upon the prior and convent of St. Bartholomew's, London, for 6*l.* 7*s.* 11*d.* for the issues of the priory during the last voidance, as the king wishes to show them favour out of reverence for St. Bartholomew, in whose honour the priory is founded.

To the abbot of Ford. Order to restore to the abbot of Bynedon his goods and chattels, which the king lately ordered to be delivered to the abbot of Ford by the sheriff of Dorset upon his finding security to render them to the king at his will in case he ought to have them, so that the abbot of Ford should ordain and dispose thereof, and should find the prior and convent of Bynedon their necessaries as should seem fit to his discretion and according to the duty of his order, as the abbot of Bynedon has been lawfully acquitted of the trespass for which his goods and chattels were taken into the king's hands before H. de Enefeld and J. de Bosco, the king's justices appointed for this.

* By examined transcript.

John, earl of Athole (*Atheles*), acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 40*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in Scotland.

Aug. 5.
Sevenoaks.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king lately granted to Richard son of John, when he went in his service to Gascony, that in case he died there in the king's service, the king would look to (*capereimus nos ad*) Richard's heirs for all debts in which he was bound to the king at the said exchequer or elsewhere, both for the debts of his ancestors and for his own debts, so that the heirs should be charged with the debts at the exchequer, and so that the executors of Richard's will should have free administration of his goods and chattels for the execution of his will, as appears by the rolls of chancery; and Richard has now died, as the king learns: the king orders them to charge the heirs with the debts due from Richard at his death, and to permit his executors to have free administration of his goods and chattels.

July 31.
St. Paul's,
London.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to protect, maintain and defend all and singular the clergy in their bailiwick and their men, lands, rents, things and all possessions henceforth, notwithstanding that some of them may not have the king's protection, as the king wishes to protect them from undue annoyance or trouble, although some of them had not his

* Written in a very small hand.

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protection in time past, at the request of R. archbishop of Canterbury and the bishops and prelates of the realm. [*Fædera. Prynné, Records, iii, p. 721.*]

July 30.
Westminster.

To the bailiffs and men of the prior of St Helen's in the Isle of Wight. Whereas the king learns that the ships that he caused to be sent from the port of Plymmuth and from certain other places of the realm to Gascony with corn and other things have now returned safely into the realm with salt, which ships he needs, like other ships of ports in his realm, for his passage to Flanders, he orders them to enjoin the masters and owners of the said ships of their town and to admonish them efficaciously that they, under pain of forfeiture of their ships, cause their ships to be discharged without delay, so that [they may come] with their ships to the port of Wynchelse to set out thence in the king's service, as shall be then enjoined upon them on his behalf. The bailiffs and men are warned not to neglect this in any way as they would wish to avoid the king's wrath.

The like to the following :

The bailiffs of Little Yarmouth.
The bailiffs of Donewich.
The bailiffs of Gippewich.
The bailiffs of Shetholt.
The bailiffs of Bristol.
The bailiffs of Oreford.
The bailiffs of Goseford.
The bailiffs of Maldon.
The bailiffs of Maldon.
The bailiffs of Great Yarmouth.
The bailiffs of La Pole.
The bailiffs of the Isle of Wight.
The bailiffs of Harelawe.
The bailiffs of Flynt.
The bailiffs of Holmeoltram.
The bailiffs of Plympton, with the port of Sutton.
The bailiffs of St. Bee's (*Sancta Bega*).
The bailiffs of Wyrkyngton.
The bailiffs of Ravenglas.
The bailiffs of Falemue.
The bailiffs of Mount Saint Michael in Cornwall.
The bailiffs of St. Crantock (*Sancti Karantoci*).
The bailiffs of Blakeneye.
The bailiffs of Welle and Holkeham.
The bailiffs of Thornham.
The bailiffs of Lenn'.
The bailiffs of Boston.
The bailiffs of Salteneeye.
The bailiffs of Salfleteby.
The bailiffs of Weynflet.
The bailiffs of Briggewauter.
The bailiffs of Weymuth.
The bailiffs of Hertelpole.
The bailiffs of Grimmesby.
The bailiffs of Kyngeston-on-Hull.
The bailiffs of Ravensere.
The bailiffs of Scardeburgh.
The bailiffs of Bamburgh.

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The bailiffs of Tynemuth.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne.
 The bailiffs of Whiteby.
 The bailiffs of Lancaster.
 The bailiffs of Cokermue.
 The abbot and bailiffs of Furneys.
 The bailiffs of Kertmel.
 The bailiffs of Lyvrepol.
 The bailiffs of Fordesham.
 The bailiffs of Neuport in the Isle of Wight.
 The bailiffs of Lomynton.
 The bailiffs of Hameleye.
 The bailiffs of Dunsterre.
 The bailiffs of Clamorgan.
 The bailiffs of Strugoyl.
 The bailiffs of Usk.
 The bailiffs of Goer.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Lyn.
 The bailiffs of Landstephen.
 The bailiffs of Talthan.
 The bailiffs of Haverford.
 The bailiffs of Penbrok.
 The bailiffs of Sencher.
 The bailiffs of Kames.
 The bailiffs of Talgaran.
 The bailiffs of Kermerdyn.
 The bailiffs of Kardygyn.
 The bailiffs of Angleseye.
 The bailiffs of Tychefeld.
 The bailiffs of Southampton.
 The bailiffs of Rothelan.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Chester.
 The bailiffs of Aberconewey.
 The bailiffs of Lampader.
 The bailiffs of Swyneseye.
 The bailiffs of Karnarvan.
 The bailiffs of Kedewelly.
 The bailiffs of Muleford.
 The bailiffs of Lym.
 The bailiffs of Otrymuth.
 The bailiffs of Exemue, with the ports of Litleham, Kyen, and
 Coppesham (*sic*).
 The bailiffs of Sydemuth.
 The bailiffs of Teygnemue.
 The bailiffs of Dertemue, with the port of Totenye.
 The bailiffs of Portesmuth.

Aug. 5.
Tunbridge.

To the abbot and convent of St. Edmunds. Request that they will receive into their house William de Ponte, the king's serjeant, who has long and faithfully served the king and whom he has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life his necessities in food and clothing, according to the requirements of his estate.

To Henry de Percy and Robert de Clifford. Order to deliver to John de Craystock his lands, if they were taken into the king's hands because he did not come to them in accordance with their order on the king's behalf, as the king learns from the testimony of A. bishop of Durham,

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that John was in the king's service in Scotland in the bishop's company at the time when Henry and Robert ordered him on the king's behalf to come to them with other men of cos. Westmoreland, Cumberland, and Lancaster, in order to set out for Scotland.

Aug. 11.
Udimore.

To the sheriff of Westmoreland. Order to cause the ordinance upon certain matters concerning the king and his realm and the peace and tranquillity of the people thereof made by the king and his council, which he sends to the sheriff under his seal, to be publicly and distinctly read and expounded in each city, borough, and market town in his bailiwick in the presence of the people, who shall be specially convoked for the purpose. He is to permit any one to have a transcript thereof who wishes, retaining the original in his own hands. He is enjoined not to neglect this in any way as he loves the king and his honour, and as he would wish to avoid the king's wrath and the penalty that he may incur if he do not do this.

The like to all the sheriffs of England and to the keeper and sheriffs of London, and to Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester.

Aug. 12.
Udimore.

To the abbot and convent of Abbotsbury. The king remembers that he requested them at another time to admit into their house Henry Lumbard, who has long and faithfully served the king, and to find him for life his necessaries in food and clothing, according to the requirements of his estate, whom they have admitted, as the king learns, for which he thanks them specially. As they have withdrawn from the said John (*sic*), as he says, certain of the necessaries that they had granted to him, the king requests them to find Henry the aforesaid necessaries for life in the same manner in which they previously found them, in consideration of which the king will feel himself more specially bound to further their affairs.

Robert son of William Burnel of Acton Burnel acknowledges that he owes to Matthew Giffard 12 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Somerset and Southampton.

Aug. 15.
Udimore.

To the prior and convent of Ely. Request that they will admit into their house Ranulph Scot, who has long and faithfully served the king and who can no longer do so by reason of his infirmity of body, and that they will find him necessaries according to the requirements of his estate at least until the king's return from parts beyond sea. By K.

The like in favour of William le Pesshuner of Oxford to the prior and convent of St. Frideswide's, Oxford.

The like in favour of John Mannyng to the abbot and convent of St. Augustine's, Canterbury.

Alan Plukenet acknowledges that he owes to John de Drokenesford, clerk, 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Somerset and Dorset and Southampton.

Memorandum, that Robert de Uffinton, whom John appointed by his letters patent his receiver of all his issues, rents, and debts in England, came into chancery and acknowledged that he had received the said 40*l.* for John's use.

Aug. 19.
Winchelsea.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As Gilbert de Knovill, sheriff of Devon, is going with the king in his service to parts beyond sea, so that he cannot be present before them in person on the morrow of Michaelmas next, in order to make his proffer and to render his account for the time that he held the office of sheriff, the king orders them to admit in Gilbert's place for these purposes him or them whom Gilbert shall depute by his letters patent. By K.

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Winchelsea.

John de Grimsted, knight, acknowledges that he owes to John de Drokenesford, clerk, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Southampton and Wilts.

John de Northwode, the elder, acknowledges that he owes to Ermentrude (*Ermetrude*) de Saukevill 200l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.—The chancellor received the acknowledgement.

Memorandum, that *Ermentrude afterwards sent to the chancellor a letter, which is sewed to this recognisance,* by which she acknowledged that she had been satisfied for this sum. And Roger de Bosco, whom she appointed in her place by her letters patent to acknowledge receipt, acknowledged in chancery that John had paid the said money. And William de Hamelton, supplying the place of the chancellor, on 30 April, in the twenty-seventh year, ordered this memorandum to be enrolled.*

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Aug. 16.
Udimore.

To the justices of Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, in eyre at Crosfergus. Order to respite until All Saints next all pleas before them touching William son of Warin, excepting pleas of dower *unde nichil habet*, and of *Quare impedit*, and assizes of novel disseisin and of last presentation, as the king wishes to provide for his indemnity because he is staying by his order in his service in Scotland.

Aug. 7.
Combwell.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Request for his prayers on behalf of the king, who is going to parts beyond sea to defend his friends and confederates against the attacks of the king of France, who has deceived him concerning his land of Gascony and has refused to assent to a treaty of peace lately commenced by the bishops of Alba and Palestrina by the pope's authority, to which the king had assented, and that he will cause prayers for the king to be offered up in his cathedral and in all other churches subject to his jurisdiction. [*Fœdera*.]

Aug. 19.
Winchelsea.

To the same. Prohibition, under pain of forfeiture of all that he holds of the king, from promulgating any sentence of excommunication against the king's ministers, clerk or lay, who are employed in taking into the king's hands corn and other goods of ecclesiastical and other persons of the realm, which the king has been compelled to do for the defence of his realm and inheritance and for the protection of the English Church and the persons aforesaid, for which he promises to make suitable satisfaction, as the king understands that the archbishop intends to pronounce such sentence against the king's ministers thus engaged. [*Fœdera*; Prynye, *Records*, iii, p. 688.]

The like to all the bishops of England. [*Ibid.*]

Enrolment of deed of John, earl of Athole (*Athele*), Alexander de Meygners, and John de Inchemartyn, whereby they mainpern that Sir Laurence de Strobolgy, Sir William Olyfard, Sir Henry de Inchemartyn, Sir William de Morreve, Sir Edmund de Ramysheye, Sir John de Camburnon, Sir William de la Haye, Sir Walter de Berkeleye, knights, Simon de Hiskendy, John de Irland, John de Strabolgy, Robert de Mountour, William Bron, David de Cambernon, Gregory Makenherd, Walter Dalith, Thomas Dalith, Nicholas Dirlowenan, Malis de Loggy, Walter de Burchergæx, Robert de Inchethor, John Buterwan, Michael

* It is not now attached to the roll, but the needle-holes of the thread by which it was attached are evident.

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Lescot, and Andrew de Strugartenay, yeoman (*calletz*), will be faithful to the king of England, and that they will come to him in the realm of France or elsewhere as quickly as they can without delay, and that they will loyally aid him in his army, or elsewhere in his army or wherever he may send them. Dated at Wynchelse, on Thursday the day of the octaves of the Virgin, 25 Edward [*Fadera.*]

Memorandum, that these letters patents were afterwards delivered to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer for custody there. [*Ibid.*]

Aug. 20.
Winchelsea.

To Donus de Podio. Whereas the king has granted that the manor of Wyssenden, which Donus holds for life of the demise of John Wak,' shall remain to John and Joan, his wife, after the death of Donus, as contained in the king's letters patent, he orders Donus to answer to them as lords of the manor in fealties and other services that pertain to the king by reason of the said manor.

The like to Henry de Bluntesdon, chaplain, for the manor of Colnerquincy, which he holds for life.

John de Horne acknowledges that he owes to the abbot of Battle 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Surrey.

Robert de Deping, parson of the church of Eston, diocese of Carlisle, acknowledges that he owes to the king 12 marks 7s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cumberland.

Memorandum, that this recognisance was made for John Wake for the fee of a charter, as William de la Doune, then keeper of the Hanaper, acknowledged.

Roger Russel and William Russel acknowledge that they owe to John de Somerset 40l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Chester.

Robert son of William Burnel acknowledges that he owes to Matthew Giffard 4 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Somerset.

The said Robert acknowledges that he owes to Martin Payn 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in the said county.

To John de Northwode. Whereas the king has enjoined upon Edward, his son, supplying his place in England, certain of his affairs specially touching him and his realm, concerning which he wills that Edward shall have speech and treaty with John, he orders the latter to be at Rochester with horses and arms on Sunday the feast of the Nativity of St. Mary the Virgin next at the latest, there to talk and treat of the said affairs with Edward and his council, and to do what shall then be enjoined upon him by the council. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to one hundred and sixty-nine other knights. [*Ibid.*]

MEMBRANE 7d.

Memorandum, that the king, on 30 July, granted that John, earl of Athole (*Atheles*), shall be delivered from prison by the mainprise of Hugh de Mortuo Mari, lord of Richard's Castle, co. Salop, John ap Adam, of co. Somerset, Guncelin de Badelesmere, of co. Kent, John Peyvre, of co. Bedford, John de Hasteng, of co. Stafford, Walter de Bello Campo,

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John de Causwode acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Dureme, the spurrier (*le spurriere*), 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. (*sic*) London.

Memorandum, that a certain inquisition of *diem clausit extremum* concerning the lands of Laurence Pycot of Radeclive and a certain inquisition for the executors of the will of Robert de Chaucumbe remain at the exchequer.

Sept. 5.
St. Paul's,
London.

To all and singular the knights who are about to assemble at Rochester on Sunday the morrow of the Nativity by the king's order. Whereas the king sends to them Gocelin de Badlesmere and John de Cobeham to expound to them certain affairs concerning the coming of the knights thither and their coming to Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, at London, and the stay of some of them for the custody of the sea in those parts, as enjoined upon Gocelin and John by Edward and his council on the king's behalf; the king orders them to give credence to Gocelin and John in the premises and to do what they shall enjoin upon them in this behalf. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Parl. Writs.*]

To R. bishop of London. Whereas the king wills that Edward, his son, supplying his place in England, shall have speech and treaty with the bishop concerning certain arduous and urgent affairs touching the king and the bishop and the whole realm, he orders the bishops to be present in person at London on the morrow of Michaelmas next to treat with Edward and others of the king's council who will be there of the said affairs and to give his counsel. [*Ibid.*]

The like to twenty-six others. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 9.
St. Paul's,
London.

To Richard son of Alan, earl of Arundel. Whereas the king before his passage to parts beyond sea enjoined upon Edward, his son, supplying his place in England, certain affairs touching him and his realm, concerning which he wills that his son shall have speech and treaty with the earl; the king orders the earl to be with horses and arms with the king's son on Sunday before Michaelmas wherever he shall be in England, to speak and treat with the king's son and his council concerning the said affairs, and to do what shall then be enjoined upon him by Edward and his council on the king's behalf. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to fifteen others, who were asked to come to Rochester with the exception of five of them, whose writs were restored. [*Ibid.*]

The like to thirty-four others, without specification of place. [*Ibid.*]

John de Pokelington acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Brugge 20s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in Ireland.

Sept. 9.
St. Paul's,
London.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Whereas the king wills that Edward, his son, supplying his place in England, shall have speech and treaty with the archbishop concerning certain arduous and pressing affairs touching the king and the archbishop and all his realm; the king orders the archbishop to be present with Edward at London on the morrow of Michaelmas, to treat and give his counsel with him and others of the king's council who will be there present. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to five bishops, S. elect of Salisbury, seventeen abbots, four priors, the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England, the master of the military order of the Temple in England, eight others, and Roger le Bigod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, and Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex. [*Ibid.*]

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St. Paul's,
London.

To the sheriff of York. Whereas the king has granted, in consideration of the grant of an eighth of the goods of the laity for the urgent necessity of the realm against the French, that he will confirm and cause to be firmly observed the great charter of the liberties of England and the charter of the liberties of the Forest, and that he will grant by letters patent that the levy of the eighth shall not be drawn to their prejudice, servitude, disinheritance, use or custom hereafter: he orders the sheriff to cause two knights of that shire to be elected and to be sent with full power to Edward, the king's son, supplying the king's place in England, so that they shall be at London with him in the octaves of Michaelmas next to receive charters concerning the confirmation of the charters and the king's letters concerning the grant of the eighth on behalf of the community of that county, and to do and receive further what shall be there ordained by the king's son and his council. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

Simon de Floggeres of Flaunden came before the king, on Monday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, and sought to replevy to Alice de Pelham her land in Flaunden, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices of the Bench against Juliana Blanchet-cote. This is signified to the justices.

Sept. 16.
St. Paul's

To the sheriff of Northampton. Whereas the king understands that certain men, forgetful of their fealty and envying the peace and tranquillity of the realm, propose to come shortly to the town of Northampton and there to hold assemblies, whereby the peace and tranquillity of the realm may possibly be disturbed, unless such acts of malice be speedily checked: the king, wishing to provide for the safety of his castle and town of Northampton and of the adjoining parts, especially while he is in remote parts, orders the sheriff to take with him William Botevylein without delay, and to go in person to that town, and to keep the castle safely, and to enjoin the bailiffs, burgesses and men of the town to cause the town to be similarly well guarded, so that damage or danger shall not arise to the king, the castle or the town aforesaid, and in no wise to permit that such assemblies shall be made by any person or persons there or elsewhere in his bailiwick. He is enjoined to conduct himself so prudently, vigorously and circumspectly in executing this order that the king ought to regard him as rightly commended, and so that the king's peace shall be there firmly and inviolably observed. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Fœdera* *; Ryley, *Placita*, p. 474.]

To the sheriff of Buckingham and Bedford. Order not to permit such assemblies to be made anywhere within the said counties, and to keep the counties so safely that the king's peace may be preserved in them. [Ryley, *Placita*, p. 474.]

To the sheriff of Northampton. Whereas the king understands that certain men, forgetful of their fealty and envying the peace and tranquillity of the realm, propose to come shortly to the town of Northampton and there to hold assemblies, whereby the peace and tranquillity of the realm may possibly be disturbed, unless such acts of malice be speedily checked: the king, wishing to provide for the safety of his castle and town of Northampton and of the adjoining parts, especially while he is in remote parts, orders the sheriff to take with him William Botevyleyn

* Given under the date of 7 September, an error arising from reading "xvj" as "vij."

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without delay, and to go in person to that town, and to keep the castle safely, and to enjoin the bailiffs, burgesses and men of the town on the king's behalf——[*Incomplete.*]

Vacated, because otherwise above.

Sept. 17.
St. Paul's,
London.

To William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick. Although the king lately ordered him to come to the parliament that will be at London on the morrow of Michaelmas next to Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, the king now, because he understands that William's condition (*status*) is improved by the grace of God, orders him to come to his son at London upon sight of these letters, to remain with him, according to what the king remembers he ordered the earl under his privy seal. The earl shall ordain that his horses and arms shall follow him within the octaves of Michaelmas as he shall see fit. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Parl. Writs.*]

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R. de Ret[ford] and H. Spig[urnel] are appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by John son of John de Pottenham against Pinus Bernardyn and others (*al'*) concerning a tenement in Pottenham.

They are also appointed to take an assize of mort dancestor arramed by Hamo son of Hamo de Gatton against John de Gatton concerning two messuages, 30 acres of land, 48 acres of pasture, 2 acres of wood, and 2s. 9½d. yearly of rent in Northreye.

They are also appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by Alice, late the wife of Geoffrey le Charner of St. Neots against the prior of St. Neots and others concerning a tenement in the town of St. Neots.

They are also appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by Eleanor, daughter of Bartholomew de Thornton, against John, abbot of St. Albans, and others concerning a tenement in Great Eversdon.

They are also appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by Hugh son of Henry de Flixton and Edith, his wife, against Ralph Dubel of Bungeye and others concerning a tenement in Ersham.

Cancelled, because [they are] on the dorse of the Patent [Roll].

R. de Ret[ford], A. de Crok[edayk] and W. Ing are appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by Alina, daughter of William le Poer, before the said A. and W. against Walter de Berton, parson of the church of Bredon, and John de Bredon, clerk, concerning a tenement in Ekynton Poer, provided that if R. happen to be present at a day and place to be provided for this purpose by A. and W. they shall admit him as a fellow; if not, A. and W. shall proceed to take the assize without awaiting his presence, and orders in accordance are given to R. and to A. and W. respectively.

[Cancelled, as above.]

A. de Crok[edayk] and W. Ing are appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by Margaret, daughter of Geoffrey le Prestesneve of Northburgh, against Peter Mite of Northburgh and others concerning a tenement in Northburgh.

They are also appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by Avicia, daughter of Geoffrey le Prestesneve of Northburgh, against Peter Mite of Northburgh and others concerning a tenement in Northburgh.

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They are also appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by William son of Walter de Knyghton against Master Robert de Sottewell, parson of the church of Garthorp, concerning a tenement in Knyghton.

[*Cancelled, as above.*]

Ralph de Sandwyco and John le Bretun are appointed to deliver the king's gaol at Westminster on this occasion.

[*Cancelled, as above.*]

Peter Vallore and Roger de Hegham are appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by Walter Jurdan and Nicholas, his brother, against Agnes, late the wife of John Hykun, and William, her son, and Henry le Provost of Molesford concerning a tenement in Cheleseye.

[*Cancelled, as above.*]

Sept. 16.
St. Paul's,
London.

To the mayor, men, and community of the town of Bristol. When the king revolves in his mind how some persons in times past withdrew themselves from the late king and from him, and what evils arose thence to the realm and its inhabitants, he, wishing to be made more cautious from the perils of the past, since certain persons of the realm separating themselves from him make assemblies and conventicles, whereby things worse than the preceding may arise unless the imminent dangers be checked, orders the mayor, men, and community to cause their town to be so kept that no person or persons shall be able to make such assemblies and conventicles therein, and so that no danger may arise to the king, them, or the town by any spies (*insidiatores*), enemies or contrarians. This they are charged to neglect in no wise as they love the king's and their honour, and as they would avoid danger to themselves and the whole realm. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [Ryley, *Placita*, p. 473.]

The like to the mayors, men, and communities of the following towns:

Staunford.	Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Gloucester.	Carlisle.
Winchester.	York.
Exeter.	Chichester.
Hereford.	Lynn.
Oxford.	Norwich.
Lincoln.	Bury St. Edmunds.
Shrewsbury.	

To the constable of Bristol castle. Like order to cause the castle to be safely guarded. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the constables of the following castles:

Norwich.	Shrewsbury.
Montgomery.	Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Gloucester.	Tykhill.
Devyses.	St. Briavells.
Winchester.	Carlisle.
Exeter.	Skypton-in-Craven.
Corff.	York.
Shireburn.	Odyham.
Porchester.	Foderingeye.
Ledes.	Hertford.
Hereford.	Pevenes[eye].
Oxford.	Brigges.
Lincoln.	Orford.

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To John de Havering', justice of North Wales. Like order to cause all castles and enclosed towns in his bailiwick to be provisioned (*muniri*) and safely guarded.

The like to Walter de Pederton, supplying the place of the justice of West Wales.

To John Giffard. Although the king lately ordered him to come to the parliament at London on the morrow of Michaelmas to Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, he now for certain reasons orders him to ordain so in the meantime that his horses and arms shall be with him at London in the octaves of Michaelmas at the latest. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to Edmund, earl of Cornwall, Robert de Tateshale, and Fulk son of Warin. [*Ibid.*]

To John son of Reginald. Whereas the king before his passage to parts beyond sea enjoined upon Edward, his son, supplying his place in England, certain affairs specially touching him and his realm, concerning which he wills that Edward shall have speech and treaty with John: he orders John to be with horses and arms with his said son at London in the octaves of Michaelmas next, there to speak and treat with Edward and his council concerning these affairs, and to do what shall then be enjoined upon him by Edward and the king's council. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to twenty-eight others, of whom Richard de Amundvill and Maud de Mortuo Mari are ordered to send some of their men. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 24.
St. Paul's,
London.

To Robert de Clifford. Whereas the king, by reason of certain rumours that have come to his ears concerning the state of his land of Scotland, has ordered John de Warennia, earl of Surrey and Sussex, not to leave that land in any way until its state be assured; the king orders Robert to go in person to the earl with all speed with horses and arms and all his power, to stay with him in those parts for the saving and securing thereof. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to Brian son of Alan. [*Ibid.*]

To Jordan Folyot. Although the king lately ordered him to be at London with horses and arms with Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, in the octaves of Michaelmas next, as the king has now ordered the earl of Surrey and Sussex not to leave Scotland (*as above*); he orders Jordan to go to the earl with horses and arms and all his power without delay, to remain there (*as above*). [*Ibid.*]

The like to thirteen others. [*Ibid.*]

To John Byron, sheriff of York. Although the king lately appointed him to choose and retain in the king's service and in that of Edward, his son, supplying his place in England, knights and yeomen of that county at the king's wages, according to his discretion, so that those thus chosen and retained should be at London with horses and arms in the octaves of Michaelmas to do what should then be enjoined upon them by Edward and the king's council, the king now has ordered the earl of Surrey and Sussex not to leave the land of Scotland (*as in preceding orders*); he orders the sheriff to enjoin those whom he has thus chosen and retained and others of that county to hasten to the earl at the king's order with horses and arms, to remain in Scotland for the securing of those parts and to repress the malice of the king's Scotch rebels and enemies. [*Ibid.*]

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Sept. 28.
St. Paul's,
London.

Andrew le Clerk of Hibaldestowe came before the king, on Friday before Michaelmas, and sought to replevy the land of himself and Maud,

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his wife, in Skirebek and in the town of Boston, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Walter Short and Juetta, his wife, and Eleanor, her sister. This is signified to the justices. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To John de Harington, sheriff of Nottingham and Derby, and Walter Touk. Order to enjoin on the king's behalf all those knights and yeomen of those counties whom they have chosen and retained for the king's service by his order (*as in preceding order to John Byron*) and others of those counties to go in person to Brian son of Alan, to whom the king has committed the realm of Scotland, without delay with horses and arms and all their power, and that they shall aid him in repressing the malice of the king's Scotch rebels as often as necessary and whenever they shall be summoned by Brian. [*Parl. Writs.*]

Oct. 3.
St. Paul's,
London.

Robert Ales acknowledges that he owes to Gerard de Staundon 20l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.—The chancellor ordered [the enrolment].

Robert de Veer, earl of Oxford, acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Sancto Mauro, knight, 60 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.—The chancellor received the acknowledgment.

Oct. 8.
St. Paul's,
London.

Robert de Brenchesle came before the king, on Tuesday after St. Faith, and sought to replevy his land in Brenchesle, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against the king. This is signified to the justices. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

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Hugh Pural of Corke Teny, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de la Dune, clerk, 12l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in Ireland.

Oct. 12.
St. Paul's,
London.

William Folejaumbe of Gratton acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Derby. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Memorandum, that William acknowledged his recognisance in the absence of the keeper of the rolls.

John de Clavering, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton and his fellows, executors of the will of R. late bishop of Bath and Wells, 8 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

Cancelled on payment.

The prior of Montacute acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 18l. 8s. 9½d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Somerset.—R. de Bard[elby] received the acknowledgment.

Oct. 15.
Westminster.

Alan Plukenet acknowledges that he owes to John Tyding, citizen of Winchester, 46l. 8s. 8d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Somerset.—W. de Ham[elton] received the acknowledgment.

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To John de Havering', justice of North Wales. Like order to cause all castles and enclosed towns in his bailiwick to be provisioned (*muniri*) and safely guarded.

The like to Walter de Pederton, supplying the place of the justice of West Wales.

To John Giffard. Although the king lately ordered him to come to the parliament at London on the morrow of Michaelmas to Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, he now for certain reasons orders him to ordain so in the meantime that his horses and arms shall be with him at London in the octaves of Michaelmas at the latest. [*Parl. Writs.*]

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Membrane 4d—cont.

Memorandum, that all the writs of privy seal directed to the chancellor after the crossing of the king to Flanders were delivered to Robert de Askeby by the hands of the chancellor, and also writs directed to the sheriffs of England to choose knights to come to the king's son were also delivered to Robert, to be kept in form aforesaid (*sic*). [*Parl. Writs.*]

Oct. 16.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Buckingham. Whereas the king wills that the late king's charter of the Forest shall be observed inviolably in all its articles, he has appointed Adam Gurdun and William de Mortuo Mari together with two of the most discreet and lawful knights of that county, to be chosen by them for this purpose, to cause a perambulation to be made in the presence of the foresters and verderers of that county and by their view, to wit the perambulation that was made in the late king's time and which has not yet been challenged, and to fulfil the other articles in the same charter; the king orders the sheriff to cause all the knights of that county to assemble at a day and place to be appointed by Adam and William, and there to meet Adam and William himself to complete the premises.

Oct. 18.
Westminster.

William de Cliderhou, parson of the church of Northbur[y], acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Cliderhou, clerk, 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

Partition of the lands that belonged to William de Mohun, tenant in chief, on the day of his death, made by Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent, on 25 September, in the twenty-fifth year of the reign, by the king's writ directed to him, between John de Carreu and Eleanor, his wife, one of the daughters and heiresses of William, and John de Meriet and Mary, his wife, the second daughter and heiress of William, by the assent of John de Meriet and John de Carreu, and assignment thereof made by the escheator.

There are assigned to John de Meriet and Mary all the lands, knights' fees, and advowsons of churches that belonged to William in cos. Wilts, Southampton, Dorset, Bedford, Berks, and also in Wales, with all the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William in Ireland: to wit the manor of Sturministre, co. Dorset, which is extended at 7*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* and a pound of pepper yearly; the manor of Mildenhale, co. Wilts, which is extended at 18*l.* 17*s.* 10*d.* yearly; the manor of Greywell, co. Southampton, which is extended at 12*l.* 14*s.* 7*d.* yearly; certain tenements in Newebyry, co. Berks, which are extended at 2*s.* yearly; the hundred of Fletton, with all the lands that belonged to William in Luton, co. Bedford, which are extended at 17*l.* 10*s.* 4*d.* yearly; all the lands that belonged to William in Magor in Wales, which are appraised at 19*l.* 16*s.* 2½*d.* yearly.

There are assigned to John de Carreu and Eleanor, his wife, the manor of Otery Mohun, co. Devon, which is extended at 34*l.* 8*s.* 6*d.* yearly; the manor of Munketone, in the same county, which is extended at 7*l.* 3*s.* 1*d.* yearly; the manor of Galmeton, in the same county, which is extended at 16*l.* 0*s.* 9*d.* yearly; the manor of Stok Flemmeng, in the same county, which is extended at 21*l.* 13*s.* 4½*d.* yearly; together with all the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William in co. Devon, for the purparty falling to them of all the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William in England, Wales, and Ireland, provided that the houses and buildings in the manors of Otery Mohun, Munketon, Galmeton, Stoklemeng, and the trees in the woods of Otery Mohun and Munketon and in the park of Galmeton, which are

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appraised at 790*l.* 11*s.* 8*d.*, and the buildings of the manor of Otery Mohun, which are appraised at 24*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*, the trees in the wood of Otery Mohun, which are appraised at 720*l.*, the houses and buildings of the manor of Munketon, which are appraised at 6*s.* 8*d.*, the trees in the wood of that manor, which are appraised at 12*l.*, the buildings of the manor of Galmeton, which are appraised at 22*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, the trees in the park of the same manor, which are appraised at 20*s.*, the houses and buildings of the manor of Stokflemeng, which are appreciated at 10*l.* 5*s.*, shall fall to John and Eleanor to make up their purparty, and what is lacking to them in the assignment according to the yearly extent shall be completed . . . by the aforesaid value of the buildings and trees.

The king sent to Malcolm de Harley, escheator this side Trent, his writ, dated at Westminster, 12 June, in the 18th year of his reign, (which is set out in full) ordering him to assign to Joan late the wife of John de Cancellaria, in dower a third of the manor of Lifton, which is in the king's hands by the demise of the said John, in accordance with the extent of the manor made by Master Henry de Bray, the late escheator.

As the manor by the aforesaid extent is extended at 29*l.* 4*s.* 4*d.*, on 14 June, in the aforesaid year, the said Malcolm assigned to the said Al[ice] (*sic*) a third of the manor, to have *in tenencia* in form aforesaid; to wit a third of the site of the court, which is extended at 12*d.* yearly; a third of 20 acres of meadow, which is extended at 10*s.* yearly; a third of 40 acres of wood, which third is extended in pannage and pasture at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; a third of 21*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* rent of freemen and villeins; . . . water-mill; a third of the outer (*forinseci*) hundred, which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; and a third of the profit of pleas and perquisites of the internal (*intrinsece*) court, which are extended at 40*s.* yearly.

Oct. 26.
Westminster.

Idonea de Leybourn attorned before the king in her place Richard de Medbourn and Walter de Gilling to demand her purparty of the inheritance that belonged to Richard son of John, deceased.

MEMBRANE 3d.

Oct. 28.
Westminster.

John le Dauncer of Cristeshale acknowledges that he owes to William de la Doune, clerk, 125 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his land and chattels in co. Essex. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

*Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by William by his letter, which is sewed to this roll.**

William de Staunton acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 9*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Essex, Nottingham, and Lincoln.

Simon de Bruly acknowledges that he owes to Roger Brabazon, the younger, 40*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

Nicholas de Castello, parson of the church of Erde, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 80 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Note of payment of 20 marks.

* The letter has become detached from the roll and lost.

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Westminster.

The prior of Newstead near Gyldeford acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Surrey.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Thomas de Knares[burgh], attorney of the executors of William's will.

Enrolment of deed of William de Blakeburn granting to Robert de Cliderhou, clerk, all his pasture and wood in Bayleye in Acton, to wit the pastures called 'Crawesbach' and 'Walshemenescoles.' Witnesses: Adam de Middelton, Robert his brother, Robert de Haydok, Gilbert de Singelton, Roger del Plat, William de Chaderton. Dated at London, on Monday after All Saints, 25 Edward.

Memorandum, that William came into chancery, and acknowledged this charter, and prayed that it might be enrolled.

Calvanus Bek, merchant of Florence, acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Capella, parson of the church of Sevenok, 4 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Cancelled on payment.

Hugh Purcel acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton and Hugh de Eton 60*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in Ireland.

Nov. 6.
Eltham.

Master Nicholas de Honyngton acknowledges that he owes to John de Langeton, parson of the church of Reculvre, 178*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Vacated, because others made acknowledgment for the same money in the twenty-sixth year.

Bedford.—John de Lenham puts in his place Richard de Hoclyve to receive his part of the manor of Weston falling to him with Richard de Weylond and Eleanor, late the wife of Bertram de Kiriel, the heirs and parceners of Maud, late the wife of Hamo de Crevequer.

Memorandum, that Henry de Leyburn of co. Kent, who married Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Simon de Sharstede, tenant in chief, without the king's licence, came before the chancellor in chancery at Westminster, on Tuesday after All Saints, 25 Edward, and granted that he would satisfy John le Latimer, to whom the king had granted the marriage of Elizabeth, for the value of the marriage when John should speak concerning it, and for this he bound himself and his heirs and his lands, goods and chattels to be distrained at the king's pleasure until he shall satisfy John. And for greater security he found mainpernors, to wit Ralph de Sandwyco, Robert de Burghessh, Richard de Graveney and John de Watton, of the aforesaid county, each of whom bound himself and his heirs and all his lands, goods and chattels to be distrained at the king's will as above. Be it known that the king pardoned Henry the forfeiture pertaining to him in this matter, provided that he satisfy John for the value of the marriage, as is more fully contained in the king's writ of privy seal sent to the chancellor, which is on the files of the chancery.

Memorandum, that the said John le Latimer came into chancery at Westminster, on 1 April, in the 28th year, and acknowledged that he had been satisfied for the marriage aforesaid, and granted that the said obligation of Henry, Ralph, Robert, Richard, and John made to him shall be annulled.

Memorandum, that two inquisitions, one for the prior of Wytheham and the other for the abbot of Grestein, were sent to the exchequer.

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Ralph Coterel of the Peak (*del Pek'*) acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 18*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Derby.

Nov. 10.
Eltham.

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that Willam de Petteleye came before the king, on Sunday before Martinmas, and sought to replevy to John atte Watre of Northmundham and Juliana, his wife, their land in Doneweton, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices against Emma, late the wife of Adam le Justour. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Ralph de Mountgoye acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 21*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Derby.

Emma, late the wife of Richard son of John, puts in her place James de Dalileye and Ralph de Burton to demand her dower of the lands, knights' fees, and advowsons of churches that belonged to Richard.

Robert de Clifford puts in his place Thomas de Warthecop to demand and receive his purparty of the inheritance of Richard son of John, tenant in chief.

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Nov. 17.
Eltham.

John de Bulkeputte acknowledges that he owes to the king 22*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

John de Drax, parson of the church of Neuton, acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Wilts.

Cancelled on payment.

To the sheriff of Buckingham. Whereas the king, for the relief of all the inhabitants and people of the realm, has granted and confirmed, for the ninth granted to him by the laity of the realm in aid of the defence of the realm, the great charter of liberties of England and also the charter of the liberties of the Forest, and he has renewed them, willing and granting that the charters shall be firmly and inviolably kept in all and singular their articles: the king orders the sheriff to cause the charters to be published throughout his bailiwick in places where he shall see fit, and to cause them to be observed in all and singular their articles so far as in him lies. [*Fœdera*; Ryley, *Placita*, p. 473.]

Robert de Clyfford, by Hugh de Louthre, his general attorney in all pleas, nephew (*nepos*) and co-heir of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, puts in his place Thomas de Warthecop to demand and receive his purparty of the lands that belonged to Richard.

Idonia de Laybourn, niece (*neptis*) and co-heiress of the said Richard, puts in her place Richard de Medbourn and Walter de Gilling' to seek and demand her purparty of the said lands.

Maud, wife of William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, eldest sister and co-heiress of the said Richard, puts in her place Robert Dastyn and John de Dodingsell to demand and receive the purparty falling to the earl and her of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to the said Richard.

The said earl puts in his place Adam de Herwynton to seek and demand the purparty falling to him and Maud of the lands that belonged to the said Richard.

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Nov. 21.
Westminster.

To the keeper of the king's park of Gyldeford. The king is sending William de Balliolo and Master William le Venur, his yeomen, the bearer of the presents, to take venison in that park in this present close time (*ad instantem fermesonam capiendam*) for the use of Edward, his son, supplying his place in England, and orders the keeper to permit them to take such venison and to aid them in doing so. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

By the bill of the steward and by the bishops of Ely and London.

To the keeper of the king's park of Bansted. Order to cause John son of Thomas to have in that park four does and two leafless oak-stumps, of the king's gift.

By the bishops of London and Ely.

Nov. 24.
Westminster.

To the bailiffs and men of Great Yarmouth. Whereas the whole community of that town have promised, for all and singular of the community, by their letters patent that they will not do evil by land or by sea to the barons of the Cinque Ports by reason of the disputes and discords between them and the said barons, but that they will hold themselves in peace without inflicting damage or annoyance upon them or any of them until the completion of three months after the king's return to England, and the communities of each of the Cinque Ports promised the like on their side; and the king now understands that the bailiffs and men have taken Thomas Fayrweder, a baron of the port of Dover, and have imprisoned him at Yarmouth by reason of the said disputes: the king orders them to release him without delay, if they have taken him solely for this reason. If he have been arrested for any other reason than the said disputes, they are to certify the king of the reason under their seal.

By C. to wit by the bishops of London and Ely.

To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Adam de Eyton, deceased.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to deliver in mainprise Robert de Hale, imprisoned at Neugate for the death of William Caperoun, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Ralph de Sandewico and John Breton, justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

Nov. 27.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Oliva, late the wife of William de Putton, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Order to cause dower to be assigned from the manor of Rolandrith, which Adam le Despenser held of the king in chief by serjeanty, and which the sheriff took into the king's hands because Philip Burnell, lately deceased, entered it without the king's licence, and which is still in the king's hands for this reason, to Joan, late the wife of Adam, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

* The usual title of the roll, for which space has been left at the head of the membrane, has never been filled in. The date of the roll is established by the contemporary title at the foot of Membrane 1.

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To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause John, son and heir of John de Mares, to have seisin of the lands that his father held in chief at his death of the king, as the king has taken his fealty.

Nov. 28.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to take into the king's hands and to keep until otherwise ordered all the lands of Henry de Leyburn and of Elizabeth, his wife, daughter and heiress of Simon de Sharstede, tenant in chief, as Henry, who married Elizabeth without the king's licence, came into chancery and granted that he would satisfy John le Latimer, to whom the king had granted the marriage, for the value of the marriage, and for this purpose charged himself and his heirs and his lands, goods and chattels to be distrained at the king's will until he should satisfy John, and in addition he found mainpernors, to wit Ralph de Sandwyco, Robert de Burghesshe, Richard de Graveney and John de Watton, of co. Kent, who charged themselves and their heirs and their lands, goods and chattels in form aforesaid, and Henry or his mainpernors have not yet satisfied John for the marriage, although they have been many times demanded to do so in the king's court at John's suit, and the king wishes to help John in this according to the grant and the mainprise.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order to cause proclamation to be made in all cities, boroughs, market towns and other places where he shall see fit that no one shall inflict, or permit to be inflicted, any wrong, annoyance, damage, hindrance or grievance upon the merchants or other men of Denis, king of Portugal and Algarve, who may wish to come into the king's realm, in their goods or persons, by land or by sea, as the king of Portugal has made security to the king by his letters patent sent to him and has granted that all merchants and mariners and other men of the king, English and Gascon, who shall come to his ports and realms with their goods and wares by land or by sea and who wish to ply their merchandise there, may come thither, stay there, and return thence safely and securely, upon their paying the right customs usual in those realms, and the king has likewise granted by his letters patent to the king of Portugal that the merchants, mariners and men of the realms of Portugal and Algarve may come in like manner to the realm of England and to other lands subject to his power, and he has granted his peace to them, provided that they ply legal merchandise and pay the due and accustomed customs thereon, and that they do not carry the said merchandise to the king's enemies and do not communicate with them in any way, which letters the king has granted to endure for so long as the king of Portugal and his men shall cause the like security to be observed in regard to the merchants and men of the king's realm and lands.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Stephen le Blake of Southampton, who is incapacitated by age and infirmity,

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to permit the monks of Battle to have the custody of the abbey during the present voidance and of all the lands and tenements belonging to it, and free administration of all the goods and possessions pertaining to it, in accordance with the charters of the king's predecessors, whereby such custody was granted to them during voidance, and not to intermeddle with the custody or with anything pertaining to it contrary to the grant aforesaid. [Prynne, *Records*, p. 789.] By C.

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*Membrane 17—cont.*Dec. 2.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to deliver to Emma, late the wife of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, the following manors, which the king has assigned to her in dower: the manor of Whaddon, with the chace and park, co. Buckingham, which is extended at 27*l.* 11*s.* 0*d.* yearly; the manor of Aylesbur[y] with the hamlet of Burton, in the same county, which is extended at 51*l.* 4*s.* 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ *d.* yearly; the manor of Querendon, in the same county, which is extended at 34*l.* 11*s.* 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ *d.* yearly; and the manor of Shaldeford, with the park of Alford, co. Surrey, which is extended at 36*l.* 13*s.* 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.* yearly.

Memorandum, that this assignment was made in the presence of William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, who married Maud, sister and eldest heiress of the said Richard, and by the earl's assent; and that the attorneys of Robert de Clyfford and Ydonea de Leybourn, parceners and heirs of the inheritance aforesaid, came and said that they did not consent to the assignment, but that they were quite willing that she should have her dower by the middle and by the whole, according to what is contained in Magna Carta, as they alleged, that women should have their dower, and in addition, they declared that they did not believe that the extents had been well made. Joan la Botillere and the earl of Ulster, the other parceners and heirs of the inheritance, did not come, although they had been warned by the escheator.

Dec. 3.
Westminster.

To the bailiffs of Southampton. Whereas the king was lately given to understand by Nicholas de Cheny, keeper of the islands of Gereseye and Gerneseye, that Peter Barquiere, son of Arnald de la Barqua, Andrew de Paradis, Amicus de Fonte, William Arn[aldi] de Pio, and their fellows, mariners, to whom Nicholas had paid their wages to go to sea with their ship to spy out (*explorandos*) and aggrieve the king's enemies of the power of the king of France, took a ship loaded with salt and other merchandise in a certain port in Brittany, contrary to the inhibition previously made to them by the king not to do damage on the coast of Brittany, and brought the ship thus loaded to the port of Southampton; whereupon the king ordered the bailiffs to cause the said ship with the goods found in her to be arrested and to be kept safely until he should otherwise order, and to tell the said mariners to send one or two of themselves to Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, to certify the king of the deed aforesaid and to do further what should be ordained by the king's council there in this behalf; and the bailiffs returned that the mariners were not found in their bailiwick, and that they had not any ship there after the king's order reached the bailiffs, and that they had caused to be arrested a ship with certain goods found in her that was found in the custody of certain merchants of Bayonne: as it appears to the king by examination of Bernard de la Perere, Andrew du Vignal and Oliver de Vile, merchants of Bayonne, made before the treasurer of the exchequer, that they bought the said ship and goods in that port from the said mariners as lawful merchandises, being ignorant of the manner of the capture of the ship by the mariners, the king orders the bailiffs to restore the ship and the things in her to the merchants, if they have been arrested by the bailiffs solely for this reason. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

MEMBRANE 16.

Dec. 4.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Maud, late the wife of Richard de Hlywysch, to have seisin of the manor

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of Menly, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Richard and Maud held the manor jointly on the day of Richard's death of the king in chief by the service of a moiety of a knight's fee, for which reason the king has taken her fealty for the manor. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Dec. 5.
Westminster. To the same. Order to cause Walter Pykerel to have seisin of a messuage, a carucate of land, three acres of meadow and 15s. 4d. of yearly rent in Kyngesbromme, which Master William Pykerel held of the king in chief by the service of a tenth a knight's fee, as the king, in consideration of a fine made with him by Walter before the treasurer and barons of the exchequer, has pardoned him the trespass committed by him in entering the premises without his licence, saving the right of others. It is provided that Walter shall be before the king when he next comes to England to do his homage therefor. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Dec. 4.
Westminster. To the justiciary of Ireland and to the treasurer of the exchequer of Dublin. As the king much needs corn and other necessities for the munition of the castle of Carlisle against the Scots, his enemies and rebels, he orders the justiciary and treasurer to cause 300 quarters of wheat and 300 quarters of barley to be bought in Ireland immediately upon sight of these letters, and to cause them to be taken by sea to the said castle, there to be delivered to the constable. They are also ordered to cause proclamation to be made in places near the sea coast where they shall see fit that all persons having corn and victuals for sale shall cause them to be taken to the said castle, there to be exposed for sale, and to compel them to do so, if necessary, by means that the justiciary and treasurer shall see fit. They will there find a prompt and good sale (*deliberacionem*) therefor. The justiciary and treasurer are enjoined to execute this order with diligence as they love the honour of the said castle and parts.

Dec. 6.
Westminster. To the constable of Odyham castle. The king is sending William de Balliolo and William le Venur, his huntsmen, to take in the park of Odyham a hundred does in this present close season (*in instanti fermisone*) for his use, and he orders the constable to permit them to take the does, and to aid and counsel them in so doing. By the treasurer.

Dec. 9.
Eltham. To Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause John de Alneto and Alice, his wife, daughter and heiress of Hugh de Wyndesor', to have seisin of the lands that Hugh at his death held of the king in chief, as she has proved her age before the king. It is provided that John shall be before the king at his next coming into England to do the homage therefor due.

Memorandum, that John afterwards came to St. Albans and did the homage.

Dec. 8.
Westminster. To H. elect of York. As it is necessary to provide money speedily for the expenses of the earls, barons and others of the realm who are setting out against the Scots, the king's rebels, the king requires the elect that he will, in consideration of the perils threatening the realm and more especially the northern parts by the invasion of the Scots, cause all the money of the subsidy that is said to have been granted by the clergy of his province for the defence of the realm, to be levied with all speed and paid to Walter de Agmodesham, the clerk deputed by the magnates for the expenditure of the money for the defence of the realm, without delay, so that the expedition may not be delayed for lack of money. [Prynne, *Records*, p. 789.]

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Dec. 12.
The Tower.

To Stephen de Penecestre, warden of the Cinque Ports, or to him who supplies his place. Order to permit Master Anselm de Cestria and Master Hamo de Gatton, clerks, to pass from the port of Dover to parts beyond sea with their servants and things, as the king has granted them licence to cross.
By the bishops of Ely and London.

Dec. 10.
The Tower.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Whereas the prioress and nuns of St. Mary's, Chester, surrendered to the king four acres at Coddeshache lying nearest to their land of Walriscote, which four acres the king had previously granted to them by charter, and the king, wishing to make them recompence, granted to them by his letters patent, under date 15 September, in the eleventh year of his reign (*Calendar*, p. 75), 10s. of yearly rent to be received by the hands of the fermors of his town of Middlewich (*de Medio Wycho*) at Michaelmas, to them and their successors in frank almoin: he orders the justice to cause the prioress and nuns to have that sum for Michaelmas last, together with any arrears thereof.

Sept. 12.
The Tower.

To Ralph de Sandwyco, constable of the Tower of London. Order to receive Edward son of John de Balliolo, Alexander son of the earl of Mar and Robert de Strathern, who will be delivered to him in the household of Edward, the king's son, to keep them in the Tower according to the form enjoined upon him by W. bishop of Ely, R. bishop of London, and W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the king's treasurer.

To Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Hugh de Cressingham, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Hugh held nothing of the king in chief at his death by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

To John de Lythe[eynes], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Alesia, late the wife of John de Lungvilers, tenant in chief, upon her taking an oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Dec. 14.
The Tower.

Matthew le Lytle, imprisoned at Gyldeford for the death of an unknown man, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

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Langley.

John de Hampslape, imprisoned at Westminster for the death of John le Tancarder, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

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Jan. 2.
Langley.

To the bailiffs of Ravenesere. Order to deliver to John de Dalton, burgess of Yarmouth, one of the ships that lately came into their port owing to tempest at sea and that remain there as forfeited to the king, with all her tackle, such as the king has not yet given to any one else.
Witness: Edward, the king's son. By p.s.

Jan. 9.
Langley.

To the sheriff of Lancaster. Order to cause John de Langeton and Alesia, his wife, to have seisin of a messuage, a toft and an acre of land in Neuton-in-Makerfeld, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the premises, which William le Kydere of Neuton, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that William held them of John and Alesia, and that the township of Neuton now holds them and has had the king's year and day, for which it ought to answer to him. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

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Jan. 12.
Langley.

To the sheriff of Warwick. Order to deliver in mainprise Henry Brumman of Tydington, imprisoned in Warwick gaol for the death of Hugh de Faucumbe, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Hugh de Braundeston and John Nayrenut, his justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him when in a fit of madness (*dum in frenetica passione detentus*) and not of felony or malice aforethought. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Jan. 14.
Langley.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Alice, late the wife of William de Mortuo Mari of Kyngeston, tenant in chief by reason of the lands that belonged to Gilbert Pecche, deceased, who enfeofed the king of all his lands, of which Gilbert William held the manor of Kyngeston by knight service, the following of William's lands and tenements, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a third of the chief messuage of Kyngeston, co. Cambridge, which third is extended at 4s. 5½*d.* yearly; a third of 448 acres of land in the same town, each acre of which is extended at 6*d.* yearly; a third of fourteen acres of mowable (*falcabil'*) meadow in the same town, each acre of which is extended at 2s. yearly; a third of twelve acres of pasture in the same town, whereof each acre is extended at 12*d.* yearly; a third of 49s. of yearly rent in the same town; a third of the works, rents, customs and services of customary tenants (*customariorum*) in the same town, which (*que*) are extended at 9*l.* 14s. 0*d.* yearly; a third of the pleas and perquisites of the court, which (*que*) are extended at 6s. yearly; a third of a windmill in the same town, which mill is extended at 26s. 8*d.* yearly; a third of 100 acres of wood in the same town, which wood is extended at 20s. yearly: which are held of the king in chief for the reason aforesaid. Also a third of thirty acres of land in Caldecote, in the same county, which are held of Guy, parson of the church of Kyngeston, which [third] is extended at 15s. yearly; the manor of Sculton, co. Norfolk, which is extended at 10*l.* 14s. 0*d.* yearly; a third of 230½ acres of land in Attleburgh, in the same county, each acre of which is extended at 14*d.* yearly; 13 acres of meadow in the same town, which are extended at 6s. 6*d.* yearly; a several pasture with turbary and rush-bed (*junctis*) in the same town, which is extended at 6s. 8*d.* yearly; 234½ acres of wood in the same town, each acre of which is extended at 12*d.* yearly; a moiety of the herbage in the wood, which herbage is extended at 6s. 8*d.* yearly; a windmill in the same town, which is extended at 6s. 8*d.* yearly; a third of 6*l.* 14s. 8½*d.* of yearly rent in the same town; a rent of 41 quarters and 1½ bushels of oats in the same town, which (*que*) is extended at 27s. 5*d.* yearly; a rent of 26 hens in the same town, which are extended at 2s. 2*d.* yearly; a rent of a hundred eggs in the same town, which are extended at 3*d.* yearly; one hundred and thirty-three autumn boon-works (*opera*) in the same town, which are extended at 11s. 1*d.* yearly; three boon-works with carts (*tria opera caretaria*) in the same town, which are extended at 6*d.* yearly; twenty-seven boon-works at hoeing corn in winter in the same town, which are extended at 6½*d.* yearly;* nine mowing boon-works (*opera falcatoria*) in the same town, which are extended at 13½*d.* yearly: which are held of John de Warenna, earl of Surrey. Also a chief-messuage in the town of Attleburgh, which is extended at 10*d.* yearly; two acres, a rood, a moiety of an acre and a third of a rood of land in the same town, which are extended at 11½*d.* yearly; a third of the land lying between the old ditch of the park of

* Here Membrane 15 commences.

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Attleburgh, which extends from the ditch called 'Berdeledich' on the south to Stoderhache on the north, and the ditch nearest to the pasture of Gersinghe by which the park is enclosed, which is extended at 8s. yearly: which are held of Robert de Tateshale. The king wills that this assignment made in his court shall not prejudice the said earl hereafter if he happen to establish (*disracionare*) by consideration of the king's court the wardship of the lands that William held of him by knight service, and shall not prejudice any one else.

Jan. 13.
Langley.

To the same. Notification that the king has assigned from the inheritance that belonged to Richard son of John, tenant in chief, to William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, who married Maud, the eldest sister and co-heiress of Richard, the manor of Multon, co. Northampton, which is extended at 43*l.* 6*s.* 11*d.* yearly; 32*l.* 0*s.* 10½*d.* yearly of land, rent, meadow, wood and pasture in the manor of Potterspirie, in the same county, which, with the park and other appurtenances, is extended at 39*l.* 1*s.* 3¾*d.* yearly, as their purparty of the inheritance this side Trent, and order to deliver the premises to them, on condition that they come into chancery in the octaves of the Purification to do and receive concerning the purparty what the king's court shall consider, which day the king has prefixed to Robert de Clifford and Idonea de Leyburn, their co-heirs and parceners of the inheritance, to receive their purparties, and on condition that then and at other times whenever Robert and Idonea and Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, kinsman and co-heir, and Joan la Botiller, the fourth sister and co-heiress, or any of them shall complain to the king that the earl and Maud have more in their purparty than ought to have been assigned to them, the king may resume the lands etc. thus assigned into his hands and cause them to be parted with the other lands between the earl and Maud and the other heirs and parceners, and on condition that the earl come to the king on his next coming into England to do his homage therefor and render his relief.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Roger de Burghhill to be discharged of 9*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* at which the goods and chattels of John de Balon, clerk, were appraised before the justices last in eyre in co. Wilts, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being indicted before the justices upon suspicion of theft and larceny, as the king ordered Roger, then sheriff of Hereford, to restore the goods and chattels because John had purged his innocence before R. then bishop of Salisbury, to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy, and the king learns that he restored them to John.

Jan. 17.
Langley.

To J. bishop of Carlisle, constable of Carlisle castle. Order to cause the houses and walls of that castle to be repaired where necessary. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Jan. 23.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harlegh, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause the heir of William de Mortuo Mari to have 20*l.* for his maintenance from the issues of the lands that belonged to William that are now in the king's hands, as the king lately granted the custody of certain lands that belonged to William to John de Warema, earl of Surrey, the wardship whereof the earl asserted pertained to him by reason of the minority of the heir, to hold until a month from Easter next, on condition that he should answer to the exchequer for the issues received thence, unless he can show that the wardship ought to pertain to him and not to the king,

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and the king granted to the heir 20*l.* from the issues of the lands that belonged to William still remaining in his hands for his maintenance, to be received yearly from the escheator for so long as they should be in the king's hands.

To the bailiffs of Wynchelse. Order to cause William Maufee and Joan, his wife, to have 100*s.* for Michaelmas term last from the ferm of that town, as the king granted to them by his letters patent 15 marks yearly from the ferm by the hands of the bailiffs for Joan's maintenance, a moiety at Easter and a moiety at Michaelmas, and 100*s.* are in arrear for Michaelmas last, as they say.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Walter le Baud, as it is testified before the king by R. bishop of London that Walter is insufficiently qualified.

Jan. 26.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the abbot, prior and convent of Westminster to be acquitted of all debts exacted from them by reason of the manor of Denham, co. Buckingham, for any time before the 10 January, in the twentieth year of the reign, when the king granted it to them in frank almain for the celebration of the anniversary of Queen Eleanor, his late consort. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to cause W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer, to have in the forest of La Mare ten live bucks and fourteen live does, in order to stock his park of Terven therewith, of the king's gift.

By the bishops of London and Ely.

To Malcolm de Harlewe, escheator this—— [*Incomplete.*]

Vacated.

Jan. 28.
Westminster.

To the mayor and bailiffs of Sandwich. Order to permit Fertunius de Vergna, lord of Penadoso, of Arragon, who lately came into England as an envoy and who is coming to the king in Flanders, to cross the sea from that port with his household and things to come to the king.

By the bishops of London and Ely.

Jan. 24.
Westminster.

To John de Lythegr[eynes], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margaret, late the wife of Robert de la Val, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence, as it was not the king's intention when he took the fealty of Andrew de Smytheton, who married Margery, sister and heiress of Robert, for all the lands that Robert at his death held in chief of the king, and it is not his intention that Margaret should not have her dower of the said lands.

Jan. 26.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William de Cokerinton, who is insufficiently qualified, as the king learns by the testimony of W. bishop of Ely.

Jan. 28.
Westminster.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to cause the king's mills at Chester and his causeway there to be repaired where necessary, so far as pertains to the king, so that the king shall not incur damage hereafter through lack of the repair of the mills and causeway.

It is changed, because it was previously granted by C.

Feb. 4.
Langley.

To Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Alan, son and heir of Richard le Rus, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father was seised at his death, which are in the king's hands by reason

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of the lands of William Bardolf, tenant in chief, being in the king's hands, of which William Richard held by knight service, because Richard died during the time when William's lands were in the king's hands, as Alan has proved his age before the king.

To the sheriff of Bedford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John de Wutton, as it is testified before the king by Reginald de Grey that John occupies the position of constable of Chester castle, so that he [is unable to execute] the office of coroner.

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Langley

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Although the king lately granted to John de Wareenna, earl of Surrey, the manors of Attleburgh, Sculton, Bernham and Herlauston,—which belonged to William de Mortuo Mari of Kyngeston, tenant in chief of the king, by reason of the manor of Kyngeston, which he lately held of Gilbert Pecche, deceased, by the service of three knights' fees, which Gilbert enfeoffed the king of all his lands, together with the homage and service of William, as is found, by an inquisition taken by the escheator, of which manors the earl asserts that the custody belongs to him by reason of the minority of William's heir, because William held them of him by knight service,—to hold until a month from Easter next, on condition that the earl should answer to the king for the issues received from the manors in the meantime if they ought to pertain to the king, and on condition that the escheator might then resume the manors into the king's hands and keep them until the king should otherwise ordain, and that in case the earl established (*disracionare*) his wardship of the manors against the king, then the earl should answer to the king for the portion pertaining to him of the 20*l.* yearly that the king granted to the heir of William for his maintenance from the issues of the lands that belonged to William in the escheator's bailiwick remaining in the king's hands for the time during which the manors should be in the earl's hands, saving the dower of Alice, late the wife of William, assigned by the king: as, however, it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery that the afore-said three knights' fees in Kingeston, Wynepol and Emeresdon, co. Cambridge, which William lately held of the said Gilbert, were assigned to Joan, late the wife of Gilbert, as part of her dower of the knights' fees that belonged to Gilbert, by reason whereof the custody of the manor of Kyngeston pertains to her at present by virtue of the said assignment, and it does not appear to the king that William held of him in chief by any other reason than that of the manor of Kyngeston whereby the wardship of his lands may or ought to pertain to the king, he orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to William, and to supersede entirely the execution of the king's writ sent to him to pay the said heir 20*l.*

By all the council.

Feb. 8.
Langley.

To the sheriff of Salop. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John Honaut, deceased.

To the sheriff of Stafford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Roger de Swynnerton, deceased.

Feb. 12.
Langley.

To the sheriff of Cornwall. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Laurence Dynisel, deceased. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

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To the treasurer and chamberlains of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas the king lately ordered them by writ of the exchequer to cause 500 quarters of wheat and 500 quarters of barley malt and 500 marks sterling to be provided, and to send them to Wales to Hugh de Leministre, treasurer of Wales, for the munition of the king's castles of Wales, and they have hitherto done nothing in execution of the order, at which the king is surprised: he orders them to send these provisions to Wales without delay, if they have not already done so by the time this writ reaches them.

By C.—Duplicated.

Feb. 15.
Langley.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Agnes, late the wife of Gilbert de Pulbec, tenant in chief, the following of Gilbert's lands, which the king has assigned to her in dower, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence: a third of the chief messuage of Kyngeseye, co. Buckingham, which third is extended at 2s. 2½d. yearly; 53 acres and a rood and a third of land in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 6d. yearly; six acres of meadow in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 12d. yearly; an acre and a rood and a third of pasture in the same manor, which are extended at 8d. yearly; a third of a water-mill in the same manor, which third is extended at 3s. 4d. yearly; 8s. 9½d. yearly of the rents of free tenants in the same manor; the rent of a clove gillyflower (*clari gariojili*) in the same manor; 19s. 4d. yearly of the rents of customary tenants in the same manor; 16d. of the rent of cotters in the same manor; seven autumn boon-works (*opera autumnalia*) in the same manor, which are extended at 7s. 0¾d. yearly; a third of a gift in the same manor, which third is extended at 2s. 8½d. yearly; a third of the pleas and perquisites of the court in the same manor, and an acre of wood in Little Kynebelle, in the same county, which are extended at 2d. yearly. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Feb. 15.
Langley.

To the same. Order to cause William, son and heir of Suspirius de Baiocis, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held by knight service of the barony of Bayeux, which is in the king's hands, as he has proved his age before the king, who has taken his fealty for the said lands.

Feb. 16.
Fulham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the abbot of Evesham to be acquitted of scutage for four and a half knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as he made fine with the king for that service, which he then recognised to the king, as appears to the king by the rolls of the Marshalsea for that army.

To the same. Like order to cause the abbot of Pershore to be acquitted of the scutage for the service of one knight in the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign.

To the same. Like order in favour of the said abbot for the scutage for two knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign.

Feb. 21.
Westminster.

To the same. Like order to cause G. bishop of Worcester to be acquitted of the scutage for three knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 787.]

Feb. 20.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to cause Thomas de la Roche to be acquitted of 259l. exacted from him for the arrears of his account for the time when he was sheriff of Cork in Ireland, as the king has pardoned him in consideration of his good service. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

The like to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer in England.

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Feb. 24.
Fulham.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king has granted and confirmed the grant and demise made by Roger de Moubray, deceased, to John de Creppinges by an indented deed between them of all Roger's lands in the town of Crek, co. Northampton, and of 10 marks yearly of rent in the town of Melton Moubray, for the term of seven years, made in consideration of 140*l.* paid by John to Roger beforehand, as contained in the said deed, and as is contained in the king's letters patent made to John [*Calendar of Patent Rolls, 1297, p. 325*]: the king orders the escheator, if he ascertain that John was seised of the premises by virtue of the demise before Roger's death and if he took them into the king's hands solely by reason of Roger's death, not to intermeddle further with them and to restore the issues thereof received by him in the meantime.

Feb. 21.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause G. bishop of Worcester to be acquitted of the scutage for three knights' fees in the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as he made fine with the king in that army for the service of these fees, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears by the rolls of the Marshalsea for that army.

Feb. 21.
Westminster.

W. archbishop of Dublin, who is setting out by the king's order to the court of Rome, has respite for all debts due to the exchequer of Dublin during the king's pleasure, and the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin are ordered to cause him to have such respite.

Feb. 24.
Fulham.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king lately ordered him to take into the king's hands and keep safely until otherwise ordered all the lands that belonged to William de Mohun, tenant in chief, which the king had ordered to be parted equally between John de Meriet, who married Mary, the youngest daughter and co-heiress of William, and John de Carreu, who married Eleanor, the eldest daughter and coheiress of William, because the escheator had caused the partition to be made in the absence of Eleanor and Mary and without their assent, contrary to the custom of the realm, and John and John afterwards came into chancery in their own persons, and Mary came by Bartholomew le Sauvage and John de Wyk, and Eleanor came by Robert Bending and John Hager, their attorneys, and accepted the partition made by the escheator between them and assented to it: the king orders the escheator to cause John de Meriet and Mary and John de Carreu and Eleanor to have seisin of their purparties again, together with the issues received thence since they were taken into the king's hands. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Feb. 24.
Fulham.

To Walter de la Haye, escheator of Ireland. Order to resume into the king's hands all the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches of the inheritance of William de Mohun, deceased, in Ireland that the king ordered to be assigned and delivered by the escheator to John de Carreu and Eleanor, his wife, eldest daughter and heiress of William, and to deliver them, together with the other lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches whereof William was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death, to John de Meriet and Mary, his wife, the second daughter and heiress of William, and the issues received thence by the escheator since the time of the partition thereof made by him, as, although the king ordered the escheator to cause John de Carreu and Eleanor to have seisin of their purparty of William's lands in Ireland according to a partition to be made by the escheator, nevertheless as John and Eleanor and John

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and Mary appeared by his order in chancery, to wit² John and John in their own persons and Eleanor and Mary by their attorneys, and John and Eleanor granted, in consideration of the houses and buildings in the manors of Otery Mohun, Munketon, Galmeton and Stokfleming assigned to them in their purparty by the assent of John and Mary and for the trees in the woods of Otery Mohun and Munketon and in the park of Galmeton, which are appraised at 790*l.* 11*s.* 8*d.*, and which ought to fall to John and Eleanor to complete what is lacking of their purparty of all the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William in England and Wales according to the extents made thereof, that all the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches that are of the inheritance aforesaid in Ireland shall be assigned to John and Mary in their purparty in addition to what is assigned to them in England and Wales.

Memorandum, that after the partition was made by Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent, between the heirs and parceners aforesaid of all the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William in England and Wales and in Ireland by the assent of John and John only, as appears on the back of the Close [Roll] for the twenty-fifth year, all the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William in the escheator's bailiwick were taken into the king's hands because the partition was made in the absence and without the assent of Eleanor and Mary, the heiresses of the inheritance, and because they were not summoned to be present at the partition, and also because John de Carreu was under age when the partition was made, and the escheator was ordered to warn the heirs and parceners to be in chancery in the octaves of the Purification last to do and receive what the king's court should consider concerning their purparties; and they came into chancery at that day, to wit John and John in their own persons, and Eleanor by Robert Bending and John Hager, and Mary by Bartholomew le Sauvage and John atte Wyk, their attorneys, and they consented to the purparty aforesaid and to the partition, and they prayed that their purparties might be delivered to them in accordance with the partition aforesaid.

March 7.
Canterbury.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. As the extents made by the escheator at the king's order of the lands in his bailiwick that belonged to Roger de Moubray, tenant in chief, were insufficiently made in many articles, in one to wit that they made no mention of the lands pertaining to the hamlets of the manor of Eppeworth, which belonged to Roger, and in another in that they made no mention of the contents in acres or of the value of four woods pertaining to that manor, or of the names of the free tenants or of others of that manor, or of the hamlets, or of how much each renders by himself or does for his yearly service, or of divers several fisheries that are of the appurtenances of the manor and hamlets, to wit what each fishery is worth yearly, and which are of the appurtenances of the manor and which of the hamlets aforesaid jointly or severally, and other defects are found in divers other articles of the extents, as the escheator may discover by the transcript of the extents in his possession, the king could not assign dower thereof to Rohesia (*Roes'*), late the wife of Roger, for which reason the assignment of dower is delayed through the escheator's fault and to Rohesia's damage, at which the king is concerned (*movemur*): the king orders the escheator to extend again without delay all the said lands and tenements with their appurtenances,

* Here Membrane 13 commences.

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and to cause dower to be assigned to Rohesia, because she has taken oath before Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, that she will not marry without the king's licence, which assignment is to be made in the presence of him whom Edmund, earl of Cornwall, to whom the king has committed the custody of the lands except the dower, shall depute for this purpose when summoned by the escheator, saving to the earl his costs in sowing the lands to be assigned to Rohesia.

To John de Lythegreynes, escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to the said Rohesia the following of the lands that belonged to the said Roger, which the king has assigned to her in dower: the manor of Burton in Lannesdale, co. York, which is extended at 21*l.* 6*s.* 11½*d.* yearly; the chief messuage of Kirkeby Melesard, in the same county, which, with the gardens, is extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; 140 acres of arable land in the same manor, which are extended at 70*s.* yearly, to wit each acre 6*d.*; 20 acres of land in the same manor, which lie uncultivated, and which are extended at 8*s.* 4*d.*, to wit each acre 5*d.* yearly; 29 acres of meadow in the same manor, which are extended at 38*s.* 8*d.*, to wit each acre 16*d.* yearly; a several pasture in the same manor called 'the warren' (*varemma*), which is extended at 26*s.* 8*d.* yearly; the agistment in Shelden and Granteleye, which is extended at 5*s.* yearly; a rent of a pound of pepper in the same manor, which is extended at 12*d.* yearly; a turbary in the same manor, which is extended at 5*s.* yearly; the pannage in the same manor, which is extended at 12*d.* yearly; a cowhouse in the same manor, which is extended at 26*s.* 8*d.* yearly; the fines and pleas of the court in the same manor which are extended at 26*s.* 8*d.* yearly; 33*s.* 2*d.* of yearly rent of free tenants in the same manor; 34*s.* 8*d.* yearly of the rent of cotters in the same manor.

Memorandum, that Rohesia was dowered of the lands that belonged to Roger beyond Trent as appears in the writ aforesaid, and she was told by the chancellor to receive her dower under this form from the lands that belonged to Roger on this side Trent, to wit that if the king willed that she should not be dowered in the Isle of Axiholm, the lands therein assigned to her in dower shall be taken again into the king's hands and lands of the said inheritance beyond Trent shall be assigned to her up to the value of her dower in the Isle.

March 9.
Wingham.

To Hugh de Busshy, escheator in co. Chester. Order to cause Hugh, son and heir of Hugh de Dutton, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his fealty and he has proved his age before Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester.

Memorandum, that, on Friday after St. Gregory, to wit 14 March, the king arrived in the port of Sandwich from Flanders about the hour of none, and on Saturday the morrow about the hour of prime John de Langeton, the chancellor, in the king's chamber at Sandwich, before the king's bed, in the king's presence and by his order, Sir R. de Grey, Sir J. de Drokenesford, then keeper of the king's wardrode, and Sir J. de Benstede then standing there, delivered to Sir W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the king's treasurer, the seal that the king used in England when he was in Flanders under the chancellor's seal, to be kept in the treasury, and the king forthwith in the presence of all the men aforesaid delivered his great seal that he had with him in Flanders to the said John de Langeton, his chancellor, under his privy seal by his own hand.

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Canterbury.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Thomas de Verdun, the king's yeoman, to have in the Forest of Rokingham ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift. By K.

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Memorandum, that Adam de Welles did homage to the king at Canterbury, on Monday after St. Gregory, to wit 17 March, for all the lands that he held of Gilbert de Gaunt on the day of Gilbert's death by reason of the manors of Folkingham, Edenham, Hekinton, and Barton-on-Humber (*Humbriam*), which Gilbert held for life of the king's commission and which came to the king's hands by Gilbert's death together with Gilbert's whole barony, which he held of the king in chief and which he lately rendered into the king's hands.

March 17.
Canterbury.

To Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and Marshal of England. Whereas Hugh de Veer is setting out for the court of Rome for the common benefit of the king and of his realm, by the king's special order, for which reason the king wishes to provide for his indemnity so far as he can honestly, as he is bound: he therefore requests the earl to respite until Hugh's return to England the demand that he makes upon him and Dionysia, his wife, the daughter and heiress of William son of Warin de Monte Caniso, for a relief to be rendered to the earl for the lands that Hugh and Dionysia hold of him, for which the king will be grateful to him.

The like '*de verbo ad verbum*' to Robert de Tateshale.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Hugh to be acquitted of 600*l.* due to the king for divers imprests made to him in Gascony for all the time when he was in the king's service there, as the king has pardoned him this sum.

To the same. Order to cause Nicholas Alard, mariner of Winchelse, to be forgiven the 25*l.* due to the king for a ship forfeited to the king that was sold to him by them, as the king has pardoned him this sum in consideration of his good service.

To the abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury. Whereas certain arms (*armature*), vessels (*vasa*), and other goods of William Martyn, which were lately wrecked in a ship upon the abbot's land of Tanet, were thrown up (*projecta*) on land there; the king orders the abbot to make inquisition into whose hands the goods came, and to cause them to be restored with the goods of the master of the ship to the master and William without delay, so that renewed complaint shall not come to the king.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to permit the executors of the will of William de Vesey to be acquitted of 51*l.* 9*s.* 6³/₄*d.* exacted from them by summons of the exchequer for many debts, both for imprests made in the king's wardrobe and for other causes, as the king by his letters patent pardoned William all the debts due from him to the king both for fines and amercements and for other his debts and for the debts of John de Vesey, his deceased brother, and other his ancestors for any cause.

The like to the sheriff of York.

March 17.
Canterbury.

To Malcolm de Harleze, escheator this side Trent, or to his sub-escheators in cos. Southampton and Wilts. Adam de la Forde, son and heir of Claricia de Albiniaco, has shown the king that although Claricia at her death held nothing of the king in chief or otherwise, the escheator has

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taken into the king's hands all the lands in those counties whereof she was seised at her death in her demesne as of fee as if she had held them of the king: the king, not wishing to injure Adam in this behalf, but wishing rather to deal graciously with him in consideration of his laudable service to the king in Flanders and elsewhere, orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the said lands, and to restore the issues thereof, if he ascertain that Claricia held nothing of the king in chief or otherwise.

The like to the same or to his sub-escheator in co. Essex.

March 24.
Thurrock.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king granted by his letters patent, on 17 March, in the 26th year of his reign, to God and the king's free chapel of St. Michael, Pemcrish, to W. archbishop of Dublin, dean of that place, a messuage, a mill and a virgate of land in Pemcrish that formerly belonged to William de la More, deceased, which the king had lately recovered as his right in his court before John de Berewyk and his fellows, his justices then in eyre in co. Stafford, against the said William by consideration of that court, to have and to hold to the archbishop and his successors, archbishops of Dublin, deans of that chapel, of the king in frank almoin, the king orders the treasurer and barons to discharge John de Cadamo, his clerk, to whom he lately committed the lands by writ of the exchequer during pleasure for 40s. yearly, of the said yearly sum from the date of the grant to the archbishop.

March 29.
Rotherhithe.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Whereas the justiciary and treasurer of Ireland have sent a certain quantity of corn from Ireland to that county for the munition of the castle of Carlisle by the king's order; the king orders the sheriff to cause the corn to be carried to the castle without delay, and to cause it to be delivered to J. bishop of Carlisle, the constable of that castle, for the provision thereof.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to deliver to John, duke of Brittany, or his attorney, the castle of Richmond and all John's lands that were taken into the king's hands by reason of the war between the king of France and the king, together with the stock, corn and all other goods and chattels now in the same, as the king has granted them to John to be held during the truce (*sufferencia*) between the king and the king of France.

By K.

March 7.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harleye, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause to be replevied to Henry de Leyburn during the king's will all the lands, goods and chattels of him and Elizabeth, his wife, which the king caused to be taken into his hands by reason of Henry's trespass in marrying Elizabeth without the king's licence, the king having previously granted her marriage to John le Latimer, whom Henry has found security in chancery to satisfy for the value of the marriage.

By C.

April 8.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Kent and to the coroners of that county. Whereas it was found by an inquisition taken by them by the king's order and returned into chancery under their seals that William atte Childerne rose from his bed when out of his mind (*morbo ductus frenetico*) and drowned himself in a well (*puteo*), and that the goods and chattels found in his hands were taken into the king's hands for this reason, and that they were William's own goods: the king orders them to deliver the goods and chattels to Joan, late the wife of William, upon her finding them mainprise to answer for them to the king before his justices at the first assize in those parts if they ought to pertain to him.

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Westminster.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to deliver Thomas le Mareschal of Aulton, Alice, his wife, and Nicholas, his son, who are imprisoned at Winchester for the death of Geoffrey Godemay, whereof they are appealed, in bail to twelve mainpernors each, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that they are appealed thereof out of hatred and malice and not because they are guilty.

April 10.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the prior and brethren of the Friars Preachers at Winchester to have in the forest of La Bere four leafless oak-stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of brother Walter de Winterburne.

To the constable of Nottingham castle. Whereas the king lately ordered him at the instance of Robert de Basinges to receive from him Peter le Blund of Douay and to keep him safely in that castle at Robert's expense until otherwise ordered by the king: the king now orders the constable to deliver Peter to Robert or to his attorney when required to do so by Robert.

April 11.
Westminster.

To the barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Notification that the king has granted to Hugh Purcel, in consideration of his good service in Flanders and elsewhere, that he may pay the 300 marks due from him to that exchequer, for the arrears of his account for the time when he was sheriff of the county of Tipperary (*Tiperar*) and for a fine that he made with the king for certain trespasses that he and certain of his men were said to have committed against the king, at the rate of 20 marks yearly, and order to cause him to have these terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

April 10.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the said exchequer. The king, pitying the poverty of the abbot and convent of Mellifont (*de Melli Fonte*), orders the treasurer and barons to consider the state of the house, and to so ordain for the payment of the 300*l.* due from the abbot and convent to that exchequer for a fine that they made with the king for harbouring thieves that answer may be made to the king therefor, and that divine service may nevertheless be kept up in that house.

April 8.
Westminster.

To Malcolm de Harl[eye], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Mary, late the wife of Humphrey de Bassingburn, to have seisin of the manor of Abyndon, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Humphrey and Mary were jointly enfeoffed of the manor by Humphrey de Bassingburn, father of the said Humphrey, twenty years ago, to have and to hold to them and to Humphrey's heirs, and that Mary continued her seisin thereof jointly with Humphrey until his death, when the escheator took it into the king's hands, and that it is held of the king by the service of half a knight's fee, and the king has taken her fealty for it.

April 11.
Westminster

To the bailiffs of Winchelse. Order to cause William Maufee and Joan, his wife, to have 15 marks yearly from the ferm of that town, a moiety at Easter and a moiety at Michaelmas, as the king has granted this sum to them yearly by letters patent from the ferm of that town for Joan's maintenance, in consideration of the restitution that they made to him of the custody of the gate of his castle of Chester, which he had previously delivered to Joan for her maintenance.

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To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Robert Achard and John Petipas to be acquitted of the 100 marks by which Robert made fine with the king for himself and John for the trespass committed by them in the king's forest of Pambere, whereof they were convicted before Roger de Molis and his fellows, justices appointed to hear and determine trespasses in that forest, as the king has pardoned Robert this fine by his letters patent.

To the same. Order to acquit Thomas, son and heir of Geoffrey de Scalariis, tenant in chief, of 60*l.* exacted from him for scutage for the king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it appears to the king that Thomas was at that time a minor in his wardship. It is provided that answer shall be made to the exchequer for scutage of the knights' fees that were then held of Thomas.

By K. on the information of W. de Hamelton.

MEMBRANE 11.

April 15.
Fulham.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William de Stormesworth, who is incapacitated by deafness and infirmity.

Assignment of dower to Olive, late the wife of William de Puttone, tenant in chief, made on 26 March, 26 Edward, in the presence of John, son and heir of the said William.

There are assigned to her a third of the chief messuage of Putton, co. Wilts, with free egress and ingress, to wit the barn (*grangia*) except the little chamber on the south side, together with a part of the old garden adjoining the barn on the north, containing 72 feet at the south end and 78 at the north, extended at 6*d.* a year; 23½ acres and a rood of arable land in the same manor, which are extended at 3*s.* 11½*d.* yearly, to wit 6½ acres in the *cultura* called 'Heygrave' on the east, in Wodeforlang 2½ acres, on Whyteweye 2½ acres, an acre extending over the hedge of the treasurer (*hayam thesaurar*'), in the *cultura* called 'Dene' an acre lying by itself, an acre called 'Langesturth,' an acre extending over Asshele in the *cultura* called 'Beynlonde,' an acre in La Longebrech, an acre in La Dene, half an acre and a rood lying together in La Stonylonde, 1½ acres in La Oldelonde, an acre in La Heygraveswey, an acre in the *cultura* called 'Eynesborgh,' an acre ——. * There is also assigned to her a third of an acre of meadow in the same manor, which (*quod*) is extended at 4*d.* yearly. There is also assigned to her a third of the pasture, which (*que*) is extended at 20*d.* yearly.

There are also assigned to her in co. Southampton in the town of Berghton a third of a messuage, with a third of a garden, which are extended at 2*s.* a year, to wit the hall with both doors and the porch (*porticu*) and a part of the barn (*grang'*), which contains in length 12 feet on the north, and a part of the old garden in length towards the north, which contains at the eastern end 29 feet in breadth and at the western end 21 feet, together with a piece of the new garden of the acquirement (*de perquisit'*) of the said William. There are also assigned to her 55½ acres of arable land, which are extended at 7*s.* 7*d.* yearly, to wit in the *cultura* called 'Westfeyld' 38½ acres, in the *cultura* called 'Estfeylde' 8½ acres, in the field of Muchelton 5½ acres, in the *cultura* called 'Hyde' 3 acres. There

* The entry appears to be incomplete.

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are also assigned to her $1\frac{1}{3}$ acres of meadow, which (*quod*) is extended at 15*d.* yearly, at Okele. There are assigned to her 2*s.* of the rent of John Dun, and a third of the pasture, which is extended at 8*d.* yearly.

Sum total of the assignment : 19*s.* 11*d.*

April 14.
Fulham.

Le Rey a noble homme e nostre bien amé mon sire Johan de Rodes, salut. Il nous sorient molt bien coment vous feistes arder une vostre maison es parties de Flannulr[es] par nostre volunté e pur nostre priere, e que nous vous promeismes qe nous averiens bon regard envers vous en droit du damage qui vous en auriez receu. Mais pur ceo que nous nous trovoms ja plus chargez de plusures busoignes qe nous ne quidions al oure qe nous departi[s]mes de dela, vous prioms molt qe vous vous en vuellez suffrir bonement soueaus tant que entour la quinzeine de la Seint Michel prochainement a venir : e lors voloms que vous enveez a nous aucun certain homme de qui vous vous fiez e qui nous avise pleinement en bone foi sur tote la certeinete de la busoigne, e de ce qe le damage amonte, e nous y mettroms, se Dieu plect, tieu conseil a cele heure que vous vous en devez tenir appaez par reison. Don[ez] a Fulham, le xiiij. jour d'Averil. [Ancient Correspondence, Vol. xv, no. 117.]

April 17.
Fulham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the abbot of St. Peter's, Ghent, to be acquitted of 40*l.* at which he was amerced before John de Berewyco and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. Kent, for a toll unjustly taken by him in the king's highway at Greenwich, as the king has pardoned him this amercement at the instance of Amadeus, count of Savoy. By K. on the information of the treasurer.

To the community of Douai. The king thanks them for the honours and courtesies shown [to him] when he was last in Flanders and also for the 10,000*l.* of Paris that they then lent to him, and intimates that he would have paid this money to John de Turnay and Baldwin of Artois (*Artisien*'), their attorneys sent to him in England, in full soon after his return to England if certain impediments had not recently arisen in Scotland, of which he was ignorant when he was with them, by reason whereof it will be necessary for him to journey to those parts and to make great expenditure, so that he will be unable to pay the aforesaid sum conveniently before Michaelmas next, as he wished : he therefore requests them to defer payment thereof until that term, when he will cause the money to be paid in full to their said attorneys or to others whom they shall cause to be sent to him in this behalf, and he will save them harmless concerning it, as he has told their attorneys by word of mouth.

The like to the mayor and *échevins* (*scabinis*) of Ypres (*Ipra*) concerning 10,000*l.* of Paris, which he would have paid to Andrew de Brotherlomb and John de Loo, their fellow-*échevins* (*conscabinis*), sent by them to him in England, in full soon after his return to England, unless, etc.

April 16.
Fulham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Nicholas, son and heir of Nicholas Malemeyns, to be acquitted of 20*s.* at which his father was amerced before Nicholas de Turri and his fellows, the late king's justices in eyre in co. Kent, in the forty-seventh year of his reign, for a disseisin, and of 6*s.* 8*d.* by which his father made fine in the said king's time, for having a writ, as the king has pardoned him these sums.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

* This appears to be the draft of the letter, omitting the king's style. The words '*souz nostre privé seal*' follow the '*Don[ez]*,' but they are struck out. They do not appear in the enrolment.

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*Membrane 11—cont.*April 16.
Fulham.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the king's wood of Notingham, which is within the bounds of the forest of Shirewode. Order to cause Robert de Tybotot, constable of Notingham castle, to have rods (*virgas*) to make hurdles for the works of the king's weirs there.

To John Botetourt, keeper of the forest of Dene. Order to cause Henry de Lancastris, the king's nephew, to have in that forest rods and timber in order to make his weirs of the Severn and of Rodelegh therewith, of the king's gift and as was wont to be done at other times.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. John son of Thomas has shown the king that whereas certain men of Ireland were outlawed for the death of Richard Harold at the suit of his father by consideration of the king's court of Ireland, and he has besought the king not to admit them to his peace until they shall have satisfied those concerned for this and other trespasses committed by them against the king's peace, the king, wishing to accede as far as right will permit to John's prayers, in consideration of his good service to him in Flanders, orders the justiciary not to admit such outlaws to his peace unless they will stand to right in the king's court according to the law and custom in those parts for the death aforesaid and for other trespasses that they may have committed against his peace in those parts when any one shall wish to speak against them.

To the treasurer and chamberlains of the exchequer of Dublin. John son of Thomas has shown to the king that although the king lately ordered them by writ under the seal that he uses in Ireland, upon the testimony of John, then archbishop of Dublin, and Geoffrey de Geynvill, to pay to him from the treasury 515*l.* for his costs and expenses expended by him, by the order and ordinance of Stephen de Fuleburn, late archbishop of Tuam and justiciary of Ireland, and of others of the king's council there, in attacking the king's enemies and rebels in the land of Connagh[t] in the time of the war in those parts, and that the treasurer and chamberlains have nevertheless hitherto deferred paying him this sum. As the king wishes to be more fully certified of the cause of non-payment, he orders them to certify him under the seal of the exchequer of Dublin as to the cause aforesaid and their proceedings in regard to it.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. John son of Thomas has suggested to the king that during the truce between him and Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, entered into before the justiciary in the king's court of Ireland, the earl and his men inflicted enormous trespasses and divers grievances upon John and his men in the parts of Connaught (*Connac'*) and elsewhere in Ireland, contrary to the form of the truce and of the king's peace: the king therefore orders the justiciary to call before him the parties aforesaid and to hear the reasons on both sides, and to cause due justice to be done to John concerning the premises, in accordance with the form of the truce and as ought to be done in accordance with the law and custom of those parts.

By K. and C.

April 21.
Harrow.

To the fermors of the king's mills and bridge at Chester. Order to pay to Robert de Crevequer 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for the quinzaine of Easter last, in accordance with the king's grant to him, in recompence for his surrender and grant to the king of a moiety of the manor of Saham, of the custody of the castle of Beston, co. Chester, for life and 100*s.* yearly for the custody thereof and also 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the said mills and bridges, one moiety at the quinzaine of Easter and the other at the quinzaine of Michaelmas.

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*Membrane 11—cont.*April 24.
St. Albans.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit the executors of R. late bishop of Salisbury of 200 marks exacted from him for his service as below, as he paid 100 marks into the king's wardrobe on Wednesday the feast of the Translation of St. Thomas, in the fifth year of the reign, to Master Thomas Bek, then keeper of the wardrobe, for a moiety of his service of five knights' fees, which he acknowledged to the king for his army of Wales in the aforesaid year, and he paid another 100 marks on Sunday the feast of St. Luke, in the tenth year of the reign, to Master William de Luda, keeper of the wardrobe, by which he made fine with the king for the service of two knights' fees for the army of Wales in the same year, as appears by inspection of the king's letters patent made to the bishop.

April 23.
St. Albans.

To the same. Order to cause the executors of the will of William de Vescy to be acquitted of the debts due to the king for all fines and amercements into which he fell and for other debts of his and of John de Vescy, his brother, deceased, and of other his ancestors, as the king pardoned him these debts by his letters patent.

MEMBRANE 10.

April 26.
St. Albans.

To the same. Whereas the king lately caused the temporalities of the archbishopric of Canterbury to be taken into his hands for certain reasons, and certain of the issues thereof have been levied, as he learns, for his use by his ministers appointed for the custody of the temporalities: he now, wishing to show favour to R. archbishop of Canterbury in this behalf, orders them to call before them at the exchequer the ministers aforesaid and to hear their account of the time when the temporalities were in the king's hands, and to allow to the archbishop in the debts due from him to the exchequer as much as they shall ascertain to have been levied for the king's use from the temporalities. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 787.]

April 25.
St. Albans.

To the same. Whereas Robert son of Walter, who was lately in Gascony in the king's service, was unable to levy and answer to the king for the ferm due to him for the castle of Bere and co. Meronyth, which he held at ferm by the king's commission at the time of the last war in Wales, by reason of that war, as the king understands, for which reason the king, wishing to show Robert favour on account of his service aforesaid, ordered them to acquit him of the arrears of the ferm during the time of the war, so far as they should ascertain the ferm to be due to the king for that time, and to cause him to have respite for the remainder of the arrears for which he was bound to answer to the king for the time of peace, for so long as he should be in the king's service aforesaid or until the king should otherwise ordain: the king, wishing to show him further favour, has pardoned him all arrears of the ferm for all the time during which he held the castle and county, both in time of peace and in time of war, and orders them to cause him to be acquitted thereof accordingly.

By K.

April 26.
St. Albans.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas William le Ware, burgess of Cork, lately granted to the king fifteen tuns of wine and found sureties for payment thereof, in order that he might by the king's licence make a hole through the wall of the said town and might take a ship of his that he had caused to be built within

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the walls (*infra ambitum muri*) to the water through the middle of the wall, and that he might repair the wall thus perforated at his own cost, and he has paid the king six tuns of wine and has suitably repaired the wall, as he says; the king, wishing to show favour to him for divers damages and losses incurred by him in the king's service, as the king learns by the testimony of trustworthy persons, has pardoned him the nine tuns of wine in arrear, provided that he shall have repaired the wall as is aforesaid: he therefore orders them to cause William and his sureties to be acquitted of the aforesaid nine tuns of wine in form aforesaid.

April 26.
St. Albans.

To Matthew de Columbar[iis], taker of the king's wine of the right prise throughout England. Whereas the king lately granted by his letters patent to the abbot and convent of St. Edward's place, Netley (*Leteleye*), a tun of wine of his right prise at Southampton, to be received from the taker of his wines there within the feasts of Christmas and the Purification for the celebration of divine service in their church, and three tuns for the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth years of the reign and for the present year are in arrear, as they say: the king orders him, if it be so, to cause the abbot and convent to have the said three tuns at once.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to pay to the abbot of Vale Royal, in accordance with the tenor of the king's writ of *liberate* in their hands, the 20*l.* that the king ordered them to pay yearly to the abbot until the remainder of 1,000 marks by which Richard de Hedersete made fine with the king for certain trespass charged against him, and which the king assigned to the abbot for the works of the king's abbey aforesaid, have been paid in full.

To John Botetourt, keeper of the forest of Dene. Order to cause John Giffard to have in that forest twelve roe-bucks, of the king's gift. By K.

To the same. Order to permit John Giffard to chase and take twelve harts in that forest, which the king has granted to him. By K.

April 26.
St. Albans.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Nicholas de Sancto Mauro to have in the forest of Savernak six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of the Gerards (*Gerardorum*).

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To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king has granted respite to the executors of the will of Edmund, his late brother, for all debts due from him to the exchequer on the day of his death, for the execution of his will, which debts are exacted from him by summons of his ——— [Incomplete].

April 27.
St. Albans.

To O. bishop of Lincoln. Order to cause to be restored to Simon de Beauveys, parson of the church of Wotton near Northampton, his church aforesaid, which the bishop lately caused to be sequestrated by the king's order, because Simon is an alien and of the power of the king of France, with other churches of aliens of that power in his diocese, and not to molest or aggrieve him concerning his church or anything belonging to it, as the king wishes to show him special favour at the instance of Philip de Beauveys, his yeoman.

April 26.
St. Albans.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of London to have in the king's wood of Haveringbure, which is within the bounds of the forest of Essex, seven leafless oak-stumps (*robora folia non portancia*) for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of brother Walter de Wyntreburn.

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St. Albans.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Although Matthew Horn of Wynchelese lately mainperned before the king to answer at the exchequer for all the goods and chattels that belonged to Stephen Germeyn of Wynchelese, who was outlawed for the death of Robert de Rollesby of Great Yarmouth, which were taken into the king's hands for that reason; as the outlawry aforesaid has now been annulled by consideration of the king's court, and Stephen and Matthew have hitherto rendered to the king long and faithful service, the king has granted the goods and chattels to Stephen: he therefore orders the treasurer and barons to permit him to have them, and to discharge Matthew from the goods and chattels, which are exacted from him by means of the mainprise.

By K.

To the king's bailiffs of the Middle Hundred of Ludilande. Whereas the barons of the Cinque Ports and the bailiffs and burgesses of Yarmouth have submitted themselves to the king's ordinance concerning all the controversies and disputes that lately arose between them, as is contained in their letters patent in the king's hands, and the king has now caused his award (*dictum*) concerning the controversies to be begun, to wit that good peace shall be inviolably observed between them henceforth both by land and by sea; he orders the bailiffs to observe that peace so far as in them lies, and not to inflict upon the barons of the Cinque Ports or their men any wrong, annoyance or damage by land or by sea, in their persons or goods, under pain of forfeiture of life and limbs, lands, goods and chattels, and of everything that they can forfeit.

April 26.
St. Albans.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the executors of the will of Edmund, the king's late brother, to have respite during the king's will for all debts due to the exchequer, as the king has granted to them such respite.

To the same. Order to cause Blanche, queen of Navarre, late the wife of the said Edmund, to have like respite.

To the sheriff of Berks. Whereas the king has many times ordered them to cause to be replevied Henry de Wengham, Thomas le Pottere, Adam Mannyng, Nicholas fiz la Veue, John Sherewynd, John Dudeman, William Knyf, Laurence de Hameldon, Adam de Hamme, Peter le Ladde, Roger Norreys, William Champion and William de Harpedenn, whom Edward, earl of Cornwall, Simon de Grenhull and John de Heddesoure took and imprisoned, unless they had been taken by special order of the king or of his chief justice, or for the death of a man, or for the king's forest, or for any other offence (*retto*) for which they were by the custom of England irrepleviable, or to signify to the king why he would not or could not do so; and he has returned that the bailiffs of the honour of Walingford, whom he caused to have return of the king's writs previously directed to him in this matter, have made answer to him that the aforesaid men have not yet been replevied because they harboured in a ship of theirs Simon de Clyveden, who slew in their presence William le Rous of Aldermanston, and that they afterwards refused to deliver Simon's body when the king's bailiffs came to them and demanded from them that his body should be delivered to them as the king's felon, and that they afterwards permitted Simon to go away by night: the king, because they are prepared to put themselves upon the country, orders the sheriff, if it be so, to cause them to be delivered upon their finding him mainpernors to have them before the king's justices at the first assize when they come to those parts.

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*Warrantie dierum.*Jan. 22.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Lancaster. Order not to put Robert de Wylghby in default because he did not appear on Monday after St. Thomas the Apostle in the suit in the sheriff's county [court] by the king's writ between Robert and Peter de Giphthorp, John le Chaumberleyn, William Crude, Alan Faukes, John Tunnok and John de Tynton, concerning the unjust taking and detaining of his cattle, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Jan. 28.
Westminster.

To the same. Order not to put Stephen de Stanham in default because he did not appear on the aforesaid day in the suit in the said court without the king's writ between him and Bernard Iter and Godfrey le Clerk concerning the unjust taking and detaining of his chattels, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Feb. 8.
Langley.

To the keeper and sheriffs of London. Order not to put Geoffrey le Hurer in default because he did not appear on the morrow of the Purification last in the suit in the husting of London before the keeper and sheriffs by writ of right between Ralph Daraz, demandant, and Robert Deumars, tenant, concerning a messuage and three shops in London, in which Robert vouched him to warranty against Ralph, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day. ^o *Trans[criptum] fuit.*

Here the king returned to England.

April 11.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Dublin. Order not to put Roger de Smalrys and Henry le Serjaunt in default because they did not appear on Tuesday after St. Ambrose last in the suit in the county [court] of Dublin without the king's writ between Brother Thomas, prior of St. Katharine's near Leixlip (*Saltum Salmonis*) and them concerning the unjust taking and detaining of the prior's cattle, as they were in the king's service by his order on that day.

Aug. 2.
Stirling.

To Adam de Crok[edayke] and William Ing. Order not to put John Lovel in default because he did not appear on Wednesday after St. James in the assize of mort d'ancestor that William de Stock, Richard de Pykworth, and Joan, late the wife of Roger le Cumber of Pusye, arramed before them against the said John concerning two parts of a messuage, of a mill, of a carucate of land and of thirty acres of wood in Little Weldon, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Sept. 10.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of York. Order not to put John Byset in default because he did not appear on Monday after the Assumption last in the suit before the sheriff in his county [court] by the king's writ between John and William son of David of this that William should render to him his account of the time when he was John's bailiff in Norht Elmesdale, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Sept. 24.
Stanwix
(*Steynwegge*).

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Robert de Cleseby in default because he did not appear on Monday the morrow of the Purification in the suit before them by the king's writ between John de Cleseby and Robert concerning a debt of 100*l.* exacted from Robert by John, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

* Added in a minute, contemporary hand.

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Oct. 8.
Jedburgh.

To the mayor and sheriffs of London. Order not to put Robert de Bardelby, king's clerk, in default because he did not appear on Monday the octave of Michaelmas in the suit before them in the husting of London by the king's writ between him and Robert Baret and the abbot of Kirkestede concerning the unjust taking and detention of the chattels of Robert and Robert, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Oct. 19.
Wark.

To John de Bat[esford] and Roger de Hegham. Order not to put Henry de Urtiaco in default because he did not appear on Saturday before St. Margaret at the taking of the assize of mort d'ancestor that he arramed before them against Walter de Romeseye concerning a messuage, a carucate of land, and 19s. 4d. yearly of rent in Pipelpenne and Northpenret, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By K. on the testimony of Robert son of Payn.

Oct. 26.
Chester-le-
Street(Cestr' jurta
Dunolm').

To the mayor and bailiffs of Chester. Order not to put John de Cestria, clerk, in default because he did not appear on Monday after St. Luke in the suit before them in their court by the king's writ of right between Robert son of John le Chaumberleyn, demandant, and Robert le Bolour and Agnes, his wife, tenants, concerning a messuage in Chester, as to which Robert and Agnes vouched him to warranty, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Nov. 6.
Durham.

To the same. Like order in favour of the said John for not appearing in the aforesaid suit on Monday the morrow of All Souls.

*MEMBRANE 9.*April 26.
St. Albans.

To the sheriff of Leicester. Order to deliver to Blanche, queen of Navarre, late the consort of Edmund, the king's brother, tenant in chief, the manor of Leicester, with the manors of Hinkele, Shelton and Dersford, the chace of Leicester, together with the parks of Hinkele, Dersford, and Tolawe, in that county, which are extended at 158l. 14s. 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. a year, as the king has assigned them to her as dower of all the lands whereof Edmund was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death, excepting the lands of the earldom of Ferrers, and 40 marks yearly of rent in the manor of Gunthorp, co. Nottingham, and excepting the lands that belonged to him in co. Northumberland, which are not yet extended.

In like manner there are assigned to her in co. Derby the town of Essheburn, with the hamlets of Underwode, Bredlowe, Bentleye, Thorp, Mapelton, Eyton, Hunsindon, Alsop, Peverwyz, Hokenaston, Caldelowe, Kersington, Crumford, Snyterton, Wedenesleye, Hopton, Middleton and Bonteshale Superior, which are extended at 142l. 6s. 3d., and the manor of Wyrcesworth, with the hamlets of Irton and Maltok (*sic*), the mill and the profit of the wapentake of Wirkesworth, which are extended at 77l. 3s. 8d. yearly.

In like manner there are assigned to her in co. Northampton 26s. 8d. yearly of rent in Dodeford, 41s. 7d. of rent in Essheby St. Leger, a horse-mill in the same town, which is extended at 10s. yearly, a plot (*placea*) of meadow in Lilleburn called 'le Wythibed,' which is extended at 12d. yearly, and the profit of the great court of Leicester such as in fines and amercements in that county, which is extended at 8l. yearly.

In like manner there are assigned to her in co. Wilts 77s. of the rent of free tenants and 78s. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. of the rent of customary-tenants and of cotters in the manor of Everle.

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May 10.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to cause Hugh de Nevill, son and heir of John de Nevill, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands that his father held at his death of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties :

Essex.

Devon.

Buckingham.

Lincoln.

Sussex.

May 1.

Dingley
(Dynesle).

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to allow to Robert de Veer, earl of Oxford, in the 20 marks yearly that he ought to receive at the exchequer and that his ancestors were wont to receive there for the third penny of the county of Oxford, 10*l.* yearly due from him to the exchequer for the ferm of the manor of Gelham, both for times past and to come, and to satisfy him for the remaining five marks as was wont to be done to him and his ancestors in times past. By K.

April 26.

St. Albans.

To the same. Whereas the king lately ordered the abbot of St. Radegund's near Dover and the prior of St. Martin's, Dover, to go in person to the castle of Dover, and there in the presence of Stephen de Penecestre, then constable of the castle, who is now deceased, to see the king's wines that were placed in the castle for dead stores (*ad mortuam garnisonam*) thereof before the disturbance in the realm, and, if they should find them in such condition that they could one way or another make profit thereof for the king, to cause the profit to be made as quickly as possible by Stephen's testimony, as they should deem best for the king's use, and if the wines were altogether putrid and of no value, to do with them what should seem fit to them according to their and Stephen's discretion and counsel; and the abbot and prior wrote back to the king that they had caused twenty-seven tuns of the wine that were altogether putrid and of which no profit could be made for the king to be thrown away; whereupon the king, on 16 May, in the sixth year of his reign, ordered that Stephen should be wholly acquitted of the said twenty-seven tuns, as appears to him by inspection of the rolls of his chancery; and the treasurer and barons nevertheless exact these tuns from the executors of Stephen's will, as he understands: the king orders them, if this be so, to cause the executors to be acquitted of these tuns of wine.

May 4.

Harleston.

To the sheriff of Leicester. Order to cause Robert de Folevill to have seisin of a messuage and a bovate of land in Gaddesby, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and lands, which Henry son of John de Bracebrugg, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Henry held them of Robert, and that the township of Gadde[s]by has had the king's year and day, for which it ought to answer to him.

May 10.

Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Robert Tybetot, constable of Nottingham castle, has incurred divers expenses about the works of the castle from the time when he had the custody thereof by the king's commission, the king, wishing to show him special favour in this behalf, has granted to him respite for all the debts due to the exchequer by reason of the custody of that castle until he shall have rendered his account for the time when he had the custody of the castle: the king therefore orders them to cause him to have such respite, and to audit his account, and to certify the king under the seal of the exchequer of the debts that Robert owes the king upon the account. By K.

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To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Notification that the king has granted licence to the abbot of Westminster to fell his wood of Kellevedene, which is within the bounds of the forest of Essex, and to take timber thence and to carry it away in order to rebuild his houses within his abbey that were lately burnt, and that he may make his other convenience thereof at his will, and order to permit him to do so.

By K.

May 11.
Thetford.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. As Robert de Ho, knight, of co. Bedford, Ed[mund] de Ho of co. Cambridge, John de Swyneford of co. Northampton and John de Welnetham of co. Lincoln have mainperned before the king that Thomas de Swyneford shall find the king in his service in his war in Scotland an armed man with a barded (*cooperto*) horse during the war, the king has pardoned Thomas and Margaret, his wife, their trespass in entering certain lands in Noketon and Dunston, in the aforesaid county [of Lincoln], that are held of the king in chief without the king's licence by the feoffment of Norman Darcy, deceased, which lands were taken into the king's hands by reason of the trespass aforesaid: the king orders the sheriff to deliver the lands to Thomas and Margaret, if they were taken into the king's hands solely for this reason.

By K.

May 11.
Culford.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Whereas the king has often ordered him to cause to be replevied Simon atte Cherche of Gynnyngham, whom the sheriff had arrested, unless he had been taken by special order of the king or of his chief justice, or for the death of a man, or for the king's forest, or for any other offence (*retto*) for which he was by the custom of England irrepleviable, or to signify to the king why he would not or could not do so; and he has signified that he had not caused Simon to be replevied because he is charged with harbouring William Spryggy, indicted of the death of Robert Gerard, which William has not yet been taken: the king, wishing to show Simon favour because he is prepared to put himself upon the country concerning this, orders the sheriff to release him on mainprize.

To the sheriff of Huntingdon. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Guy de Watervill, deceased.

May 26.
York.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Order to cause Stephen de Abyndon to have seisin of a messuage and a moiety of a virgate of land in Brunesmorton, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and moiety, which Alice la Brune, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that she held them of Stephen, and that they are still in the king's hands, and that Stephen has had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Hugh son of Richard Levesone of Grymesby, deceased.

May 28.
York.

To the sheriff of Warwick. Order to pay to Malcolm de Droman, knight, Nigel de Kilpatrik, Reginald son of Reginald le Chien and Reginald de Sancto Claro, esquires, the king's prisoners lately taken in the conflict at Dumber in Scotland and detained in the castle of Kenelworth, their wages, to wit Malcolm 4*d.* and each of the esquires 3*d.* and to each of their keepers 3*d.* a day, until otherwise ordered.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

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May 28.
York.

To the mayor and sheriffs of London. Whereas the king learns that the bakers and brewers and millers in that city do not execute their offices frequently enough (*minus bene frequenter se habent in officiis suis*), and that evil-doers going about the city by night with swords and bucklers and other arms, both at the procurement of others and of their own malice, beat and maltreat men and commit other outrages and enormities against the king's peace; the king by his council, wishing to apply a suitable remedy for these things and to strike the offenders and others with fear of offending, orders the mayor and sheriffs to so castigate such bakers, brewers, and evil-doers by bodily pains and other torments (*flagicia*) to be provided at their discretion that they shall strike others in like cases with fear of offending, and that all corn to be ground at the mills within the city and without shall be delivered by weight to the millers, so that the millers shall answer for the flour thence proceeding by the like weight. These things and all others pertaining to the office of mayor of that city and to the preservation of the king's peace there they shall cause to be observed inviolably. [Translated by Riley, *Memorials of London*, p. 36, from copy of original writ in the city archives. Cf. Sharpe, *Calendar of Letter Books . . . of the City of London*, Book B, p. 217.]

May 28.
York.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Whereas Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, has granted to the Friars Preachers of New Sarum thirteen oaks fit for timber in his wood of Penchyt, which is within the bounds of the forest of Clarendon, for the works of their church there, the king orders the justice to permit the Friars to fell the oaks and to carry them away.

To John de Lythegr[eynes], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Isabel, late the wife of William de Vescy, tenant in chief, to have seisin of all the lands that they held of the king of her inheritance on the day of William's death by reason of the lands of John de Ballioli being in the king's hands, as the king has taken her fealty therefor.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent. Notification that the king has granted licence to Henry de Lascy, earl of Lincoln, to enclose with a wall a plot of land pertaining to the manor of Wadenham, co. Northampton, that Alesia de Lascy, his mother, holds in dower of his inheritance, which plot is within the bounds of the forest of Rokingham and contains thirty acres [measured] by the king's forest perch, and which the earl holds of his mother's grant, and that he may make a park thereof at his will, and may hold it thus enclosed and made into a park to him and his heirs for ever without hindrance from the king or his heirs, or from the justices, foresters, verderers and other ministers of the forest: the king therefore orders the justice to permit the earl to enclose the plot and to make a park there and to hold it.

To J. de Lithgreins, escheator this side Trent. It is shown to the king by the dean and chapter of St. Peter's, York, that whereas they impladed before the king's justices at Westminster Robert le Pestour by the king's writ concerning a messuage and twenty-four acres of land in Drayton, and Robert, while the plea was pending in court, rendered the messuage and land to them outside the court, the escheator has taken the messuage and land into the king's hands by reason of the statute of mortmain. As the king wishes to show favour to the dean and chapter in his behalf, he orders the escheator to restore the messuage and land to the dean and chapter, if they are in his hands solely for this reason.

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To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. John son of Thomas has shown the king that when he was with the king in his service in Flanders, certain Irish malefactors and disturbers of the king's peace burnt his town of Rathymegan, and committed homicides, robberies and arson in the lands adjoining, and he has besought the king to grant to him the king's service of Ireland, to have and receive for one occasion, in aid of a fortress (*fortalicium*) to be constructed anew against the said Irish in those parts, for the benefit of the king's land of Ireland and for the better keeping of the king's peace there hereafter: the king, wishing to grant John's petition so far as can be done conveniently, orders the justiciary to call together all those of the king's council there, and to have full treaty and consideration of this petition, and if it shall seem that it will result to the advantage of the king's land aforesaid and the better keeping of his peace there, to grant to John such service according to the justiciary's discretion.

By K. on the information of J. de Bensted.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Richard de Stokbrigg, deceased.

June 2.
Market
Weighton
(Wighton).

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent. Order to cause Joan, late the wife of Bartholomew de Sudleye, to have in the forest of Chicchewode six bucks, of the king's gift.

By K.

June 1.
Market
Weighton.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. As the king learns that the justiciary has taken into the king's hands the lands in Ireland that are of the purparty of Maud de Kyme and Agatha de Mortuo Mari falling to them of the inheritance of the Marshals, which were in their hands on the day when William de Vescy died, and that he still detains them, at which the king marvels: the king orders him, if it is so and if there be no other reason why the lands ought to be taken into the king's hands, to cause them to be restored to Maud and Agatha, to hold them as they did before William's death. If there be any such reason for taking the lands into the king's hands, he shall certify the king concerning it under his seal.

May 29.
York

To Nicholas Fermbaud, constable of Bristol castle. The king in consideration of the good service that Richard Siward rendered to him in Flanders, orders Nicholas to cause Richard, son of the said Richard, who is imprisoned in that castle, to have alleviation (*alleviacionem*) of the irons by which he is detained and also of the hardship (*duricia*) of prison, and to assign to him a chamber with a private chamber in the castle, but so that he shall be safely and securely kept.

June 3.
Beverley.

To the sheriff of Bedford and Buckingham. Order to respite until Michaelmas next the demand made upon Roger Lestrangle (*Lestrangeo*) for the issues of his lands forfeited before any justices of the king, as the king has pardoned him the forfeited issues.

The like to the sheriffs of Essex and Hertford and Stafford.

Memorandum, that John de Langeton, the king's chancellor, here went from court to the archbishop of Canterbury.

June 3.
Beverley.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Whereas the abbot and convent of St. Mary's, York, ought to have by the charter of king R[ichard], the king's predecessor, a tenth of the king's venison taken in co. York, and they and their predecessors have been always wont to have such tenth from the time of the making of the charter: the king

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orders the justice to cause the abbot and convent to have a tenth of the venison taken and hereafter to be taken in the forest of Galtres, in that county. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 786.]

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas the king granted to William de Valencia, late earl of Pembroke, that he should pay a certain sum yearly at certain terms for all the debts due from him to the exchequer until they should be paid in full, as may appear to them by the king's writ in their hands at the exchequer; the king has granted to Joan, late the wife of William, that she shall have such terms as William had for payment of his debts aforesaid; the king therefore orders the treasurer and barons to examine the writ aforesaid, and to cause Joan to have such terms for the said debts, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

By p.s.

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Whereas Malcolm de Harlegh, late escheator beyond Trent, delivered to Edmund, by virtue of the king's order to deliver to Edmund all wardships and marriages in the king's hands in his bailiwick on 3 January last and that might fall in afterwards, all the lands of the inheritance of Maud, wife of Peter Malorre, daughter of Stephen de Baiocis, in cos. Lincoln and Dorset, which were then in the king's hands for certain reasons, as if they were in the king's hand in name of wardship, which they were not: the king orders Edmund to cause the said lands to be delivered to Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent, together with the issues received from them by him.—The chancellor ordered this before he left.

To the sheriff of Suffolk. Order not to intermeddle further with the manor of Neuton, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Henry de Cramavill, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that Henry at his death held nothing of the king in chief, but that he and his wife Joan held the said manor, to them and to the heirs of Henry's body, by the demise of Laurence de Sancto Mauro by fine levied between them in the king's court, and that Henry died without an heir of his body, and that the manor ought to remain to Joan for her life, and that it ought to revert after her death to Laurence's heirs, in accordance with the form of the fine. By the treasurer and council.

June 8.
Kirkham.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king has ordered Edmund, earl of Cornwall, to deliver to Walter all the lands of the inheritance of Maud, wife of Peter Mallore, daughter of Stephen de Baiocis, and the issues thereof [*as in the order above to Edmund*]: the king orders the escheator to deliver to Peter and Maud a moiety of the issues of the said lands when he shall have received them from the earl, and also a moiety of the issues thereof to be received by him hereafter until otherwise ordered.—The chancellor ordered this before he left.

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June 7.
Bishop
Wilton
(Wilton).

To the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk. Whereas a ship laden in Gascony with wines and other goods and wares of Arnald Lambard of Condome, Peter de Luk, Peter de Badefoss', John Lamberd and Bernard Chaumberleyn, merchants of Gascony of Bordeaux, was lately wrecked on the coast near Yarmouth by the violence of the sea, and the wines and other goods and wares thrown on shore in divers place in those counties came to the hands of divers men of those counties, as the king learns

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from the merchants: the king, wishing to aid them to recover their wines and other goods and wares with all lawful speed, orders the sheriff to take with him William de Kerdeston and John Aleyn of Yarmouth, and to enquire fully into the truth of the premises, and if they find that it is so, to cause the wines and other goods and wares to be arrested in the hands, of whomsoever they may be found, and to cause them or their value to be delivered to the merchants or their attorney without delay, so that it shall not be necessary for the merchants to have recourse to the king in this behalf in the sheriff's default.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent. Order to cause Nicholas de Pershut, keeper of the king's manors of Marlebergh and Lutegershale, to have ten oaks in the forest of Savernake to make the bays (*baies*) of the king's stew at Marlebergh, and twenty oaks in the forest of Chut fit for timber, to repair therewith the houses of the manor of Lutegershale.

By the treasurer.

June 8.
Kirkham.

To John de Lythege[r]eins, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Mariota, late the wife of Geoffrey de Seburgham, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Lora, late the wife of Gilbert de Gaunt, tenant in chief, from the lands that belonged to Gilbert, excepting the manors of Burton (*sic*)-on-Humber, Folkyngham, Hekinton and Edenham, in that county, which Gilbert before his death rendered into the king's hands, to hold to him and his heirs for ever, and which the king afterwards rendered to Gilbert to hold for life, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

To John de Lythege[r]eynes, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to the aforesaid Lora.

June 12.
Northallerton.

To the sheriff of Buckingham. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John de Kinnebelle, deceased.

June 16.
Durham.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William de Boyvill, who is insufficiently qualified.

June 18.
Chester.

To the sheriff of Cornwall. The king, wishing to show special favour to Robert Giffard, imprisoned at Launceveton for the death of Richard de Spekcote, late parson of the church of Parkham, wherewith he is charged, orders the sheriff to deliver him from prison upon his finding mainprise that he will come to the king in Scotland with horses and arms, there to stay in the king's service during his pleasure, and that he will stand to right in the king's court upon his return if anyone wish to speak against him concerning the said death.

By p.s. [1572.]

June 16.
Durham.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Roger de Morle, who is insufficiently qualified.

June 17.
Kepier
(Kypier).

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of Henry de Cramavill, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.—The chancellor received her oath before he left.

June 26.
Brunton
(Burnton).

To John de Lythege[r]eyns, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of Bertinus de Ughtrethessat, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

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June 21.
Brunton.

To the same. Order to deliver to Blanche, late the wife of Edmund, the king's brother, tenant in chief, the following lands and tenements, which the king has assigned to her in dower from the lands excepted by the king when he assigned dower to her at St. Albans on 26 April last, when he excepted the lands of the earldom of Ferrers, 40 marks yearly of rent in the manor of Gunthorp, and the lands that belonged to Edmund in co. Northumberland, which were not then extended, the king having now caused them to be extended: the manor of Cropton, co. Derby, which is extended at 27*l.* 1*s.* 1*d.* yearly; the manor of Duffeld, with its members of Suthwode, Holebrok, Heyegge, Beaurepayr, Allerwaslegh, Edricheshaye, Newebiggingge and Holond, and with all the forest of Duffeld and all their appurtenances in the same county, which is extended at 242*l.* 9*s.* 8*d.* yearly; the manor of Hertindon, with its member of Croudecote and other appurtenances in the same county, which are extended at 69*l.* 7*s.* 1*d.* yearly; certain lands in Bunteshale, in the same county, which are appraised at 14*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; certain lands in Bracington in the same county, which are extended at 15*l.* 6*s.* 7*d.*; certain lands in Spondon, in the same county, which are extended at 14*l.* 6*s.* 5½*d.* yearly; certain lands in Pevrewych, with the agistment in the moor there and other appurtenances in the same county, which are extended at 20*s.* yearly; the hundred of Apeltre, in the same county, which is extended at 21*l.* 12*s.* 1*d.* yearly; the hundred of Gresele, in the same county, which is extended at 6*l.* 16*s.* 0*d.* yearly; certain lands in Newebald, in the same county, with the perquisites of court and other appurtenances, which are extended at 4*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* yearly.

By C.

The like '*de verbo ad verbum*' to the sheriff of Derby.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Like order to deliver to Blanche the manor of Raundes, with its members of Scarwygg (*sic*), Ryngestede and Haregrave and other appurtenances, in co. Northampton, which are extended at 71*l.* 5*s.* 3*d.* yearly.

The like '*de verbo ad verbum*' to the sheriff of Northampton.

To John de Lythegrayns, escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to the said Blanche the advowson of the church of Duffeld, co. Derby, which is extended at 100 marks yearly, as the king has assigned it to her as dower of the advowsons of churches that belonged to Edmund. By C.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Like order to deliver to her the advowsons of the church of Raundes, co. Northampton, which is extended at 50*l.* yearly; the advowson of the church of Irencestre, in the same county, which is extended at 30*l.*; the advowson of the church of Wulstanton, co. Stafford, which is extended at 60 marks yearly; the advowson of the church of Tatenhull, in the same county, which is extended at 60*l.* yearly; the advowson of the church of Torpedemer, co. Leicester, which is extended at 20*l.* yearly.

By C.

June 21.
Brunton.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to deliver to Lora, late the wife of Gilbert de Gaunt, tenant in chief, the following of his lands in the manors of Barton-on-Humber, Folkingham, Hekinton and Edenham, co. Lincoln, which Gilbert rendered to the king and which the king afterwards granted to him for life, to wit the manor of Hekinton, which is extended at 77*l.* 15*s.* 3*d.* yearly, and 9*l.* 3*s.* 4¼*d.* of dry rent in the manor of Edenham, which the king has assigned to her in dower. By p.s.

Afterwards she had the same writ to the escheator beyond Trent under the same date.

June 29.
Alnwick.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order to deliver to A. bishop of Durham the manor of Neuham, which Edmund Comyn held of him, and

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the lands in Wolvedon that Henry de Chartres held of him, as the said Edmund and Henry have traitorously deserted the king's fealty and obstinately persist in their unfaithfulness, for which reason the manor and lands are in the king's hands as forfeited, as the king has granted to the bishop what pertains to him of the manor and lands by reason of the forfeiture aforesaid.

By p.s.

MEMBRANE 6.

June 29.
Alnwick.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Joan, late the wife of John de Wanton, lately impleaded William de Brumfeld by the king's writ before John de Metingham and his fellows, justices of the Bench, of this, that William should render to her her dower of the free tenement that belonged to John in the manor of Ferneth, and William propounded in excepting that he held the manor of the king's gift, and that he could not and ought not to answer concerning it without the king, for which reason the justices superseded the plea; whereupon Joan besought the king by petition exhibited before his council to cause justice to be done to her in this matter; and it was agreed before the council that she should have for her dower the value of a third of the manor out of lands in the king's hands, and she chose before the justices that the value of the said third, which extends to 7*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* according to an extent made by the sheriff of Sussex, should be assigned to her in the manor of Polhampton, co. Southampton, which is in the hands of John de Drokenesford, the king's clerk, by the king's commission; and it was considered by the justices that she shall have the value of the third in the manor aforesaid, as appears to the king by the record of the justices sent to him: the king orders the treasurer and barons to cause John de Drokenesford to be acquitted of the said 7*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* in the ferm of the manor for so long as it shall be in his hands.

By C.

June 29.
Alnwick.

William le White, imprisoned at Worcester for the death of Geoffrey Child, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Worcester to bail him until the first assize.

Hugh son of Peter le Fevre of Saleford, imprisoned at Bedford for the death of John Pesshoun, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Bedford to bail him.

July 1.
Chillingham
(Cheveling-
ham).

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Richard, bishop of Hereford, to be acquitted of the demand for the service of five knights' fees in the king's army of Wales for the tenth year of his reign, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff of Hereford that Thomas, the late bishop of Hereford, did his service in the said army by the king's order at Buelt for five knights' fees by John Tregoz and John Danyel, knights, for two fees, and by Thomas de la Mare, Nicholas le Seculer, John de Hurtesleye, Roger de Hurtesleye, John de Walford, and Robert le Venur, esquires, for three fees, to wit by each of the said knights and esquires with a barded horse, and that they continued the service fully for forty days, which service the bishop acknowledged to the king in the same army, as appears by inspection of the rolls of the marshalsea of that army. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 787.]

To the same. Order to acquit the said Richard of scutage for five knights' fees in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, which the aforesaid Thomas acknowledged to him in that army, as Thomas had his service aforesaid with the king in that army, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of the marshalsea of that army.

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July 9.
Lauder
(Loweder).

To the same. Whereas the king granted by his letters patent, on 5 November, in the twenty-second year of his reign [*Calendar*, p. 103], to the prior and convent of Wartre that they should have again and hold a carucate of land in Bagoteby, which was taken into the king's hands by Hugh de Cressingham and his fellows, late justices in eyre in co. York, because they acquired the lordship of the land without the king's licence from William de Ros, tenant in chief, and afterwards acquired the land itself from Hugh de Bilburgh without any inquisition as to the usual articles having been made, which land the king afterwards caused to be replevied to the prior and convent, on condition that they should answer to the exchequer for the issues thereof; the king orders the treasurer and barons to permit the prior and convent to hold the land and its lordship in accordance with the form of the grant aforesaid, and to discharge them of the issues thereof since the said 5 November. It is provided that they shall answer to the king for the issues from the date of its being taken into the king's hands up to the said day.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Whereas Thomas de Berkele has mainperned before the king to render the son and heir of Thomas son Maurice, tenant in chief, a minor in king's wardship, if the king should cause him to be delivered to Margaret, late the wife of the said Thomas son of Maurice, his mother, the king's kinswoman: the king orders the justiciary to cause the heir to be delivered to his mother by the mainprise aforesaid.

July 18.
Kirk Liston
(Temple
Lyston).

To William de Sutton and John de Godeleye, guardians of the bishopric of Ely, the see being void. Order to cause a hundred bucks to be taken, salted and dried in the parks of the bishopric during the present grease-time (*in instanti seisona pinguedinis*), and to cause them to be placed in barrels and to be kept safely until otherwise ordered. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, p. 786.]

To Thomas de Weston, bailiff of Holdernes. Like order to cause a hundred does to be taken, salted and dried.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to deliver in bail Walter Coteman of Terringe, imprisoned at Maydenestan for the death of Ralph Tacher, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Luke de la Gare and Richard de Graveneye, justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

John de Boys, inprisoned at Maydenestan for the death of Walter le Webbe, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Kent to bail him.

July 19.
Kirk Liston.

To Walter de Gloucestr[i]a, escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Roger son of Roger de Nodariis held at his death a moiety of a virgate of land in Wymington and the advowson of two parts of the church of that town, in co. Bedford, of the heir of Philip Burnel, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, by homage only, and the manor of Chirchehill, co. Oxford, of the same heir by homage and the service of 1*d.*, and that Roger held nothing in chief as of the crown at his death by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king: the king orders the escheator to retain in the king's hands the moiety, advowson and manor aforesaid, and not to intermeddle further with the other lands that belonged to Roger.

By C.

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July 29.
Stirling.

To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to supersede entirely the levying of 11 marks from Miles Pychard for the fee of a charter of fair and market granted in the twenty-third year of the reign, as Miles paid this sum into the wardrobe by the hands of John de Drokenesford, keeper thereof.

By p.s. [1602.]

Aug. 9.
Stirling.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John le Aumonier, who has no lands in that county or elsewhere in the realm to qualify him for that office.

Aug. 9.
Stirling.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Although the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator concerning the lands that belonged to Robert Tybotot, tenant in chief, that Robert and Eve his wife were jointly enfeofed of the manors of Borewelle and Harleston, co. Cambridge, and of the manor of Strathale, co. Essex, to them and to the heirs of Robert, and that they were jointly enfeofed thereof on the day of Robert's death, the king nevertheless, because it is not found by any deeds of feoffment that Eve has produced in chancery for the declaration of her right in this behalf that she was jointly enfeofed with Robert of the manor of Strathale or of 140 acres of land in the aforesaid manor of Harleston, which Robert acquired from John de Burgo, he orders the escheator to retain in the king's hands the manor of Strathale and the 140 acres in the manor of Harleston until otherwise ordered, and to deliver to Eve the manor of Borewell and the other lands of Robert in the manor of Harlaston whereof Robert and she were jointly enfeofed.

Aug. 11.
Abercorn.

To the same. Although the inquisitions taken by the escheator concerning the lands whereof the said Eve was jointly enfeofed with Robert in divers towns in co. Suffolk and that Robert acquired to his manor of Nettlestede in the same county are insufficient, the king, wishing to show special favour to Eve, orders the escheator to deliver to her the lands in the said towns whereof she was enfeofed jointly with Robert, to be held by her until three weeks from Michaelmas next, so that the escheator shall then resume them into the king's hands and cause them to be kept safely until the king shall otherwise order.

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Stirling.

To John de Lithegr[eynes], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that the aforesaid Robert and Eve were jointly enfeofed of the manor of Benteleye, co. York, to have and to hold to them and to Robert's heirs of Adam de Novo Mercato by the service of a twentieth of a knight's fee and a rose, and that Adam held the manor of the honour of Tikehill, which is now in the king's hands, by the service of rendering 40s. yearly to the ward of Tikehill castle: the king, although Eve has not done fealty to him for the manor upon this occasion for certain reasons, wishing to show her special favour, orders the escheator to deliver the manor to her, to be held for three weeks from Michaelmas, so that the escheator may then resume it into the king's hands and cause it to be kept safely until otherwise ordered, and that the king may then cause to be done what justice shall require.

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Aug. 9.
Stirling.

To the same. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that the aforesaid Robert and Eve held jointly the manor of Hagenthweyt of William son of William de Sprotburgh by homage and

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the service of 1*d.* and by the foreign service pertaining to the manor, of the gift and feoffment of Peter de Cestria, and that they were jointly seised thereof on the day of Robert's death: the king orders the escheator to deliver the manor to Eve, to be held by her in accordance with the form of the feoffment, saving the right of the king and of others.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to the aforesaid Eve two messuages, 440 acres of land, 31 acres of meadow, 10 acres of pasture, 6 acres of wood, 2 mills, 16*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* of the yearly rent of free tenants, 2 messuages and 9½ acres of land that two villeins hold in villenage, together with their boon-works (*operibus*) and with a rent of sixty-two hens, together with the pleas and perquisites of court and other their appurtenances, in Braunford, co. Suffolk, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Robert and Eve were jointly enfeoffed thereof, to hold to them and the heirs of Robert, and that Robert and Eve were jointly seised thereof at his death.

To the same. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator concerning the manor of Langar, co. Nottingham, which belonged to the aforesaid Robert de Tybotot, tenant in chief, and which the king caused to be taken into his hands by reason of his death, that Robert and Eve, his wife, and Payn, their son, were jointly enfeoffed of the manor by John de Rodes, sometime lord of Langar, to hold to them and the heirs of Payn of the king in chief as of the fee of Peverel by homage and the service of half a knight's fee and by doing scutage when it happens and by rendering yearly to the honour of Peverel 10*s.*, and that Eve and Payn continued their seisin of the manor with Robert until his death: the king, although neither Payn nor Eve have yet done the fealty due to him for the manor, has nevertheless committed the manor to Eve to be held until three weeks from Michaelmas, on condition that she answer to the exchequer for the issues thence arising if the king ought to have them of right, and so that the escheator may then resume the manor into the king's hands and cause it to be safely guarded until otherwise ordered.

Memorandum, that J. de Berewyk promised and mainperned that he will save Master J. de Craucumbe and J. de Cadamo and Sir W. de Byrlaco and J. de Insula harmless as regards the king concerning this commission.

Aug. 14.
Abercorn.

To the same. Order to deliver to Edmund, earl of Cornwall, the purparty falling to Peter son of Peter de Malo Lacu, kinsman and third heir of Gilbert de Gaunt, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, of all the lands that belonged to Gilbert his uncle, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of Gilbert's death, which purparty the king ordered to be retained in his hands, as the king has granted to Edmund all the wardships and marriages that may fall to him from 3 June last, to have under certain conditions contained in the said letters.

Aug. 14.
Abercorn.

To the same. Order to deliver to Eve, late the wife of Robert Tybotot, tenant in chief, the following of his lands, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a third of the chief messuage of the manor of Netlestede, co. Suffolk, which, with the houses, fishponds, gardens and dovecots, is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; 60 acres of land in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 6*d.* yearly; 1½ acres of meadow in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 3*s.* yearly; 2 acres of several pasture there, whereof each is extended at 18*d.* yearly; 13½ acres of wood there, the profit whereof is extended at 2*s.* 2½*d.* yearly; a third of a windmill there, which mill (*quod*) is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; a third of the ferm of villeins there, which third is extended at 34*s.* 0½*d.* yearly; 584 boon-works (*opera*) of villeins from Michaelmas to the gule of August, whereof

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each work is extended at $\frac{1}{2}d.$ yearly; a third of the boon-works of the same villeins to mow 92 acres of corn in autumn, whereof each work is extended at $4d.$ yearly; a rent of twenty-eight hens there, whereof each hen is extended at $1\frac{1}{2}d.$ yearly; the rent of 237 eggs there, which are extended at $7d.$ yearly; a third of the tallage of the aforesaid villeins there, which third is extended at $22s. 2\frac{1}{2}d.$ yearly; a third of the pleas and perquisites of the court there, which are extended at $4s. 5\frac{1}{2}d.$ yearly; $31s. 10\frac{1}{2}d.$ yearly of rent in the same manor; a rent of $20d.$ of a fixed fine at the view of frankpledge at Michaelmas by the hands of the said villeins; $23\frac{1}{3}$ acres of land in Eston, co. Lincoln, whereof each acre is extended at $6d.$ yearly; $5\frac{1}{3}$ acres of meadow there, each of which acres is extended at $10d.$ yearly; 3 acres of pasture there, whereof each acre is extended at $4d.$ yearly; a third of a wood there, the profits whereof are extended at $3s.$ yearly; a third of the perquisites of the court there, which are extended at $4d.$ yearly; a third of a messuage and of two bovates of land there, which are put at a high ferm, which third is extended at $1s. 8d.$ clear yearly; $5d.$ of the rent of the free tenants there yearly; $12s. 6d.$ of the rent of certain tenants there called 'sokemen' (*sokemannii*) there yearly; a third of the chief messuage in Thorpp Edmund, co. Leicester, which messuage, with the dovecot and curtilage, is extended at $6s. 8d.$ yearly; four virgates of land there, whereof each virgate is extended at $13s.$ yearly; $2\frac{1}{2}$ virgates of land and a third of a virgate there held by bondmen, whereof each virgate is extended at $13s.$ yearly; a third of a watermill there, which mill is extended at $26s. 8d.$ yearly; a third of a windmill there, which mill is extended at $40s.$ yearly; $14s. 2\frac{1}{2}d.$ of the rent of free tenants there yearly; $12s. 4d.$ of the rent of cotters in the same manor yearly; a third of the chief messuage of the manor of Strathale, co. Essex, which messuage, with houses, gardens and a croft, is extended at $3s. 4d.$ yearly; 80 acres of land there, whereof each acre is extended at $4d.$ yearly; 3 acres of meadow there, whereof each acre is extended at $2s.$ yearly; 5 acres of wood there, whereof each acre is extended at $6d.$ yearly; $20d.$ of the rent of one free tenant there yearly; $4s. 2\frac{1}{2}d.$ of the rent of six free tenants there yearly; 144 boon-works of six villeins there from Michaelmas to the gule of August, whereof each work is extended at $0\frac{3}{4}d.$ yearly; 18 boon-ploughings (*opera arrure*) of the same villeins there, whereof each ploughing is extended at $4d.$ yearly; 24 boon-works of six villeins there in mowing, whereof each work is extended at $2d.$ yearly; $123\frac{1}{2}$ boon-works of seven villeins there from Michaelmas to the gule of August, whereof each work is extended at $\frac{1}{2}d.$ yearly; 14 boon-works of the same villeins there in mowing, whereof each work is extended at $2d.$ yearly; $27\frac{1}{3}$ boon-works of a villein there from Michaelmas to the gule of August, whereof each work is extended at $\frac{1}{2}d.$ yearly; $2\frac{1}{2}$ boon-works and a third of a moiety of another of the same villein in mowing there, whereof each work is extended at $2d.$ yearly; a third of the tallage of the villeins there, which third is extended at $12d.$ yearly; a third of the pleas and perquisites of the court there, which are extended at $8d.$ yearly; 60 acres of land in the manor of Harleston, co. Cambridge, which are of the fee of the heirs of John de Burgo, whereof each acre is extended at $6d.$ yearly.

Aug. 20.
Glencorse
(*Glencrosk*).

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause the abbot of Peterborough to have a tenth of the venison of the present year taken within the king's forests

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in co. Northampton, as it appears to the king by inspection of the charters of Kings William, Richard and John, the king's progenitors, and of Henry, his father, that the abbot for the time being ought to have of the grant of the said kings a tenth of the venison taken in the said forests, and it also appears by the rolls of chancery of the late king that the abbots always had his writ to have the tenth.

Aug. 9.
Stirling.

To Thomas de Weston, keeper of the lands that belonged to Gilbert de Gaunt, deceased. Order not to intermeddle further with a close in Hale, co. Lincoln, pertaining to the church there, as the king learns by inquisition taken by Thomas that Nicholas de Sancto Quintino, late parson of that church, the predecessor of Master Robert de Lacy, now parson of that church, demised the close to Gilbert by an indented deed for the term of Gilbert's life, so that it should revert after Gilbert's death to Nicholas or his successors, parsons of that church.

Sept. 8.
Carlisle.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Thomas, son and heir of Edmund, late earl of Lancaster, the king's brother, to have seisin of the lands that his father held at his death of the king in chief, as the king has taken the homage of Thomas, whom he considers as of full age; saving the right of others and saving to Blanche, late the wife of Edmund, her dower of the knights' fees that belonged to Edmund.

The like to John de Lithegr[eyns], escheator this side Trent.

To Blanche, queen of Navarre, executrix of the will of Edmund, and to her co-executors. Order to deliver to Thomas all the lands that Edward held as above that are in her custody by the king's commission, saving to her the dower thereof assigned to her in the king's court.

Sept. 8.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Stafford. Order to cause Michael de Morton to have seisin of a messuage and a bovate of land in Horselowe, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which John son of William Fraunceys of Horselowe, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that John held them of Michael, and that the township of Horselowe now holds them, and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

Sept. 10.
Carlisle.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Thomas de Marines held at his death of the king in chief the manor of Oterepole by the service of a knight's fee, and that Thomas de Marines, his son, is his next heir and is of full age: the king, wishing at the instance of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, to show favour to Thomas, who is detained in the prison of the king of France, orders the escheator to deliver the manor together with the other lands that belonged to the said Thomas [the father] to Robert de Shirland, brother of the said Thomas [the son?], to be held by him in the name of Thomas for the maintenance of Thomas and his wife and children until the king shall cause other order to be made.

By order and testimony of the chancellor.

Sept. 14.
Carlisle.

To the same. Order not to intermeddle further with a messuage in the city of Lincoln, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Joan de Moretayne, deceased, gave the said messuage in her full power by her charter to John de Saundeby, late deceased, to him and to his heirs, and that he continued his seisin thereof by that feoffment for a whole year before her death, and also that John afterwards, being in full

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and peaceful seisin thereof, bequeathed it by his last will to Roger de Moretayne and Sibyl de Saundeby, executors of John's will, as his chattel, in accordance with the custom of that city, for the completion of his will, and that John held it of the king by the service of 2*d.* yearly for all service, and also that Roger de Ingoldeby, late sub-escheator in co. Lincoln, took the messuage into the king's hands because John held at his death a messuage and a carucate of land in Holtham, in the same county, of the king in chief.

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Sept. 21. To John de Lythegreins, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause
Carlisle. dower to be assigned to Ermentrude (*Ermetruda*) late the wife of Thomas de Mareseye, tenant by knight service of the heir of Edmund, the king's late brother, tenant in chief, lately a minor in the king's wardship, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

————— To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king
————— learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Robert de Spaldington, tenant in chief, held at his death a toft, three bovates of land, 2 acres of meadow, and 6*s.* yearly of rent in Clysseby for life of the demise—
[*Incomplete.*]

Vacated, because otherwise below.

Sept. 20. To the same. Order not to intermeddle further with certain lands in
Carlisle. Clysseby, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Robert de Spaldington held the said lands at his death of the demise of Richard Daumper, and that Malcolm de Harlegh, late escheator beyond Trent, took them into the king's hands upon Robert's death as if Robert had died seised thereof in his demesne as of fee, together with the other lands that he held of the king in chief, and the lands are still in the king's hands for this reason.

Sept. 24. To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him
Stanwix. who supplies his place in the forest of Galtres. Order to cause Master
(*Staynewegg*) John de Cadamo, king's clerk, to have in that forest six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king understands that the escheator took into the king's hands the lands of John de Creting', who was lately captured in the king's service in Gascony and who is in the prison of the king of France, because he was given to understand that John was dead, and the king now learns by sufficient testimony that John is alive: he orders the escheator to deliver John's lands to John de Berewyk, king's clerk, together with the issues received from them, to be kept for the use of the said John de Cretyng' until the king shall otherwise order.

By p.s. [1749.]

To William de Sutton and John de Godele, guardians of the bishopric of Ely, the see being void. Order to cause all the venison that the king ordered to be taken by them in the parks and woods of the bishopric for his use to be carried without delay to York, there to be delivered to his larder. By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 786.]

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To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to cause all the venison that the king lately ordered to be taken in the forests of Shyrewode and the Peak (*Pecco*) and that the steward of Shyrewode Forest and Nicholas de Pecco will deliver to him to be carried without delay to York, there to be delivered to the king's larder.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

To Nicholas de Pecco, keeper of the forest of the Peak (*de Pecco*). Order to cause all venison taken in that forest to be carried to Nottingham, there to be delivered to the sheriff of Nottingham, to be carried by him to York, as the sheriff has been ordered.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

To Stephen de Bella Aqua, supplying the place of the justice in the forest of Shyrewode. Order to cause all the venison that the king lately ordered to be taken by the justice (*sic*) of that forest to be delivered to the sheriff of Nottingham, to be carried by him to York, as has been enjoined upon him on the king's behalf.

Sept. 24.
Stanwix.

To the keeper of the king's park of Northampton. Order to cause the sheriff of Northampton to have in that park sixteen oaks fit for timber, for the repair of a chamber within the tower of Northampton castle.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Sept. 24.
Stanwix.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Hawisia, late the wife of Thomas de Morileye, whose lands were in the king's hands at the time of his death for a trespass committed by him, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

By p.s.

The like to the sheriff of Northumberland, the king's bailiff of Tyndale.

Oct. 8.
Jedburgh.

To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause Richard de Chaundos to have seisin of a messuage and three acres of land in Fowehope, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which William de Ireby, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that William held them of Robert, and that the township of Fowehope now holds them, and had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

Oct. 7.
Jedburgh.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to permit John de Britannia, earl of Richmond, to levy the arrears that were due to him before the war between the king and the king of France, except what has been levied thereof for the king's use, as the king has granted this at the earl's request.

Oct. 4.
Jedburgh.

To Master Thomas Cantok, chancellor of Ireland, and to William de Estden, the treasurer. Whereas the king learns that certain men of Ireland, upon hearing the rumour that William son of Warin had been captured by the king's enemies and rebels in Scotland, entered by their own authority the lands of William and of John, his son, in Ireland, which John was slain in the king's service by his said enemies and rebels in Scotland, and withdraw and consume the goods and chattels of William and those that belonged to John in Ireland: the king, wishing to provide for William's indemnity, as he ought to do, orders the chancellor and treasurer to cause to be taken into the king's hands all the lands of William in Ireland, both those that he held at ferm and those that he held in fee, together with the lands, goods and chattels that belonged to John,

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and to deliver them to Alexander de Stanford, William's attorney, to be kept according to what William shall cause to be ordained concerning them, and to assign to Alexander a trustworthy companion to supervise and control (*contrarotulet*) Alexander's proceedings in this behalf, so that such care shall be exhibited by them in the matters aforesaid that it shall result in William's profit and advantage. The king wills that Alexander and his companion shall hear the accounts of William's bailiffs and receivers for the time when they are bound to render account, and shall do further herein what shall be necessary.

Oct. 6.
Jedburgh.

To the keeper of the king's manor of Wodestok. Order to take in the park of Wodestok a hundred does for the king's use, and when he shall have taken twenty or thirty, to cause them to be well salted and packed in barrels and sent to York against the king's arrival there, to be delivered to the king's larder, as shall be more fully enjoined upon him by the treasurer and barons of the exchequer.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Oct. 12.
Jedburgh.

To the treasurer and chamberlains of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to cause four hundred quarters of wheat to be provided in Ireland from money in the king's treasury of Ireland, and to cause them to be sent with all speed, laying aside all other matters, to the castle of Kaernervan under safe and sure conduct, there to be delivered to Hugh de Leomenistre, king's clerk, chamberlain of Kaern[erv]an, in order to provision the castles of Beaumaris, Kaernarvan, Crukyn, and Hardelagh, receiving from Hugh letters patent certifying the number of the quarters and the price. The king has ordered Hugh to receive the corn from them and to provision the said castles with it.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

Oct. 8.
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To Hugh de Leoministre, chamberlain of Kaernervan. Order to receive the aforesaid corn and to provision the castles aforesaid. As the transport of the corn may be hindered by accident, the king orders him not to omit to provision the said castles with corn and other victuals immediately upon sight hereof, so that danger may not arise in any way through his default.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

Oct. 8.
Jedburgh.

To Robert de Burghassh, keeper of the manor of Westclive. Order to pay to the prior and convent of Christ Church, Canterbury, 15*l.* for Michaelmas term of the 30*l.* yearly granted to them by the king from the issues of that manor until he should provide them with 30*l.* yearly of land in Kent, in satisfaction of 60*l.* yearly of land granted by him to them, in exchange for the customs and rents and all rights, liberties and other things that they had in the town and port of Sandwich.

Oct. 4.
Jedburgh.

To the sheriff of Berks. Order to take into the king's hands all the lands of William son of Warin, who was lately captured by the king's enemies and rebels in Scotland and is imprisoned by them, together with the goods and chattels found in the lands, and to deliver them to John de Berquey, William's attorney, to be kept according to what William shall cause to be ordained, as the king wishes to provide for William's indemnity as he ought.

By p.s.

The like to the sheriffs of London, Northampton and Wilts.

Oct. 7.
Jedburgh.

To John de Lythegr[eynes], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the manor of Benteleye, and to restore the issues received thence to Eve, late the wife of Robert de Tybotot, tenant in chief, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Robert and Eve were jointly enfeoffed of the manor.

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To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Eve, late the wife of the aforesaid Robert de Tybotot, to have seisin of a moiety of the manor of Langar, together with a moiety of the issues thereof received by him since the manor was taken into the king's hands, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Robert and Eve and Payn, their son, were jointly enfeofed of the manor by John de Rodes, to hold of the king to them and the heirs of Payn by the service of one knight's fee, and the king has taken Eve's fealty for a moiety of the manor. The escheator is ordered to retain in the king's hands the moiety falling to Payn, a minor in the king's wardship.

By C.

Oct. 8.
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To the sheriff of Devon. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Roger de Putford, deceased.

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To the sheriff of Buckingham. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Hugh de Stretlee, who is insufficiently qualified.

Aug. 26.
Ayr (*Are*).

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to Brother Richard de la Grave, canon of the priory of Bryweton, whom W. bishop of Bath and Wells has promoted to be prior of that priory, as appears by the bishop's letters patent directed to the king, the manors of Horsele and Rungeton, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the voidance of the priory, as the king has taken Richard's fealty for the manors, which are held of him in chief, whereof an exchange was made between a certain abbot of Troarn in Normandy and a prior of Bryweton, as appears to the king by inspection of the late king's charter of confirmation.

By p.s. [1629.]

Oct. 12.
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To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands specified below, and to restore the issues thereof to Eve, late the wife of Robert Tybetot, tenant in chief, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Robert and Eve were jointly enfeofed of certain lands in the towns of Nettlested, Blakenham, Wylausham, Someresham and Braumford by Roger Loveday, Philip Halyday, Agnes le Breton, John Keth, John de la Vaie, Giles de Mokedene, Robert de Someresham, Hugh de Goudenham, the prior and convent of Hatfeld, and the bishop of Ely, to hold of them and their heirs and successors to Robert and Eve and to Robert's heirs, and also that Robert and Eve were enfeofed of certain lands in the town of Blakenham by the aforesaid Roger Loveday, to hold to them and their heirs of Nicholas de Kenet, and of certain lands in the town of Offinton by the aforesaid Philip Halyday, to hold to them and Robert's heirs of Joan de Bouhun, and of certain lands in the town of Berylham by Margery daughter of Richard le Fevre, to hold to them and Robert's heirs of Guy Ferre, and of certain lands in that town by John le Taillour, to hold to them and Robert's heirs of the prior and convent of Breset, and of certain lands in the town of Berkyng by Margery de Bedingfeud, to hold to them and Robert's heirs of the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England, and of certain lands in the town of Cretyng by Margery de Bedingfeud, to hold to them and Robert's heirs of the prior of Cretyng, and of certain lands in the town of Codenham by the said Margery, to hold to them and Robert's heirs of John le Taillour, and of certain lands in Codenham by the aforesaid Margery, to hold to them and to Robert's heirs of the bishop of Ely, and of certain lands in the town of Blakenham by Ralph le Blunt, to hold to them and Robert's heirs of the heir of Robert de Greyleye, and of certain lands in

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the town of Braumford by the said Ralph, to hold to them and Robert's heirs of the bishop of Ely, and of certain lands in the same town by John de Lovetot, to hold to them and Robert's heirs of the bishop of Ely, and that they continued their seisin of the said lands from the time of the said feoffments until the day of Robert's death, which lands the escheator took into the king's hands by reason of Robert's death. By C.

Oct. 12.
Jedburgh.

To Walter de Pederton, justice of West Wales. Order to aid the executors of the aforesaid Robert Tybotot, the late justice in those parts, in recovering the debts due to them from certain men of those parts for the time when Robert was the king's justice there, which they ought to have paid to Robert in his lifetime. By C. (?).

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Although the king learns by inquisitions taken by the escheator concerning the lands that belonged to the said Robert Tybotot, tenant in chief, that Robert and Eve, his wife, were jointly enfeoffed of the manors of Borewelle and Harleston, co. Cambridge, and of the manor of Strathale, co. Essex, to have to them and to Robert's heirs, and that they were jointly seised thereof on the day of Robert's death; the king, because it is not found by any deeds of enfeoffment produced by Eve in chancery for the declaration of her right in this behalf, that she was jointly enfeoffed with her husband of the manor of Strathale or of 140 acres of land in the aforesaid manor of Harleston that Robert acquired from John de Burgo, orders the escheator, as he has done at another time (*alias*), to retain in the king's hands the manor of Strathale and the 140 acres of land in the manor of Harleston until otherwise ordered, and to deliver to Eve the manor of Borewell with the other lands in the manor of Harleston that belonged to Robert and whereof he and she were jointly enfeoffed, to hold in accordance with the form of the feoffments, saving the right of others, and to restore to Eve the issues thence received. By C.

To John de Lithegr[eynes], escheator this side Trent. Order, as before (*alias*), to deliver to the aforesaid Eve the manor of Haghenthweyt, and the issues thereof, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator concerning the lands of the said Robert Tybotot that Robert and Eve his wife held the manor jointly of William son of William de Sprotburgh by homage and the service of 1*d.* to be rendered to William and by the forinsec service pertaining to the manor, of the gift and feoffment of Peter de Cestria, and that they were jointly seised thereof on the day of Robert's death. By C.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order, as before, to deliver to the aforesaid Eve two messuages, 440 acres of land, 31 acres of meadow, ten acres of pasture, 6 acres of wood, two mills, 16*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* of the rent of free tenants, 2 messuages and 9½ acres of land that two villeins hold in villeinage, together with their boon-works (*operibus*), a rent of sixty-two hens, together with the pleas and perquisites of the court, in Braumford, co. Suffolk, and to restore the issues thereof, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator concerning the lands that belonged to Robert that Robert and Eve were jointly enfeoffed of the aforesaid lands, etc., to hold to them and to Robert's heirs, and that they were jointly seised thereof on the day of Robert's death. By C.

Oct. 14.
Jedburgh.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to search the rolls of the exchequer, and to certify the king under the seal of the exchequer what and how much Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and constable of England, and Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England,

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ought and were wont to receive from the king in the name of fee for their offices, and from what time and how and in what manner they have been wont to receive such fees. By K. on the information of the chancellor.

Oct. 8.
Jedburgh.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause the prior of Lenton to have a tenth of the king's venison taken in the forest of Chaumpaigne, co. Derby, for the present year, in such manner as he and his predecessors have been wont to have such tenth heretofore, as the prior has shown the king that whereas he ought to have by the charters of the king's progenitors, and that he and his predecessors have always been wont to have heretofore from the time of the making of the charters, a tenth of the king's venison taken in the counties of Nottingham and Derby, to wit of harts and hinds, bucks and does, in frankalmoin, nevertheless the said justice and his ministers of the forest of Chaumpaigne do not permit him to have a tenth of the venison taken in that forest during this year.

The like to Robert de Clyfford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, for a tenth of the venison taken in the king's forest of Nottingham.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to cause the abbot and convent of Vale Royal to have six tuns of wine of the king's right prise at Chester for the twentieth, twenty-first, twenty-second, twenty-third, twenty-fourth, and twenty-fifth years of the reign, unless he ascertain that they have been satisfied therefor wholly or in part, as the king granted to the abbot and convent by his letters patent a tun of wine yearly to be received from his said prise by the hand of the justice for the celebration of divine service in their monastery, and six tuns are in arrears for the years aforesaid, as the abbot and convent say.

Oct. 14.
Jedburgh.

To John de Lythege[r]eynes, escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Bertin de Ughtrethessat held of the king at his death by knight service as of the manor of Cokermue, which is in the king's hands by reason of the lands of Isabel de Fortibus, sometime countess of Albemarle, tenant in chief, being in the king's hands, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition that Bertin held of him in chief in any other way at his death whereby the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king: the king orders the escheator to retain in the king's hands the lands that Bertin held as above, and not to intermeddle further with the lands that he held of Ralph de Eyncourt and John de Plumland, which the escheator has taken into the king's hands by reason of Bertin's death. By C.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to pay to Laurence de Longaner, of Scotland, esquire, who was captured in the conflict between the king and the Scots at Dumbar and who is imprisoned in the castle of Tunbrigg, and to his keeper the arrears of their wages for the sheriff's time, and to cause them to have their wages henceforth until otherwise ordered, to wit Laurence 3*d.* and his keeper 2*d.* a day. By C.

To John de Lithege[r]eynes, escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle in any way with the lands that Thomas de Mareseye, tenant of the heir of Edmund, the king's late brother, held of the said heir, which the escheator has taken into the king's hands by reason of his death, as the king has granted to Blanche, late the wife of Edmund, the principal executrix of his will, the issues of all the lands that belonged to Edmund at his death until his heir shall come of age, for the execution of his will,

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as contained in the king's letters made to her, and the said Thomas died, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator, before the king had rendered to Edmund's heir the lands that belonged to Edmund.

By C.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned in the presence of Edmund earl of Cornwall, or of someone to be deputed by him, to Joan, late the wife of Robert de Ufford, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath not to marry without the king's licence.

By C.

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Oct. 19.
Jedburgh.

To the fermors of the king's mills and bridge of Chester. Order to pay to Robert de Crevequer 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for the quinzaine of Michaelmas last, in accordance with the king's grant to him of the custody of the castle of Beston, co. Chester, and for that custody of 100*s.* yearly and 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the mills and bridge [*as at p. 28 above*].

*Vacated, because otherwise below.*Oct. 19.
Jedburgh.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned, in the presence of Robert de Shirland, brother of Thomas de Marines, tenant in chief, to Alice, late the wife of the said Thomas, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.—John de Cobham received [her] oath.

To the same. Although the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that John de Whytewell, tenant in chief, held at his death of the king the manor of Kyngeswynterburn, co. Dorset, by the service of 40*s.* yearly at Michaelmas by the hands of the sheriff, and it does not appear by the inquisition whether the said service of 40*s.* owes the king knight service or not, the king, wishing to show favour to Ralph de Monte Hermery and Fulk Baynard, of whom John held by knight service at his death, as appears by the inquisition, has committed to them the lands that John held of them by knight service, to hold until fifteen days from Easter next, so that the escheator shall then resume them into the king's hands and keep them safely until otherwise ordered, and so that they shall answer to the exchequer for the issues thereof if they ought to pertain to the king: the king therefore orders the escheator to deliver to Ralph and Fulk the lands thus held of them, to be held in form aforesaid, and to cause inquisition to be made in the meantime whether the said service of 40*s.* owes knight service to the king or not, and if it do, to enquire how much and where, and whether John held of the king by any serjeanty, and how and in what manner.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to pay to Robert de Crevequer 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for Michaelmas term last from the issues of the mills and bridges of Chester, in accordance with the king's grant to him, in recompence for his grant to the king and Queen Eleanor, his late consort, of the manor of Saham, of the custody of the castle of Bestane, co. Chester, and for the custody thereof of 100*s.* yearly and also of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the said mills and bridges, a moiety at the quinzaine of Easter and the other moiety at the quinzaine at Michaelmas.

Oct. 12
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To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause Richard Berde to have seisin of seven acres of land and 1½ acres of moor (*more*) in Sweyneston, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said

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lands, which Philip le Petit, who abjured the realm for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Philip held them of Richard, and that the township of Sw[e]yneston now hold them and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

Oct. 14. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Giles de Jedburgh. Trumpton to be acquitted of 11*l.* 5*s.* 6*d.* due to the king for his relief, as the king has pardoned him. By p.s.

Oct. 19. To the same. Order to cause William de Gouyz, one of the heirs of Jedburgh. Alvered de Lincoln, tenant in chief, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the knights' fees that he holds of the king for the army of Wales in the tenth year of the reign, as it is testified before the king that William did his service for the said fees in that army. By pet. of C.

Oct. 19. To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to pay to Andrew de Sinton, Wark. William son of Robert de Lambinston, Walter de Edinton. and David de Strabolgy of Scotland, esquires, who were captured in the conflict between the king and the Scots at Dumbar and who are imprisoned in Foderingeye castle, and to their keepers the arrears of their wages for the sheriff's time, and to pay them their wages henceforth, to wit each of the esquires 3*d.* and each of their keepers 2*d.* a day, until further orders.

Oct. 26. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the Chester-le-Street king understands for certain that the manors of Slaghteneford, Alynton, Brome, Welleby, and Navenby and certain other lands that Stephen and other progenitors of the king, formerly kings of England, granted by their charters to the nuns of Marcigny in frankalmoin, in order to celebrate divine service (*cultu*) there for ever, have been alienated in fee by certain priors and nuns of Marcigny into the hands of the prior of Farleye and of divers other men without licence of the king and of his progenitors, to the defrauding of the alms aforesaid, to the king's prejudice and against the will of him and of his progenitors and against the form of the feoffment thereof made to the nuns, which the king will not tolerate in any way, as indeed he ought not to do: he therefore orders the escheator to take into the king's hands without delay the aforesaid manors and all the lands that he shall ascertain to have been thus conferred in frankalmoin upon the nuns and to have been alienated by the nuns and priors to the prior of Farleye or to any others in fee, and to cause them to be kept safely until the king shall otherwise ordain. By C.
[Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 786.]

Oct. 26. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause William Chester-le-Street le Botillier, kinsman and heir of Maud de Wemme, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for three knights' fees in the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as the king, on 8 September, in that year, pardoned William le Botillier of Wemme, deceased, for his good service to him, what pertained to the king for the service of three knights' fees that Maud de Wemme (*sic*), his mother, ought to have done in the said army and which she acknowledged to the king for that army.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to pay to Master Richard the Engineer (*ingeniator*) 12*d.* a day, which the king granted to him for life by his letters patent for his good and faithful service to be received at the exchequer of Chester by the hands of the king's chamberlain there, and to pay him the arrears thereof.

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- Oct. 19.
Wark. To the same. Order, as before (*alias*), to cause the king's mills at Chester and his causeway there to be repaired without delay, so far as pertains to the king.
- Oct. 31.
Durham. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas Henry de Leyburn, who married without the king's licence Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Simon de Sharstede, tenant in chief, lately came into chancery and granted that he would satisfy John le Latimer, to whom the king had granted Elizabeth's marriage, for the value of her marriage when John should wish to speak concerning it, and for this purpose bound himself and his heirs and his lands, goods and chattels to be distrained by the king, and moreover found mainpernors, to wit Ralph de Sandwico, Robert de Burghesse, Richard de Gravene and John de Watton, of co. Kent, each of whom mainperned for Henry and charged himself, his heirs and his lands, in the same form as Henry; and the king, on 28 November, in the twenty-sixth year of his reign, as Henry or his mainpernors had not satisfied John for the marriage or its value, ordered Malcolm de Harle, then escheator beyond Trent, to take all the lands, goods and chattels of Henry and Elizabeth into the king's hands, and to cause them to be safely kept until otherwise ordered; and afterwards the king, on 7 March, in the same year, ordered Malcolm to cause the lands, goods and chattels to be replevied to Henry, to be held by the mainprise aforesaid and during the king's pleasure, as appears by inspection of the rolls of chancery; and John has now come before the king and has complained that he has not been satisfied in any way for the value of the marriage aforesaid: the king, wishing to aid John in this behalf according to the form of the grant and mainprise aforesaid, orders the escheator to take into the king's hands and to keep safely until otherwise ordered all the lands of Elizabeth's inheritance, and to cause them to be extended in the presence of Henry, Elizabeth and John by the oath of men of his bailiwick suspected by neither party, and to send the extent so made to the king with this writ, so that he may have it before him and his council in the quinzaine of St. Hilary next, and to warn the aforesaid Henry, Ralph, Robert, Richard, and John de Watton to be then before the king and his council to do and receive what the court shall consider in this behalf. By C.
- Nov. 1.
Durham. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause William le Botyller of Wemme, kinsman and heir of Ralph le Botiller, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the service of three knights' fees in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as Ralph was with the king by his order in that army for the service of the said fees, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his marshalsea for that army.
- To the same. Order to acquit the said William, kinsman and heir of Maude de Wemme, of the scutage exacted from him for three knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as the king, on 8 September, in the said year, granted to William le Botyller of Wemme, now deceased, for his good service, what pertained to the king for the service of three knights' fee, which the said Maud, his mother, ought to have done in that army and which she acknowledged to the king for that army.
- Nov. 3.
Durham. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause William, son and heir of John le Marchal, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the king and the king has taken his homage. By p.s.
The like to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland.

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Nov. 1.
Durham.

To the takers of the king's wines of the right prise at Southampton. Order to cause the abbot and convent of King's Beaulieu to have a tun of wine of the king's right prise for the present year, together with the arrears of the same, as the late king granted to them a tun of wine from that prise yearly, to be received between (*infra*) Christmas and the Purification, for the celebration of Mass in their church at Beaulieu, and the present king afterwards, at the instance of R. late bishop of Bath and Wells, the chancellor, granted to them that they should thenceforth receive the said tun of wine yearly by the hands of his takers of his wines at Southampton, without any special order being obtained from him.

Nov. 5.
Durham.

To Walter de Gloucestria, escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that William, late bishop of Ely, held the manor of Oxindon, co. Gloucester, of Ralph de Monte Hermery, earl of Gloucester and Hertford, and Joan his wife, the king's daughter, by the service of an esquire going with the earl in the king's army of Wales, and that the bishop held at his death of the king the manor of Lutgarshale by the service of 2s. 6d. yearly as of the king's manor of Brehill: the king orders the escheator to retain in the king's hands for certain reasons the said manor of Lutgarshale until otherwise ordered, and not to intermeddle further with the manor of Oxindon, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the bishop's death, and to restore the issues thereof.

By p.s.

Nov. 8.
Durham.

To John de Lithegr[eynes], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the manor of Wytheton, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Theobald le Botiller delivered to Richard the said manor, which Theobald lately held of Edmund, the king's late brother, to be held by a certain extent until Richard should have levied from it 560 marks in which Theobald was bound to him, or until Theobald or his heirs should pay that sum, so that the manor should revert to Theobald when this said sum should be levied or paid.

By C.—Duplicated.

Nov. 5.
Durham.

To the bailiffs of Scardeburgh. Whereas the king lately ordered them to certify him of the manner and cause of the taking of a messuage in Scardeburgh that belonged to Adam Gunnor of Scardeburgh, deceased, by them into the king's hands, and they have certified that Adam, who behaved himself (*conversatus*) well and faithfully among them from his birth, went to the forest of Daneby for the purpose of taking venison, as it was said, and was there taken and beheaded by the foresters and other keepers of that forest, and that the bailiffs had taken the messuage into the king's hands for that reason: the king, in no wise regarding the said John (*sic*) as convicted of felony from this fact, orders the bailiffs not to intermeddle further with the messuage if they have taken it into his hands solely for this reason.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order to cause Reginald de Clifford to have seisin of ten acres of land and an acre of meadow in Aulescombe, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said lands, which John le Taillur, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that John held them of Reginald, and that William de Alneto, tithingman of Aulescombe, has had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

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Nov. 8.
Durham.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king granted by his letters patent to Richard son of John, deceased, tenant in chief, that in case he should die when in the king's service in Gascony, the king would look to (*capereimus nos*) Richard's heirs for all debts due from him to the exchequer or elsewhere, both for the debts of his ancestors and for his own debts, so that the heirs should be charged with the debts and the executors of Richard's will should have free administration of all his goods and chattels for the execution of his will, so that neither the king nor his heirs, escheators, sheriffs or other bailiffs or ministers should lay their hands upon the goods and chattels for the debts aforesaid or for any other reason; and it is shown to the king on behalf of the executors that the heirs and parceners of Richard's inheritance, to whom the king ordered their purparties to be delivered on 16 April, in his twenty-sixth year, to hold for a certain time, have taken to themselves both the corn sown in the lands before 26 September, in the twenty-fifth year of the king's reign, upon which day the king caused the lands that belonged to Richard to be taken into his hands by reason of his death, as well as the corn sown therein after the lands were thus taken into the king's hands during last autumn by the executors by the licence of Malcolm de Harlewe, late escheator beyond Trent: the king orders the escheator to permit the executors to have full administration of all the lands and chattels that belonged to Richard on the day of his death, and to take into the king's hands the corn thus sown in the said lands and detained by the heirs, and to cause it to be safely kept until otherwise ordered.

Nov. 5.
Durham.

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Order not to intermeddle further with the manor of Wytheton, which was delivered to him by John de Lithegr[eynes], escheator this side Trent, as he has signified to the king, to be held in name of wardship although the heirs and parceners of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, are of full age, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Theobald le Butiller delivered to the said Richard the manor, which Theobald lately held of Edmund, the king's late brother, to hold by a certain extent until Richard should have levied thence 560 marks due to him from Theobald, or until Theobald should have paid that sum.

Nov. 17.
Finchale.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause William le Mareschall, son and heir of John le Mareschal, to have seisin of all the lands in Ireland that his father held of the king in chief and of which he was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death, together with the marshalsea of Ireland if the justiciary satisfy himself that John and William's other ancestors were seised thereof, as William has proved his age and the king has taken his homage.

By pet of C. (?)

Nov. 16.
Finchale.

To John de Lyth[egreynes], escheator this side Trent. Order to permit Ralph de Kirketon to have the forestry of Hovingham and to receive the corn and robe specified below, if he ascertain that Ralph had them in the lifetime of Roger de Moubray, tenant in chief, as Roger granted the forestry by his charter to Ralph for life for his service, with its rights and appurtenances and the trees thrown down by wind, and the branches and bark of all trees there given, and a quarter of wheat every ten weeks and a robe yearly of the suit of Roger's esquires, and 20s. at Christmas yearly from the manor of Hovingham, as contained in the charter, which the king has inspected, and the escheator has taken the forestry into the king's hands by reason of Roger's death with Roger's lands, and detains it unjustly in the king's hands in the name of wardship by reason of the

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minority of Roger's heir, and does not permit Ralph to have the forestry and to receive the corn and robe as aforesaid, as the king learns from Ralph's complaint.

By pet. of C.

Nov. 5.
Durham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king lately impleaded before Hugh de Cressingham and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. Northumberland, William son of William le Corouner concerning 52 acres of land in Baumburgh, and William said that he could not answer to the king's plea or render the said land because he said that one William son of William held five acres of the said tenement, who is not named in the writ, and he prayed judgment upon the writ, and William Ing, who sued for the king, said that William son of William le Corouner was full tenant of the said tenements on the day when the writ was sued out, to wit 20 January, in the twenty-first year of the reign, and he prayed that this might be inquired for the king, and William son of William le Corouner did the like; concerning which it was found by the inquisition taken that the said William son of William, who William son of William le Corouner said held the said five acres of land, held nothing thereof then or on the day when the writ was sued out, and that William son of William le Corouner held only 45 acres of land thereof; for which reason the king recovered his seisin of the 45 acres against him by consideration of the court, as appears to the king by the record of the justices aforesaid; the king wishing to show favour to William son of William le Corouner, restored the said 45 acres of land to him, on condition that he answer the king when he shall wish to speak against him in this matter, and the king, on 17 August, in the twenty-third year of his reign, ordered the sheriff of Northumberland to restore the 45 acres to William, as appears by inspection of the rolls of chancery. The king orders the treasurer and barons to cause William to have peace until otherwise ordered for 13*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*, to wit, 6 marks 10*s.* 0*d.* for the twenty-[fourth] year of the reign, of the like sum for the twenty-fifth year, and of the like sum for the twenty-sixth year, at which sum the land was extended.

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Nov. 21.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Alan de Cantilupo, who is staying with the king in his service in parts beyond sea, to have respite for all debts due to the king for so long as he shall be in this service or until otherwise ordered, as the king has granted him respite during his pleasure for such debts. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To the sheriff of Somerset. Order to cause the perambulations that the king lately caused to be made of the forests in that county by Master Walter Schamel, dean of Salisbury, and Matthew de Columbariis, whereof the king sends him a transcript under his half-seal (*sub pede sigilli*), to be firmly held and observed, as the king wills that they shall be firmly held and observed in accordance with the great charter of the Forest. Dated at Westminster, 26 April, in the seventh year of King Edward.—The transcript was sent with the writ before it was delivered for enrolment (*antequam tradebatur ad rotulum*).

This writ was enrolled here in order to have the form of the said writ if necessary.

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Nov. 26.
Westminster.

John le Paumer of Winchester, Isabel de Candevre, and John, her son, acknowledge that they owe to Stephen de Edesworth 90 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

Hugh de Nevill acknowledges that he owes to Master William Burnell, provost of Wells, and William de Hamelton, executors of the will of Robert Burnell, late bishop of Bath and Wells, and the other executors of his will, 25*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

John de Bassingburn acknowledges that he owes to Roger Brabazoun, the elder, 106*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Note of payment of 50s.

John Randolf acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Eton, clerk, 6*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Surrey.

Memorandum, that Robert de Londonia, parson of the church of Wyke-warr, diocese of Worcester, and James de Weyvill of co. Sussex mainperned before the chancellor in the chancery at Westminster, on 24 November, for William de Stanton that he would behave himself faithfully in the office of the keeping of the king's counter-seal of merchants in the town of Bristol, and the counter-seal was committed to William by that mainprise to be kept during the king's pleasure.

Nov. 24.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause proclamation to be made in his full county [court], in cities, boroughs, and market towns and elsewhere throughout his bailiwick where he shall see fit that all merchants and others wishing to carry wool, fells, or hides to parts beyond sea shall cause them to be carried to the ports where the king's cocket (*cocketum*) is, paying to the keepers of the king's custom there half a mark for each sack of wool and wool-fells and one mark for each last of hides leaving the said realm, as was wont to be done previously, as the king, at the instance of the community of his realm, has remitted the custom of 40*s.* lately granted to him in aid of his war against the king of France upon each sack of wool leaving the realm, to be received for two or three years, if the war should last so long, granting that he would not take that custom or another without the will and assent of the community, saving however to him and his heirs the custom of wool, fells and hides previously granted to him by the community of the realm. The king has ordered the keepers of his custom in the ports aforesaid to take such custom for his use from sacks of wool and wool-fells and lasts of hides leaving the realm, and to supersede entirely the taking of the said 40*s.* from a sack of wool and wool-fells and the said five marks from a last of hides.

The like to all the sheriffs of England.

To John son of Thomas. Order to be at Sandwich in the octaves of St. Andrew next in person with horses and arms, prepared to cross to the king in Flanders to his assistance, as, although the king expects to have a sufficient number of divers nations in the parts where he now is to resist his enemies and to attack their power, if need be, he believes he would be safer if he were surrounded by those who are bound to him by duty and of whose valour and constancy he has heretofore made trial. He is requested to certify Edward, the king's son, supplying his place in England, of his proceedings herein without delay. [*Parl. Writ.*]

The like to forty-three others. [*Ibid.*]

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Westminster.

To the taxors and collectors of the ninth in co. Lincoln. Order to supersede entirely the taxation, levying and collection of the ninth upon the goods of the abbot of Bardeneye in that county upon which he gives the king a tenth in aid of the defence of the realm, and to restore to him anything that they may have levied, as the king wills that the goods of prelates and others of the clergy of which they give a tenth for the present year shall not be taxed by reason of the ninth granted to him by the laity. It is provided that the goods of the abbot's villeins shall nevertheless be taxed in accordance with the form sent to the taxors and enjoined upon them. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

John de Rocheford acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 110l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

*Cancelled on payment.*Nov. 29.
Westminster.

To Robert Bagod and his fellows, justices of the Bench of Dublin. Order to respite until Easter next all pleas before them concerning Hugh Purcel, excepting pleas of dower *unde nichil habet*, of *Quare impedit*, and assizes of novel disseisin and of last presentation, unless Hugh have then returned from the king's service, or until otherwise ordered by the king, as the king wishes to provide for Hugh's indemnity, who is setting out in his service by his order for parts beyond sea.

Dec. 4.
Westminster.

John de Aston Sunervill acknowledges that he owes to Reginald de Wykewan, clerk, 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

To the abbot and convent of Coggeshale. Request that they will admit into their house Henry de la Panetrye, the king's serjeant, who has long and faithfully served the king, and whom the king is sending to them because he has not yet provided him with the necessaries of life, and that they will provide him for life with necessaries in food and clothing in accordance with the requirements of his estate.

By C. on the information of J. de Drokensford.

To the justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his place. Order to respite all pleas touching John son of Thomas before him and other justices and ministers of Ireland, excepting pleas of dower *unde nichil habet* and of *Quare impedit* and assizes of novel disseisin and of last presentation, until Easter next, unless John return in the meantime, or until otherwise ordered by the king, as the king wishes to provide for the indemnity of John, who is setting out in his service by his orders to parts beyond sea.

By C.

The like in favour of John de la Mare directed to the steward of the liberty of Geoffrey de Geynvill and Maud, his wife, at Trym.

The like directed to the justiciary in favour of the following, who are going to parts beyond sea with the said John son of John (*sic*):

The said John de la Mare.

Walter Lenfaunt.

John Harald.

Roger de Lees.

Gerald Tyrel.

John son of Richard de Athnyd.

Walter Bodenham.

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To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to cause the said John son of Thomas to have respite during the king's pleasure for all debts due to that exchequer.

The like in favour of the following, who are going to parts beyond sea with him:

Walter Lenfaunt.
John Harald.
Roger de Lees.
Gerald Tyrel.
John son of Richard de Athnyd.
Walter Bodenham.
John de la Mare.

John de Elsefeld acknowledges that he owes to William de Medbourn, parson of the church of Sutton Curtenay, 200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Berks.

John de la Mare acknowledges that he owes to John de Langeton, the chancellor, 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

Cancelled on payment.

Dec. 14.
Westminster.

Margaret, late the wife of Geoffrey de Nevill, acknowledges that she owes to William de Hamelton 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of her lands and chattels in co. York.

MEMBRANE 16*d.*

To the barons, bailiffs, men and whole community of the port of Sandwich and of its members. Notification that the truce (*sufferencia*) in the war between the king and his confederates and the king of France and his confederates lately granted and taken by the king to endure until the Epiphany next as to the duchy of Aquitaine and until the octaves of St. Andrew last for the other lands, as contained in the king's letters then sent to them [*page 77 above*], has been now continued by the assent of the two kings until Shrovetide (*usque ad Carniprivium*), to wit from realm to realm, land to land and people to people, by land and by sea, so that all merchants and others whosoever, whether they be of the realm of France or from elsewhere in the power of the king of France or of his confederates or men, or of the realm of England, the earldom of Flanders, or elsewhere in the power of the king, his confederates, or men, may safely come and go by land and by sea with all their goods from realm to realm, from land to land, and may stay therein and ply their merchandise, and return thence, as shall seem good to them during the truce. The king therefore orders them to observe the truce in all its articles, and not to inflict or cause to be inflicted any damage, wrong, hindrance, annoyance or grievance upon the king of France, his confederates, merchants or people, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb and of everything that they can forfeit, more especially as the king is bound to cause amends to be made for everything attempted against them or any of them contrary to the form of the truce. The king warns them if anything be in any way attempted by any of his men against the form of the truce, that he will punish (*capiemus ad*) not only the offender but also the community to which he belongs. [*Fædera.*]

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The like to the barons of the ports and members of Dover, Hethe, Romenhale, and Hasting', the barons and whole community of Wyneh[elseye], the bailiffs, men and community of Yarmouth, the bailiffs and men of Lynn, Ipswich, Dunwich, Hulle, Boston, Portsmouth, Newcastle-on-Tyne, South Lym', La Pole, and Bristol. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Stephen de Pencestria, warden of the Cinque Ports, to go in person to all the ports and to cause the prolongation of the truce to be proclaimed and observed, inhibiting all and singular from inflicting wrong, etc. upon the king of France, his confederates, merchants and men (as above). [*Ibid.*]

The like to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, to cause the prolongation to be proclaimed in all ports and places where ships arrive and elsewhere in Ireland. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Reginald de Gray, justice of Chester, for all places in his bailiwick where ships arrive, etc. [*Ibid.*]

The like to John de Havering, justice of North Wales. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Robert de Tybetot, or to him who supplies his place in South Wales. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriffs of Northumberland, York, Lincoln, Norfolk and Suffolk, Essex, Kent, Sussex, Southampton, Dorset, Somerset, Devon, Cornwall, and Gloucester, to go in person to all places where ships arrive in their respective bailiwicks, etc. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 14.
The Tower.

To John son of Thomas. Order to be at London on the morrow of the Circumcision next in person with horses and arms, ready to set out to Flanders in the king's aid [*etc. as in order of 24 November, p. 187 above*]. [*Fœdera ; Parl. Writs.*]

The like to thirty-seven others. [*Ibid.*]

To the sheriff of Nottingham and Derby. Whereas the king is causing Welshmen to come to the parts of Scotland to repress the malice of the Scots, his enemies and rebels, so that they shall be at Durham or Newcastle-on-Tyne at the quinzaine of St. Hilary next at the latest: the king orders the sheriff to cause proclamation to be made without delay in all market towns and other towns in his bailiwick, through which the Welshmen will pass towards the said parts, that all bakers and brewers dwelling therein shall bake and brew against the coming of the Welshmen, so that they may find victuals to buy on their journey, and so that damage may not arise through them to the men dwelling in those parts through lack of such victuals. The sheriff is enjoined to cause this order to be executed as he loves the king's honour and profit. [*Fœdera.*]

The like to the sheriffs of Lincoln and York. [*Ibid.*]

John de Rocheford, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 50 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Cancelled on payment.

Memorandum, that a day is given to William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, and to Maud, his wife, Robert de Clifford, and Idonia de Leyburn, heirs and parceners of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, who prayed that their purparties of his lands might be assigned to them, in chancery on the morrow of St. Hilary next to receive their purparties.

Dec. 12.
The Tower.

To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause 6s. a day to be levied and paid to Malcolm de Harleye and John de Crokesleye from all those who have lands within or adjoining the king's forests in that county, of which

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the king lately appointed Malcolm and John by his letters patent to make perambulation in accordance with the late king's charter [of the Forest], as the king, considering that the perambulation when made will be to the advantage of all those who have lands within or adjoining or near to the bounds of the forest, wills that they shall contribute Malcolm and John's expenses while they are executing this office in that county. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriffs of Gloucester, Worcester, Hereford, Salop, Stafford, Somerset, and Dorset. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriffs of Essex, Huntingdon, Northampton, Surrey, Sussex, and Rutland. [*Ibid.*]

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Feb. 7.
Langley.

The like to the sheriffs of Buckingham, Oxford, Berks, Southampton, and Wilts for Master John Gilbert and Roger de Hegham. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Jan. 28.
Westminster.

The like to the sheriffs of Nottingham, Derby, York, Lancaster, Westmoreland, and Cumberland for John de Lythegr[eynes] and Henry de Gildeford.

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Dec. 20.
Langley.

Henry Maunsel came before the king, on Friday before Christmas, and sought to replevy to Joan, late the wife of Geoffrey de Wodrington her land in Linton, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices of the Bench against Margaret, late the wife of Gerard de Woderington. This is signified to the justices.

Dec. 25.
Langley.

Stephen Cheyndut came before the king, on Wednesday, Christmas Day, and sought to replevy his land in Flandren, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Alexander Dethke and Maud, his wife. This is signified by the justices.

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Jan. 8.
Langley.

To the barons, bailiffs, men and whole community of the port of Dover. The king remembers that he lately ordered them and the other barons of the Cinque Ports to cause all their ships to be assembled at one of the said ports about the end of the term of the truce lately taken between him and the king of France, which will be at Shrovetide (*Carniprivo*), so that they should be always ready to come to him with all their shipping whenever he should cause them to be summoned. As the king has this matter much at heart, he orders them as before to cause all their ships well and sufficiently found to be assembled at one of the said ports about the end of the aforesaid term, so that they shall be ready to come to him with all their shipping. In order that the said matter may be done better and more safely, he wills and orders that they shall have two of their com-barons of that port of the better and more discreet before W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer, and before others of the king's council at Westminster in the octaves of St. Hilary next, to do in this behalf what shall then be enjoined upon them by the treasurer on the king's behalf. This they are enjoined not to omit as they love the king and his and their honour and that of the whole realm. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the barons, bailiffs, and men of the ports of Wynch[elseye], Hastyng', Hethe, Sandwich, and Romenhale. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 3.
Langley.

To Robert de Burghesshe, supplying the place of the warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to go in person to each of the said ports, and to warn and induce all and singular, mariners and others, of those ports on the king's behalf to have all their ships well found and provisioned at one of the said ports about the end of the aforesaid term, and to cause two

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barons from^e each of the ports to come before the treasurer and council at Westminster as above, and to be present himself on that day. [*Ibid.*]

The like to John le Sauvage, supplying the place of the captain of the mariners, to be present at the said day and place to do what shall then be enjoined upon him on the king's behalf. [*Ibid.*]

Robert Huberd acknowledges that he owes to Robert le Dun 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Buckingham.

Alice, late the wife of William de Mortuo Mari of Kyngeston, tenant in chief, puts in her place William de Kynyngham and William de Thorp to demand her dower of the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William.

Reginald de Tunderlegh, citizen of London, acknowledges that he owes to John de Drogenesford, keeper of the king's wardrobe, 140*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Memorandum, that day is given to Robert de Clifford and Idonia de Leyburn, some (*quibusdam*) of the heirs of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, to receive in chancery their purparties of the inheritance in the octaves of the Purification next; which day is prefixed for William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, and Maud, his wife, one of the sisters and heirs of Richard, to do and receive on that day what the king's court shall then consider concerning the purparty assigned to them in chancery.

Jan. 17.
Langley.

Hugh de Tymberlond came before the king, on Friday after St. Hilary last, and sought to replevy to Alice de Tymberlond her land in Bamburgh near Lincoln, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices of the Bench against Cecily de Schryvelby, Beatrice de Horsinton, and Juetta Broun. This is signified to the justices of the Bench. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

William le Hosier of Halifeld came before the king, on Friday after St. Hilary last, and sought to replevy his land in Halifeld, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against William le Cuper and Margery, his wife, and Ellen, daughter of Walter le Fruter of London. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

Richard Fromund, parson of the church of Thornfagun, came before the king, on the said Friday, and sought to replevy his said land in Penne, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Juliana, late the wife of Robert de Burton. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

To the sheriff of Lancaster. Order to cause proclamation to be made prohibiting anyone from taking any corn from that county, except to Scotland for the maintenance of the king's subjects whom he has sent and is about to send thither to repress the malice of the Scots, his rebels, or to the king in Flanders, or to Gascony for the maintenance of the king's subjects staying in his service there, under pain of forfeiture of the corn. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

The like to the sheriff of York.

Roger de Morteyn, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Bernewell, tailor, of London, 19*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

* Membrane 15*d* commences here.

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Westminster.*Membrane 15d—cont.*

To John de Warennæ, earl of Surrey, captain of the king's expedition against the Scots. Although there is no need, as the king perceives, to urge the earl to go speedily to Scotland with the earls, barons and other subjects of the king sent by the king, in order to repress the malice and rebellion of the Scots, the king nevertheless requests and orders him not to await the coming of the footmen from Wales and the Welsh marches who are coming thither by the king's order, but to take with him the earls, barons and other subjects according to the ordinance thereof made who are setting out for Scotland, and also the footmen of cos. York, Lancaster, Westmoreland, Cumberland and Northumberland, so far as he can, with all speed towards the parts of Scotland for the defence of the marches, as shall seem most fitting to him for the advantage and honour of the king and of himself and of all the realm and for the salvation of those parts and for the repression of the malice of the Scots, so conducting himself in this expedition that the king may of right commend the probity and fidelity of him and of the other earls, barons and subjects aforesaid. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Fœdera; Parl. Writs.*]

William de Aleburn acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Barthelby, clerk, 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Devon.

The abbot of Stanlawe, parson of the church of Whallaye, acknowledges, for himself and his successors, that he owes to William de Hamelton 81 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

To Laurence de Aune and John Titing. Whereas the king lately granted by his charter to Richard de Merewell, citizen of Winchester, the house in that city called 'the Drapery' (*Draperia*), which the king recovered by consideration of his court against Richard de Wherewell and others of that city, which house lies between the house formerly belonging to Roger Dalroun on the east and the houses of the said Roger on the west, and from which house 6*l.* were wont to be rendered to the ferm of the city and 60*s.* of increment beyond the ferm for having the Drapery there, to hold to Richard and his heirs for ever for 10*l.* of new increment, as contained in the charter; and Richard has surrendered the house into the king's hands before the treasurer and barons of the exchequer, quit of him and his heirs, because those who were wont to ply drapery in the aforesaid house had wholly left it by reason of the new increment, and that the house is insufficient to pay the old ferm of 9*l.* together with the new increment; for which reason the king, discharging the house of the new increment of 10*l.* hereafter, granted the house by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Roll*, 25 Ed. I, p. 305] to Laurence and John and other citizens who previously held it, to have to them and to their heirs, rendering therefor yearly the old ferm of 9*l.*, as was wont to be rendered before the said new increment; and Laurence and John, unjustly detaining the house from the citizens of that city who lately held it, do not permit them to enter and hold it, contrary to the form of the grant, as the king learns: he orders them, if it be so, to permit the said citizens who previously held the house to have seisin thereof together with them.

William de Hareton and Gilbert de Thoutheby, executors of the will of William de Saleby, clerk, acknowledge that they owe to Master William

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Burnel, executor of the will of Robert Burnel, late bishop of Bath and Wells, and the other executors of the bishop's will, 6 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by William de Hamelton, one of the executors.

James de Oxton of co. Devon acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, parson of the church of Brideford, 7 marks 4s. 0d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Devon.

Cancelled on payment.

Feb. 1.
Langley.

The abbot of Vaudey (*de Valle Dei*) acknowledges, for himself and his successors, that he owes to William de Hamelton, archdeacon of York, 350 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

Richard de Monte Pessulano of London acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 6 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex and in London.

Feb. 4.
Langley.

To Robert de Burghesse, supplying the place of the warden of the Cinque Ports. As the king proposes to return to England shortly, he orders him to proceed in person immediately upon sight hereof to each of the said ports, and to cause all the ships thereof that are suitable for the conveyance of men, horses and other necessities to be prepared without delay with bridges and hurdles (*clais*), so that he shall have them thus prepared with sufficient sailors and mariners at Sluys (*Fleclusas*) in Flanders on the first Sunday of Lent at the latest, in order to make speedy passage of the king and his subjects there. This he is enjoined to omit in no way as he loves the king and his honour and as the king trusts in him, so that the king's passage may not be delayed through lack of ships. The king will send to him shortly John de Drokenesford, keeper of his wardrobe, to satisfy the expenses incurred in this behalf. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

To the barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Sandwich with its members. As the king proposes to return shortly to England, he orders them to cause all ships of their port and its members suitable for carrying men, horses and other necessities, to be provided with bridges and hurdles (*etc. as above*) and to have them at Sluys (*as above*). The king is sending John de Drokenesford (*as above*). [*Fœdera.*]

The like to the barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Dover with its members. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the bailiffs and men of the ports of Hethe, Romenhale, Hastings, and their members, and to the barons, bailiffs and men of Wynchelse, without the reference to the members. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the bailiffs and men of Portsmouth, without the reference to the members and without the clause about John de Drokenesford.

The like to the mayor, bailiffs and men of Southampton, as in the preceding order.

Feb. 10.
Langley.

Fulk de Lucy acknowledges that he owes to Beatrice, late the wife of Anselm de Gyse, and executrix of his will, 26 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

Robert de Stuttevill of Wulferton acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 14 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

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Henry Maunsel of Morham acknowledges that he owes to John Mynyot nine marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Memorandum, that an inquisition concerning the serjeanty of Okhangre, co. Southampton, made by a writ of privy seal, was delivered under the chancellor's seal to Sir John Bacun to be taken to the king in Flanders.

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Feb. 4.
Langley.

To the barons, bailiffs, men, and the whole community of the port of Sandwich and its members. Although the term of the truce (*suffereincie*) between the king and the king of France lately agreed upon does not extend beyond Shrovetide (*Carniprivium*) next, the king, because the truce has been prolonged by consent, orders them to observe the truce, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb and of all that they can forfeit, until the king shall send to them the form of the prolongation of the truce. Witness: Edward the king's son. [*Fiedera.*]

The like to the barons, bailiffs and men and to the whole community [of the ports] and of the members thereof,* the barons, bailiffs, and men and whole community of the ports and members of Dover, Hethe, Romenhale, and Hasting.

The like to the barons and whole community of Wynchelse.

The like to the bailiffs and men and whole community of Yarmouth.

The like to the bailiffs and men of Lenne, Ipswich, Dunwich, Hulle, Boston, Portsmouth, Newcastle-on-Tyne, South Lym', La Pole, and Bristol.

The like to Stephen de Pencestre, warden of the Cinque Ports, John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, John de Havering, justice of North Wales, Robert de Tybetot, or to him who supplies his place in South Wales.

The like to the sheriffs of Northumberland, York, Lincoln, Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex, Kent, Sussex, Southampton, Dorset, Somerset, Devon, Cornwall, and Gloucester. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 8.
Langley.

To William de Echingham. As the king proposes to return to England shortly and to set out thence in aid of his faithful subjects as quickly as possible to repress the malice of the Scots, his enemies and rebels, he orders him to provide himself in the meantime with horses and arms, so that he shall be ready when the king arrives in England to set out with him for the parts aforesaid. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to sixty-seven others. [*Ibid.*]

To Robert de Burghesse, supplying the place of the warden of the Cinque Ports. As the king wishes that his passage to England shall be accelerated as much as possible, he orders Robert, as he has done before (*alias*), to cause all ships of the Cinque Ports suitable for carrying men, horses and other necessities to be prepared with bridges and hurdles (*clavis*) without delay, and to cause them to come thus prepared to Sluys (*Elclusas*) in Flanders with all speed, so that they shall be there on the first Sunday of Lent, at the latest, in order to make the king's passage speedily, according to the tenor of the king's previous order to him, so that the passage may not be delayed further in his default. He is enjoined not to neglect this order as he loves the king and his honour and as he would wish to avoid his lasting anger.

* The words 'baronibus, ballivis, probis hominibus et toti communitati portuum et membrorum' are written twice by oversight, the word 'portuum' being omitted in the first case.

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Langley.

To the barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Sandwich, with its members. As the king wishes that his passage to England shall be accelerated, he orders them, as he has done before, to cause all ships of their ports and its members suitable for carrying men, horses, and other necessities to be prepared with bridges and hurdles without delay, and to cause them to come thus prepared to Sluys in Flanders on the first Sunday in Lent, at the latest, in order to make the king's passage speedily, in accordance with the king's other order to them, so conducting themselves in this behalf that the king's passage shall not be further delayed in their default. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [*Fredera.*]

The like to the barons, bailiffs and men of the ports of Dover, Heth, Romenhale, and Hasting', with their members. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the barons, bailiffs and men of Wynch[elese] omitting the reference to its members (³*sin[e] illo verbo* (sic) *cum membris suis*). [*Ibid.*]

To John de Drogenesford, keeper of the wardrobe. As the king needs at least a hundred ships for his passage and for that of his subjects with him to England, according to the orders that he has given to Edward, his son, supplying his place in England, and his council, and as he cannot have more than twenty ships for the passage from the port of Yarmouth upon this occasion, as he understands, he orders John to provide without delay in such manner that the king may have the remaining eighty ships by all means from the ships of the Cinque Ports, which the king wills shall be at Sluys in Flanders on the first Sunday in Lent at the latest for making his passage speedily. He is enjoined not to neglect this as he loves the king and his honour, and to use all diligence in this behalf, so that the said passage shall not be further delayed. [*Ibid.*]

Feb. 14.

Langley.

To the bailiffs, men and whole community of Portesmouth. As the king wills that his passage to England shall be accelerated as much as possible, he particularly requests (*rogamus ex corde*) them to cause all ships of that town suitable for the carriage of men, horses and other necessities to be prepared with bridges and hurdles without delay, and to cause them to come thus prepared with sufficient sailors and mariners to Sluys in Flanders on the first Sunday in Lent at the latest, in order to make the king's passage speedily, as Richard de Kestan, his clerk, whom he is sending to them to see that this matter shall be well and quickly done, shall enjoin upon them on the king's behalf, to whom they are to give credence in this matter. They are enjoined not to neglect this in any manner as they love the king's honour and profit and his arrival in England and as the king trusts in them. The king's clerk John de Drogenesford, keeper of his wardrobe, will satisfy those whom they shall appoint for this purpose for the expenses incurred in this matter when they shall arrive in Flanders.

To Adam Gurdun. Order to go to the aforesaid town immediately upon sight of the letters directed to him, and to induce the bailiffs and community with the aforesaid Richard to cause all the ships of that town to be prepared and sent to Sluys in form aforesaid.

Feb. 14.

Langley.

To Nicholas de Cheyny, keeper of the islands of Geres[eye] and Gernes[eye]. As it is not necessary, by reason of the truce concluded between the king and his confederates and the king of France and his confederates and its prolongation until the Epiphany next and for a year from then, to retain as much garrison (*municionem*) in the castles of those

* Carelessly enrolled as *sui*.

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islands as Nicholas has kept there during the war, the king orders him to remove the garrison in the meantime, provided, however, that the islands and castles shall be always well and safely kept, lest damage or danger arise to the islands or castles for lack of custody.

Feb. 14.
Langley.

To Stephen de Penecestre, warden of the Cinque Ports, or to him who supplies his place.* Order to cause the truce until the morrow of the Epiphany next and for a year from then concluded between the king and the king of France to be proclaimed without delay throughout those ports, and to cause it to be observed in all points, and to cause inhibition to be made by the king's sheriffs in his bailiwick to all those of the ports that they shall not, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb and of all that they can forfeit, commit any grievance, injury, damage, or molestation, openly or secretly, by land or by sea, upon the merchants or other men, of whatsoever estate or condition they may be, of the realm of France or upon the other lands of the king of France, or of the lands of his allies, aiders, men or subjects, contrary to the form of the truce (*which is set out at length*). The king also orders him to choose and appoint in each of the ports in his bailiwick four good and loyal men to cause the masters (*mettres*) of ships and of other vessels departing from those ports or from any of their members to swear that they will keep well and loyally the truce aforesaid in all its points, without contravening it openly or secretly by themselves or by others, and to cause also the said four persons to be sworn that they shall conduct themselves well and loyally in this matter in order to avoid evil arising between the one party and the other or damage being done to any of the men of the realm of France, and that they shall not neglect (*lesse-*) the profit of the king in any manner. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

French.

The like, '*de mot en mot*,' to the barons, bailiffs, men and entire community of the port of Sandwich and its members with 'conclusion' ordering them, on their faith and loyalty, to cause the truce to be firmly observed in all its points, and forbidding them and each of them, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb and of all that they can forfeit, to commit grievance, damage, wrong or molestation by land or by sea, openly or secretly, upon any merchant or other of whatsoever estate or condition he may be of the realm of France or of the other lands of the king of France, or of the lands of his allies, aiders, men or subjects, contrary to the form of the truce, and without the clause relating to the election of the four men.

The like, with the same conclusion, to the barons, bailiffs, men and all the community of the following ports with their members: Faveresham, Hethe, Hasting', Romenhale, Dover, and La Rye, and the port of Wynchelse without its members.

The like, with the same conclusion, to the bailiffs, men and all the community of the following towns: Yarmouth, Ipswich, Dunwich, Lenne, Grymesby, Scardeburgh, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Southampton, Portsmouth, Bristol, Boston, and Lym.

The like to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, to cause the truce [to be proclaimed] throughout Ireland in cities, boroughs, market towns, sea ports, and in all other places where necessary, with clause for the appointment of four men in each port to take oath from the masters of ships, as above.

* The enrolment runs over on to Membrane 13d.

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The like to Sir Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, with the said clause.

The like to John de Havering', justice of North Wales, with the said clause.

The like to Robert de Tybetot, justice of South Wales, with the said clause.

The like to all the sheriffs of England, to cause the truce [to be proclaimed] in their county [courts] and throughout their bailiwicks in cities, boroughs, market towns, sea ports, and all other places where necessary, with the said clause.

Feb. 23.
Westminster.

John de Vernoun acknowledges that he owes to William de Sutton 14l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

John de Folsham acknowledges that he owes to the said William 10l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in the city of London.

Feb. 26.
Fulham.

To the official of the archbishop of Canterbury and to his commissary. Whereas Nicholas Cole, chaplain, lately impleaded Master John Wele, parson of the church of Wodele, before the official in court Christian concerning chattels and debts that are not of a testament or matrimony, and the king, because the cognisance of such pleas pertains to him and his crown and dignity and not to any one else in his realm, prohibited the official by writ from holding this plea in court Christian; and the official, asserting that the writ had been sued out with John's assent, draws him into a plea before him in court Christian, as the king learns from the information of many men: as it would manifestly prejudice the king if any one should be drawn into a plea in court Christian concerning those things that had been regularly sued out in his court to protect his right and that had been shown (*porrecta*) to the ecclesiastical judges so that they should not attempt anything in court Christian to his prejudice, the king prohibits the official from holding this plea in court Christian. Witness: Edward, the king's son. [Prynne, *Records*, iii. p. 780.]

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Nov. 26.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas the king, at the instance of the community of his realm, has remitted the custom lately granted to him in aid of his war against the king of France, to wit 40s. from each sack of wool and 40s. from 300 wool-fells, which make a sack, and 5 marks from each last of hides leaving the realm, to be received for two or three years if the war should last so long, saving to him and his heirs the custom of wool, fells and hides previously granted to him: the king, willing that this shall also be done and observed in Ireland, orders the treasurer and barons to supersede entirely the taking of the custom in that land lately granted to the king in aid of the war upon wool, fells and hides leaving that land, taking for the king's use the custom of half a mark upon each sack of wool and upon every 300 wool-fells, which make a sack, and a mark upon each last of hides leaving that land, as was usual before the war aforesaid. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

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Feb. 26.
Fulham.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order not to take or cause to be taken anything from the corn or other goods of W. archbishop of Dublin against his will, by reason of any order sent to them to send corn and victuals to Wales or Scotland, but to permit him to enjoy freely his corn and other

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goods and to make his profit thereof as shall seem good to him, as the king wishes to provide for the archbishop's indemnity because he is going to the Roman court by his order in his service.

March 6.
Canterbury.

Thomas, parson of the church of Chartham, Master John de Moningham, parson of the church of Eghethorn, and Robert de Henyngton acknowledge that they owe to John de Langeton, parson of the church of Reculvre, 178*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent. Witness: Edward, the king's son.

John Holte of Canterbury came before the king, on Friday before St. Gregory, and sought to replevy 20 acres of land, 2*s.* 8*d.* of yearly rent, and a rent of a cock and four hens in Herne near Reculvre, which were taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Joan, late the wife of William de Selling. This is signified to the justices.

MEMBRANE 12*d.*

Memorandum, that the king here returned to England from Flanders.

March 15.
Sandwich.

To W. bishop of Ely. Order to come to the king at Westminster in person on Palm Sunday, as the king wishes to have a conference (*colloquium*) and treaty with him upon certain arduous matters touching the king and the estate of his realm. [*Fœdera*; *Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the bishop of London and to twenty-one others. [*Ibid.*]

March 17.
Canterbury.

To the abbot and convent of Vercelli. Whereas there have been arrangements (*prelocuciones*) between them and the abbess and sisters of the order of St. Clare at Waterbeche, in the king's realm, concerning the church of Cestreton, in the diocese of Ely, which the abbot and convent possess for their own use of the king's patronage, which church is to be granted by the abbot and convent to the abbess and sisters and to their successors for ever if the king will consent: the king signifies to them that he is well pleased that the arrangements shall be observed and that the advowson of the church shall be granted by them to the abbess and sisters, on condition that when the grant have been made, they shall certify him in full by their letters patent of the form and manner of the grant.

March 17.
Canterbury.

To John de Warenne, earl of Surreye. The king informs him that he has returned from Flanders to his realm of England, and that he arrived safe and sound at Sandwyz on Friday after St. Gregory, with all his company. The king thanks him greatly for undertaking his business of going against his enemies in those parts during the time when he was beyond sea, and he prays him to continue what he has so well commenced and to carry them out to the extent of his power, as the king will hasten to come to him as much as he can, and before and after his arrival he will employ all the good counsel that he is able to do in this matter, so that, with the aid of God, it shall proceed well, as it ought to do. The king sends him these letters separately, as the chief of those who are in the king's behalf in the parts where the earl is, and he sends to him another open letter of the same tenor written generally to all the great lords of the earl's company without naming them, because at the time when the king sent letters to the earl by Robert Achard, the king's knight, he sent thither some [letters] to be delivered to certain persons who were not there, for which reason the king prays the earl to cause the letters general to be delivered to those who shall be with him when these letters shall come to him, in such place and in such manner as shall seem best to him. *French.* [*Fœdera.*]

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Peter Tholymer acknowledges that he owes to Peter de Edelmeton, citizen of London, 3*l.* 4*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

March 19.
Newington.

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that Christopher, son of Simon Benet of Oxford, came before the king, on Wednesday after St. Gregory, and sought to replevy three shops of his and his wife Alice in Oxford, which were taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices against Isolda, late the wife of William le Espicer of Oxford.

March 26.
Thurrock.

Peter Adryan acknowledges that he owes to William de Anlavby, parson of the church of Stokhamond, 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in the city of London.

March 25.
Thurrock.

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that Christopher de Oxonia came before the king, on Tuesday the feast of the Annunciation, and sought to replevy to Peter de Brehull of Oxford the latter's land, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices against Christina, late the wife of Roger de Trillemelle of Oxford.

To the same. Notification that the said Peter came before the king on the said Tuesday, and sought to replevy to Robert son of Hugh le Parmenter the latter's land in Oxford, which was taken into the king's hands for his default against the aforesaid Christina.

March 24.
Thurrock.

To the sheriff of York. The king sends to him enclosed in the presents the form of an inhibition ordained for the merchants and other men of Flanders, which he wills shall be publicly proclaimed and observed in every city, borough, market town and other place where necessary or expedient within his realm; he therefore orders the sheriff to cause the form of the inhibition to be publicly proclaimed in all its articles in every city, borough, market town and other place necessary or expedient within the sheriff's bailiwick.

[*The form aforesaid.*] Although it is contained in the form of the truce (*supra*) lately concluded between the king of England and the king of France that merchants and all other manner of men of the power of the king of France and of his allies may come safely and surely into the realm of England and into all the other lands of the king, and may stay there, ply merchandise, and depart at their pleasure during the truce; nevertheless because the merchants and other men of Flanders hesitate (*se doutent*) to come into the realm of England by reason of certain disputes and riots that arose at Gaunt between the king's men and them when the king was in those parts, it is forbidden on the king's behalf that any one shall, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb and all that he can forfeit, commit grievance, wrong, damage, or molestation, openly or secretly, by land or by sea, upon the merchants or other men of Flanders of whatsoever estate or condition they may be, but that they may go throughout the realm of England and the other lands of the king, may stay there, ply their merchandise, and depart at their pleasure without hindrance or disturbance, as they did at any times heretofore, upon paying the due and usual customs. *French.*

The like to all the sheriffs of England.

March 30.
Westminster.

To William Payforer. Order to be with the king at York at Whitsuntide next at the latest, with horses and arms, ready to set out with the king for Scotland to repress the malice of the Scots, the king's enemies and rebels, the king having lately when he was in Flanders ordered him

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to provide himself with horses and arms in such manner that he should be ready to set out with the king for Scotland upon his arrival in England, and the king is about to set out for this purpose. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to sixty-six others. [*Ibid.*]

To Alan de Goldingham. Order to be at York with horses and arms at Whitsuntide, ready to set out with the king for the aforesaid purpose. [*Ibid.*]

The like to sixty-eight others. [*Ibid.*]

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April 8.
Westminster.

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that Roger atte Watredell came before the king, on Tuesday after St. Ambrose, and sought to replevy the land of Agnes, late the wife of Elias de Tingewyk in Bechehampton, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices against Juliana, late the wife of Robert de Bray of Bechehampton.

Richard Lovel came before the king, on Wednesday after St. Ambrose, and sought to replevy the land of Thomas son of William le Hore in Maydenstan, which was taken into the king's hands for Thomas's default before the justices of the Bench against William son of William Wychard and Joan, his wife. This is signified to the justices.

April 10.
Westminster.

Master John de Monyngnam, parson of the church of Egethorn, and Master Robert de Honyngton acknowledge that they owe to John de Langeton, parson of the church of Reculvre, 72 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Memorandum, that William de Thorntoft, sworn to the office of keeper of the Hanaper in place of William de la Doune, who had that office previously, received (*admisit*) the custody of that office on 13 April, at Westminster.

April 10.
Westminster.

To John de Warennia, earl of Surrey, captain of the king's forces (*munitionis*) in Scotland. Whereas the king proposes to be at York at Whitsuntide, where he wishes to have conference (*colloquium*) with the earl and others upon certain affairs touching him and his realm, for which reason he has ordered all the earls in the earl's company to be with him at the said place on the eve of the feast aforesaid as secretly as they can to speak with him upon the said affairs, leaving their men-at-arms in the town of Berwick in the meantime for its defence; the king orders the earl to take with him such of the barons staying there in the king's service as he shall deem fit, and to come in person to the king at the said day and place as secretly as possible, to speak with the king concerning the said affairs, leaving his men-at-arms in the said town for its defence in the meantime. [*Fœdera: Parl. Writs.*]

To Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England. Order to come in person with as much force as possible to the king at York on the aforesaid eve, to have treaty and colloquy with the king as above, leaving his men-at-arms in the town of Berwick for its defence. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the following:

Ralph de Monte Hermeri, earl of Gloucester and Hertford.

Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex.

Gilbert de Umframvill, earl of Anegos.

Richard son of Alan, earl of Arundel. [*Ibid.*]

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* To the sheriff of York. Order to cause two knights from that county, two citizens from each city, and two burgesses from each borough to be chosen, and to cause them to come to York at the said day, the knights with full and sufficient power for themselves and the community of the county and the citizens and burgesses with the like for themselves and the communities of the cities and boroughs, to do what shall be then ordained by the common council. [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

April 8.
Westminster.

To Edmund de Mortuo Mari. Order to cause six hundred footmen to be chosen from the stronger Welshmen in his land of Kery, Kedewy, and Arewostly, and to cause them to be taken by some one in whom he has confidence to the king at Carlisle, so that they shall be there, provided with suitable arms, on Tuesday after St. Barnabas at the latest, ready to set out thence at the king's wages against the Scots, as the king greatly needs Welsh footmen for the repression of the malice and rebellion of the Scots. He is enjoined to conduct himself so in this behalf that he shall merit the king's commendation, and so that the expedition shall not be delayed through his fault. The king has assigned Henry de Braunteston, his clerk, to pay the wages to the Welshmen until they shall come to the king at the said day and place. [*F'cedera.*]

To William de Breous'. Like order to cause three hundred Welshmen to be elected from his land of Gower. The king has appointed Master Walter de Clune, his clerk, to pay them their wages as above.

To Roger de Mortuo Mari. Whereas the king has appointed him and William de la Pole by his letters patent to choose six hundred Welshmen from Roger's lands of Lanhudo, Meskyn, Moghelan, and from the parts of La Pole, to be taken to the king at Carlisle: the king orders him to attend diligently to the said affair with William, in accordance with the letters patent, so that such men shall be chosen as may do good service (*bonum locum tenere*) to the king in his army.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Whereas the king has appointed him by letters patent to choose seven hundred Welshmen from the parts of Ros, Roynok, Mayllor Saysnek, Hope, Engelfeld, Dyffren-cloyth, and Mohautesdale, to be taken to the king at Carlisle by Tuesday after St. Barnabas; the king has enjoined John de Borham, his clerk, to pay the wages of the Welshmen to one of Reginald's men to be deputed for this purpose, which man shall pay their wages to them until they come to the king: the king therefore orders Reginald to appoint one of his men in whom he has confidence to receive the wages from the said clerk and to pay them.

April 17.
Fulham.

Walter de Derneford and Joan, his wife, acknowledge that they owe to John de Droknesford, clerk, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Southampton and Dorset.

April 15.
Fulham.

Stephen le Litle of Stureye came before the king, on Tuesday after SS. Tiburtius and Valerian, and sought to replevy the land of Daniel Whittlether in Menstre in Tanete, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Dionysia, late the wife of Adam Antioche. This is signified to the justices.

Memorandum, that the abbots of Grestain (*de Gresteno*), Cormeiles, and Préaux (*de Pratellis*) came into the king's court before his council in the exchequer, on 14 April, and offered to the king their fealties due to him for their lands in England, which fealties the king deferred receiving for divers causes.

*The original writs are dated April 13, as pointed out by the editor of the *Parl. Writs*.

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Master Thomas de Esthale acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Roubury, clerk, 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Surrey.

April 26.
St. Albans.

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that Simon le Warenner came before the king, on Saturday after St. Mark, and sought to replevy to Sibyl la Kembestere her land in Hertford, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices against Sapiencia, daughter of Luke Mody.

April 25.
St. Albans.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Although the king lately ordered the sheriff, at the request of O. bishop of Lincoln, to cause all the lay force that held itself in the church of Iftele in order to disturb the bishop from executing his spiritual office, to be removed from that church without delay, and the sheriff, exceeding the tenor of the writ, has caused the clerks of Amadeus de Sabaudia, the king's kinsman, archdeacon of Oxford, serving in that church, to be removed by virtue of the said writ; for which reason the king at another time ordered the sheriff to replace the said clerks serving the church in their former condition, and to cause all lay force in the church with the object of preventing the bishop from executing his spiritual office to be removed from it; the king nevertheless orders the sheriff to cause all lay force in the church for the aforesaid purpose and no other [force] to be removed from the church without delay, in accordance with the tenor of his previous order. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, p. 781.]

April 15.
Fulham.

To the sheriff of Essex and Hertford. Whereas the king has appointed William Trussel, John de Crokesleye, and Richard de Lugteburgh to let out on rent (*arentandi*) his wastes in his own soil and in the soil of others, with the will of the lords thereof, that pertain to him to be let out on rent according to the assize of the forest in certain forests, parks, and woods of the king this side Trent, as contained in the king's letters patent: the king orders the sheriff to aid and counsel William, John, and Richard, or two or one of them, in executing these matters, as they shall inform him on the king's behalf and as often as he shall be required so to do by them, or by two or one of them.

The like to the sheriffs of Sussex, Surrey, Southampton, Somerset and Dorset, Wilts, Devon, Gloucester, Worcester, Hereford, Stafford and Salop, Rutland, Northampton, Huntingdon, Buckingham, Bedford, Oxford and Berks, Cambridge, Chester, and Kent.

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April 1.
Westminster.

John de Sancto Dionisio, the younger, acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Halghton, clerk, 116s. 11*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Nicholaa de Hodenho acknowledges that she owes to Anabilla de la Barre 60*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of her lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

March 30.
Westminster.

To William de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick. Order to be with the king at York at Whitsuntide at the latest with horses and arms, ready to set out thence with the king for Scotland to repress the malice of the king's rebels, as the king is setting out for Scotland in aid of his subjects in those parts. [*Firdera; Parl. Writs.*]

The like to one hundred and fifty-six others. [*Ibid.*]

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Henry de Lincolnia of Great Yarmouth and John Aleyn of the same acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, clerk, 81 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.
Cancelled on payment.

To the earl of Ulster. Order to use his influence for the maintenance of peace and tranquillity in his lands in Ireland, so that he may merit the king's commendation, as the king desires that peace shall be kept in Ireland, especially while he is in Scotland, whither he is going to repress the malice of his rebels; provided that the earl shall be always ready with horses and arms to come to the king in Scotland when required by the king to do so. [*L'edera: Parl. Writs.*]

March 26.
Thurrock.

To Joan, wife of John Comyn of Badenagh, the younger. Order to come to the king at London immediately upon sight of these letters, bringing with her her children, the king's kinsmen, as he wills that she shall come to him at London at once for certain reasons. In order to conduct her and her children to London, the king is sending to her the sheriff of Oxford and Michael de Karliolo, the king's serjeant, the bearer (*serrientem nostrum ad* [for et ?] *latorem*) of the presents.

April 4.
Westminster.

To O. bishop of Lincoln. Whereas the king before his passage into Flanders willed and desired to cause the grievances inflicted upon his people in his name to be amended, and for this purpose sent his letters patent throughout every county in the realm; he has now, wishing to carry out the said matter, appointed John de Insula and Thomas de Sneterton in cos. Lincoln, Rutland, and Northampton, together with a clerk and a man of religion to be appointed by the bishop, to enquire by the oath of lawful men of those counties concerning such grievances, such as things taken in churches, and wool, fells, hides, corn, beasts, fish and all other things likewise taken within and without churches, throughout the said counties, whether from clerks or from laymen, whether for the keeping of the sea or for other cause, after the commencement of the war between the king and the king of France, and to hear and determine all and singular these things, in accordance with the power granted to John and Thomas by the king's letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 26 Ed. I, p. 338] and with the form of the ordinance made by the king and his council in this matter, which the king had caused to be delivered sealed with his seal to John and Thomas: the king therefore orders the bishop to appoint a clerk and a man of religion of his diocese whom he shall deem fit and circumspect to execute the premises with John and Thomas when John and Thomas shall let him know.

The like to the same to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with John de Burn and John de Wileby appointed by the king for cos. Buckingham, Bedford, Oxford, and Leicester.

The like to the same to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with William de Den and Roger Brian in cos. Huntingdon and Hertford.

The like to the following bishops:

The bishop of Norwich to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with John de Insula and Thomas de Sneterton in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk.

The bishop of London to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with William de Den and Roger Brian in cos. Essex, Hertford, and Middlesex.

The guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric of Ely for a clerk and a man of religion with William de Den and Roger Brian in co. Cambridge.

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- The archbishop of Canterbury to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with John le Sauvage and John de Bauquell in co. Kent.
- The bishop of Chichester to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with the said John and John in co. Sussex.
- The bishop of Winchester to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with the said John and John in cos. Surrey and Southampton.
- The bishop of Salisbury to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with the said John and John in co. Wilts.
- The same to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with John Randulf and Richard de Coleshull in co. Berks.
- The bishop of Bath and Wells to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with the said John and Richard in cos. Somerset and Dorset.
- The bishop of Exeter to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with the said John and Richard in cos. Devon and Cornwall.
- The bishop of Worcester to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with Adam de Crokedayk and Robert de Knyttele in cos. Gloucester and Worcester.
- The bishop of Hereford to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with the said Adam and Robert in co. Hereford.
- The bishop of Coventry and Lichfield to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with Adam and Robert in cos. Salop and Stafford.
- The same to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with William de Sancto Quintino and Peter Becard in cos. Lancaster and Derby.
- The same to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with John de Burn and John de Wileby in co. Warwick.
- The elect of York to appoint a clerk and a man of religion with William de Sancto Quintino and Peter Bocard in cos. York, Lancaster, Nottingham and Derby.

April 7.
Westminster.

Alan de Braythewell came before the king, on Monday after St. Ambrose, and sought to replevy to Amice, daughter of Nicholas de Weston, her land in Shaldewell, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the king against John son of William de Shaldewell. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

Ralph de Bouhun, canon of St. Paul's church, London, Iterius, parson of the church of Rysindenne, and Master John de Dovorria, parson of the church of Litlington, acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton 15*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Leicester, Northampton, and Bedford.

April 8.
Westminster.

John Hamound and John de Hasshefold acknowledge that they owe to John de Langeton, clerk, 60 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Sussex.

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April 26.
St. Albans.

To the abbess and convent of Holy Trinity, Caen. Order to confer upon Benedict de Bures, king's clerk, a suitable yearly pension, to be received by him until they shall provide him with a suitable ecclesiastical benefice, making to him letters patent under the seal of their chapter in this behalf, and writing back to the king quickly what they shall have caused to be done in this matter, as the abbess is bound by reason of her new creation to provide one of the king's clerks, to be nominated by him, with such pension until they provide him with a suitable benefice.

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April 28.
St. Albans.

To him who supplies the place of Oto de Grandisono in the islands of Geres[e]ye and Gernes[e]ye. Whereas the king lately, at the suit of Luke Godes, burgess and merchant of John, duke of Brittany, who asserted that a ship called '*la Holt Sancti Jacobi*,' laden with divers wares, had been taken by James Lescremisur and his fellows by force and arms, and had been taken by them to the islands aforesaid, after the truce concluded between the king and the king of France, and was there detained from him, ordered Nicholas de Cheney, then keeper of the islands, to cause the ship and the goods and wares found in her to be restored to Luke, if he should ascertain that she had been taken after the conclusion of the truce; and Nicholas has done nothing in the matter up to this time, as the king learns: the king orders him who supplies the place of Oto to cause the ship and her contents to be restored to Luke, if he ascertain that she was thus taken after the conclusion of the truce, so that Luke shall not have to come again to the king through his default, especially as the king is bound by the form of the truce to make restitution of goods taken from the men of the king of France and of his confederates during the truce.

To the abbot and convent of Peterborough. Request that they will admit into their house John de Hibernia, who has long and faithfully served the king, and whom the king is sending to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing according to the requirements of his estate.

John de la Sale of Dover acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Jernemuta 30s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Stephen le Fauconer of Sandwich, Thomas de Estwell of Hethe, and John Roger of Hastings acknowledge that they owe to John de la Sale of Dover 30s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Kent and Sussex.

April 26.
St. Albans.

To the mayor, barons and bailiffs of Sandwich. Whereas contentions and disputes have arisen between them and the other barons and men of the Cinque Ports and the burgesses and men of Yarmouth, concerning which both parties submitted themselves to the king's award (*dicto*), to be ordained once or more times at his will; the king has caused his award to be begun in this manner, to wit that peace shall be thus firmly and inviolably observed between them: he wills that the master of each ship of that town and of the ports and their members, together with two of the better men of each ship passing by sea, shall take bodily oath before the mayor, barons and bailiffs, before the ships leave that town and the said ports and their members, that they will observe the king's peace and will cause their companions and those under them to observe it, and that if any disturbers of the peace or malefactors committing felonies or trespasses be found among them at sea or on land, they shall speedily arrest the trespassers with their chattels, and shall deliver them to the bailiffs of the next place within the realm where they shall come to land, to be kept and justified according to the law and custom of those parts, and that the said bailiffs shall receive the chattels by indenture and shall answer to the king for them if the persons be convicted of any felony; but if any of them be convicted of other trespasses, they and their goods and chattels shall remain under arrest until they shall have satisfied the injured complainants. If the said malefactors cannot be arrested or attached, their goods and chattels shall be arrested and kept

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by such bailiffs until they shall permit themselves to be justiced, and the masters of such ships shall notify the mayor, barons and bailiffs' keeper of the said ports or the king's bailiffs of Yarmouth concerning such trespassers who do not permit themselves to be justiced, so that the trespassers shall be arrested by the keeper if found within his bailiwick or by the bailiffs of Yarmouth if found within their bailiwick, in form aforesaid, to be justiced at the suit of those complaining. The king therefore orders them to cause his peace aforesaid to be proclaimed publicly throughout their bailiwick, and to cause the articles noted above to be firmly observed in form aforesaid.

The like to the following :

The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Dover.

The barons and bailiffs of the port of Hastings.

The barons and bailiffs of the port of Pevenes[eye].

The mayor, barons and bailiffs of Faveresham.

The barons and bailiffs of the port of Romen[hale].

The barons and bailiffs of the port of Hethe.

The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Wynchelse.

The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of La Rye.

The king's bailiffs of Great Yarmouth.

April 27.
St. Albans.

To the king's bailiffs of the Middle Hundred of Ludilande. Whereas the barons of the Cinque Ports and the bailiffs and burgesses of Yarmouth have submitted themselves to the king's ordinance concerning the dispute between them, as contained in their letters patent in the king's hands, and the king has now caused his award to be thus begun, to wit, that good peace shall be between the parties, both by land and by sea, and that it shall be henceforth firmly and inviolably observed ; he orders the bailiffs to observe the peace so far as in them lies, and not to inflict upon the said barons of the Cinque Ports or upon their men any wrong, molestation, damage, or grievance by land or by sea, in their persons or goods, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb, lands, goods and chattels and of all that they can forfeit to him.

May 10.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the prior and convent of Kirkham. Request that they will admit into their house Hugh Dalling, the king's serjeant, whom the king is sending to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing according to the requirements of his estate. By K.

The like to the abbot and convent of St. Augustine's, Bristol, for Peter de Hillesy.

May 10.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

William le Bailliff came before the king, on Sunday after St. John ante Portam Latinam, and sought to replevy the land of Richard son of James de Esyng and of William, his brother, and of Margery de Rudeyerd in Lek', which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against William de Westwode and Agnes, his wife. This is signified to the justices.

May 11.
Thetford.

Master William de Wherewell has letters deprecatory from the king to the prior and convent of Christ Church, Twyn[ham], to admit him into their house and to find him the necessaries of life in food and clothing in accordance with the requirements of his estate.* By p.s. [1541.]

Richard de Welle of Walton acknowledges that he owes to John de Sancto Licio of Huntingdon and Geoffrey de Collen 16 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Huntingdon.

* The privy seal states that he was unable to serve the king longer by reason of his infirmity.

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Nicholas de Burton, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to William de la Doune, 60s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

May 26.
York.

To John de Havering', justice of North Wales, and to Griffin Loyth. Whereas the king lately ordered [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 26 Ed. I, p. 343] them to cause two thousand Welsh footmen to be chosen from the parts of Snaudon, and to cause them to be conducted to him at Carlisle, provided with suitable arms, by Tuesday after St. Barnabas next, ready to set out thence at his wages against the Scots, the king's enemies and rebels; as the king for certain causes wills that the Welshmen shall not be there before Wednesday the morrow of Midsummer, he orders them to cause the aforesaid number of Welshmen to be chosen and taken to Carlisle by the latter date, in accordance with the tenor of the king's other order directed to them. [*Parl. Writs.*]

To Reginald de Grey, bishop of Chester, and to the bailiff of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, at Ros and Roynok. Like order concerning the four hundred footmen from the parts of Ros and Roynok, which the king ordered to be conducted to him at Carlisle by Reginald. [*Ibid.*]

To the said Reginald, justice of Chester. Like order concerning the three hundred footmen from the parts of Maillor Saysnek, Hope, Ingelfeld, Dyffryncloyth, and Mohautesdale. [*Ibid.*]

To William de Felton, constable of Beaumaris. Like order concerning the five hundred footmen from the parts of Angles[eye]. [*Ibid.*]

To the bailiff of John de Warennia, earl of Surrey, at Bromfeld and Yal. Like order concerning the four hundred footmen that the king ordered him to choose. [*Ibid.*]

To Roger de Mortuo Mari and William de la Pole. Like order concerning the six hundred footmen from the parts of Landubo, Maskyn, Moghela[n], and La Pole. [*Ibid.*]

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To Owen (*Audoeno*) de Monte Gomeri. Like order concerning the six hundred footmen from Edmund de Mortuo Mari's lands of Kery, Cadewy, and Arewestly, whom the king ordered him to choose and conduct to Carlisle with John de Clynton, to be appointed by Edmund for this purpose. [*Ibid.*]

To Walter de Beysyn. Like order concerning the four hundred footmen from the parts of Berton (*sic*), three hundred from the parts of Payn's Castle (*Castri Matill'*), five hundred from the parts of Buelt and Hyrveriton, and three hundred from the parts of Trecastle (*trium castrorum*), Kedewelli and Monemuth. [*Ibid.*]

To Warin Martyn and Walter de Pederton, supplying the place of Robert Tybetot, justice of West Wales. Like order concerning the two thousand five hundred footmen, to wit two thousand three hundred from the parts of Cardigan, Strattewy, and Devet, and two hundred from the parts of Kemmeys, whom the king ordered to be sent to him at Carlisle by one appointed by Walter with the said Warin. [*Ibid.*]

To Henry de Penbrigg and Morgan ap Meredu. Like order concerning the thousand footmen from the parts of Morganno. [*Ibid.*]

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Like order concerning the thousand footmen from co. Chester. [*Ibid.*]

To Thomas le Waleys. Like order concerning the four hundred footmen from the parts of Bergevenny. [*Ibid.*]

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To Richard de Havering. Whereas the king appointed Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, to choose Welsh footmen to a certain number in cos. Chester and Lancaster and in the parts of Mailor Seysneck, Hope, Ingelfeld, Defreyncloyt, and Mohautesdale, and the said Reginald and the bailiff of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, at Ros and Roynok to choose footmen in those parts, and William de Felton, constable of Beaunaris castle, to choose footmen in the parts of Angles[eye], and Roger de Mortuo Mari and William de la Pole to choose footmen in the parts of Lanhudo, Maskyn, Moghelan, and la Pole, and John de Havering, justice of North Wales, and Griffin Loith to choose footmen in the parts of Snaudon, and the bailiff of John de Warennia, earl of Surrey, in the parts of Bromfeld and Yal to choose footmen in those parts, up to a certain number, and to conduct them to the king at Carlisle by Tuesday after St. Barnabas; and the king now, for certain causes, has ordered them not to bring the said men to him at Carlisle before Wednesday the morrow of Midsummer: the king orders Richard not to leave those parts in any way but to be with the said Welshmen with him at Carlisle on the said Wednesday, paying to the Welshmen their wages until they arrive at Carlisle, as was enjoined upon Richard. [*Ibid.*]

To Richard de Wardington. Like order, the king having appointed Roger de Mortuo Mari and William de la Pole to choose Welsh footmen in the parts of Lanhudo, Maskyn, Moghelan, and la Pole, etc., as above. [*Ibid.*]

May 28.
York.

Henry de la Croiz acknowledges that he owes to William le Fort 30s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

Stephen Turpyn acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton and John de Ruwe 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Ralph de Beauvoir acknowledges that he owes to Roger de Grymmeston 20s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

May 28.
York.

To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause proclamation to be made immediately upon sight hereof in all cities, boroughs, market towns and other places that he shall deem fit that all and singular of his bailiwick whom the king lately requested to be with him at York with horses and arms at Whitsuntide, in order to set out thence with the king to repress the malice of the Scots, his enemies and rebels, shall be at Rokesburgh without fail (*modis omnibus*) on the eve of Midsummer next at the latest, in order to set out thence in form aforesaid. This they shall not neglect, as they love the king and his honour and the profit of his realm and as they wish to keep themselves and all that they hold in the realm without damage. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriffs of twenty-four counties. [*Ibid.*]

Roger de Pedwardyn acknowledges that he owes to Hugh le Despenser 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

May 30.
York.

Richard de Welles, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Temede of Brumfeld 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hereford.

Cancelled on payment.

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*Membrane 10d—cont.*May 28.
York.

To John de Ferlington. Order to be at Rokesburgh with horses and arms on the morrow of Midsummer at the latest, in order to set out thence with the king against the Scots.

June 4.
South Dalton.

Nicholas le Lorimer came before the king, on Wednesday after Holy Trinity, and sought to replevy to Ranulph de Makeneye the latter's land in Derby, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Thomas son of William de Kersington. This is signified to the justices.

Richard Wade acknowledges that he owes to John de Boudon 4 marks : to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

Memorandum, that at this time (*hic*) John de Langeton, the chancellor, left the court at York to go to the archbishop of Canterbury.

To T. bishop of Exeter. Although Master John de Crauecumbe and William de Hamelton, canons of the church of York and prebendaries of Grendale and Warthill, king's clerks, lately recovered the church of Axeministre, in the bishop's diocese, as annexed to their prebends, and they hold it integrally as a member of the prebends, nevertheless the bishop, as the king is given to understand, is endeavouring to divide the church and to separate it from the rights and liberties of the said prebends, which, if it were done, would redound to the king's prejudice and disinheritance ; the king therefore orders the bishop not to attempt, or to cause to be attempted, anything that may redound to the weakening of the king's royal right and to the diminution of his crown and dignity, and forbids him to proceed with the premises, or to ordain anything anew concerning them, lest the king be compelled to apply a suitable remedy. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 782.]

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June 8.
Kirkham.

Robert Bustard acknowledges that he owes to the abbot of Whiteby 10 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

William son of Robert de Nevile acknowledges that he owes to Geoffrey de Saundiacre 20*l.* ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

Cancelled on payment.

John de Bathonia acknowledges that he owes to William de Bello Monte 12 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

June 8.
Kirkham.

William de Maul, knight, and Richard de Harecurt acknowledge that they owe to John de Walkingham, Thomas de Maul, William de Walkingham, and Robert de Graham, executors of the will of Mary de Maul, 40*l.* 12*s.* 10*d.* ; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. York, Bedford, and Hertford.

June 12.
Northallerton.

Stephen de Pagula acknowledges that he owes to the prior of Bristol in Holderness 13 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

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*Membrane 9d—cont.*June 12.
Northallerton.

To the justices of the Bench. Whereas the abbot and convent of St. Mary's, York, claim to have this liberty by the charter of King Henry, the king's great-grandfather, that the men of St. Mary's, York, shall not go to county [courts] or shire-moots (*shiras*), or the courts of Ridings (*Trithinga*) or wapentakes or hundreds, nor for the sheriff or his ministers, but if the sheriff or his ministers should have a complaint against the said men, they should inform the abbot thereof and should come to the court of St. Mary's at a fixed day, and should there have right of their capital plea, and St. Mary's should have whatever pertained to its court, which liberty the abbot and convent and their men have always used heretofore from the time of the making of the said charter, as they say: the king orders the justices to permit the abbot and convent and their men to use and enjoy the said liberty before them as they ought to do and as they and their predecessors and their men have reasonably used them from the time of the making of the charter.

William son of Nicholas de Mitton acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Cliderow 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

Roger de Inkepenne of co. Berks, Walter de Bedewelle of co. Hertford, Reginald le Clerk, Roger Cartewrithe, Simon Roufard, Roger le Forester, Edmund Ouling, Ralph de Scitgate, John son of Michael, John le Barkere, Simon son of Henry, Robert le Flanere, and Henry le Daye of co. Lincoln acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton and John de Merkenfeld 160*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels.

June 12.
Northampton.

To the abbot and convent of Redinges. Request that they will admit into their house Richard de Ry, the king's serjeant, who has long and faithfully served the king, and whom the king is sending to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life, according to the requirements of his estate.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

John de Bosco, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Master Adam de Hertford 17 marks 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

To the justices of the Bench. Whereas the abbot and convent of St. Mary's, York, claim to have this liberty by the charter of King Henry, the king's great-grandfather, that the men of St. Mary's, York, shall not go to county [courts] or shire-moots (*shiras*), or the courts of Ridings (*Trithinga*) or of wapentakes or hundreds, nor for the sheriff or his ministers, but if the sheriff or his ministers should have a complaint against the said men, they should inform the abbot thereof and should come to the court of St. Mary's at a fixed day, and should there have right of their capital plea, and St. Mary's should have whatever pertained to its court, which liberty the abbot and convent and their men have always used heretofore from the time of the making of the said charter, as they say; the king orders the justices to permit the abbot and convent and their men to use and enjoy the said liberty before them as they ought to do and as they and their predecessors and their men have reasonably used them from the time of the making of the charter.

June 21.
Brunton.

The abbot of Rievaulx (*Ryevall*) acknowledges that he owes to Robert Haket, Master Roger de Thornton and Alan de Landemot, executors of the will of Thomas de Clerevaus, 200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels,

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The king sent his writ to the justiciary of Ireland in these words (here follows copy of order, dated at Westminster, 22 January, in the 26th year, addressed to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, to assign dower to Isabel, late the wife of William de Vesey, tenant in chief, from the lands, knights' fees and advowsons that belonged to William in Ireland, which William surrendered to the king before his death, as Isabel has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence), by reason whereof the sheriff of Kildare was ordered to cause twelve men to make an extent, etc. And Thomas son of Alvred, John Punchardoun, Miles de Rupe Forti, John le Vel, Robert Perceval, knights, John de Coventr[eia], Richard Seward, John Roleg, Simon Surdeval, Peter de la More, William Alisaunder, Walter (*Waller'*) Wodelok, John de la Hide, Meilerus Madok, Philip Chinverag, Nicholas Thunere, Richard son of Reginald, Gilbert Paumer, Walter (*Waller'*) de Wesley, David de Say, and Walter le Clerk, jurors, say upon their oath that the said William had, on the day when he rendered to the king his tenements in Ireland, at Kild[are] the castle with an adjoining plot of uncultivated land, which plot is worth yearly 2s. in all issues. He had also there 14l. 13s. 4d. of yearly rent issuing from the lands of the men of Kild[are]. He had also there a windmill worth 26s. 8d. yearly. He had also at Alwyn 51 acres of arable land in the marches (*March'*) of Offaly, which used to render 34s. yearly, but they now lie fallow (*frisce*) and uncultivated by reason of the Irish war of those of Offaly and render nothing yearly. He had also at Thurgag' in Carbrie in the same marches 80 acres of land in the marches, which used to render 53s. 4d. yearly, but they now lie fallow by reason of the said war. He had also at Moifillich in le Cumbre an old castle that had been burnt of old and a township of land, which was wont to render in time of peace 44s. 5d. yearly, but it has been now long wasted by reason of the war of the Irish of those parts. He had also in Shineboth and Le Fertoythes $3\frac{1}{2}$ carucates of land and wood and adjoining mountains (*montanas*), which were wont to render in time of peace 35s. yearly, but they have been now long wasted by reason of the war of the Irish of those parts. He had also in Glynnok, Carderyn, and Clyncaperel land in demesne, which used to be worth in time of peace 100s. yearly, but has been long waste by reason of the wars of the Irish. He had also the advowson of the church of Yagonestoun, which is a prebend of St. Patrick's, Dublin, which prebend is worth 13l. 6s. 8d. yearly. He had also the advowson of the church of Kilbrekan, which church used to be worth 100s. yearly, but the land of that parish lies waste by reason of the wars of the Irish. He had also a sixth of the advowson of the church of Cumbre, which used to be of great value, but the land of that parish now lies waste by reason of the wars of the Irish. He had also the homage and service of the barons of Nas for three knights' fees, which render 6l. to the scutage when it runs. He had the homage and service of Ralph Pypard for the manors of Leixlip (*de Saltu Salmonis*), Cloncoury, and Chastelwaryn, who held them by the service of $2\frac{1}{2}$ knights' fees and by rendering 100s., to scutage. He had also a third of a knight's fee at Bricard, which renders to scutage 13s. 4d. He had also the lordship of the tenement called 'Balidowyl,' which renders to scutage 40s. And from all the said fees William rendered to the king at each scutage 6l. 13s. 4d., and the remainder of the service remained to William for his own uses. He had also the homage and service of Walrand (*Walrandi*) de Wellesley, who held his tenements at Kynheygh of him by the service of 7l. 10s. 0d. yearly. The said Walrand (*Walrannus*) likewise held of him his tenements at Pollardestoun by the service of one mark yearly, and his tenements at Galmorestoun by

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the service of 100s. yearly. And Robert Perceval held of him his tenements at Balymany by the service of 1*l.* yearly. * Thomas de Bermyngham held of him his tenements at Balylogham by the service of one mark. The prior of the Hospital of St. John in Ireland held of him the manor of Tholy by the service of 60s. yearly. Laurence de Norranh held of him his tenements at Dromon by the service of one mark. The serjeanty of Offolan in the aforesaid liberty was wont to render yearly 100s., and still renders as much to the king. The serjeanty of John Helewys, serjeant of fee of Omorti and Leys, renders yearly 4s. The serjeanty of Offaly renders yearly 2s. The serjeanty of Wykingele and Arclou rendered and still renders yearly 2s. The said William's purparty of the pleas and perquisites of assizes of the county and exchequer of Kild[are] assigned to him in his purparty of the inheritance of Eleanor, sister and one of the heiresses of Walter le Mareschal, was extended at 33*l.* 12s. 6*d.* and is still worth as much.

From which lands, advowsons of churches, knights' fees, rents, etc., there are assigned by the assent of the attorneys aforesaid (*sic*) to Isabel in dower the following: from the town of Kildar 7 marks 4s. 5½*d.* of rent; a rent of 60s. yearly from the said prior of the Hospital; a service of 33s. 4*d.* from the serjeanty of Offolan; 2 marks yearly from the aforesaid mill; 1 mark yearly from the said John Bermengham; 1 mark of rent from the said Laurence de Norranh; 1 mark of rent from Walrand de Wenesleye (*sic*) from his tenements in Pollardestoun; a service of 2s. yearly from the serjeanty of Offaly; 11*l.* 4s. 2*d.* to be received yearly at Kyl[dare] by the hands of the sheriff of the same at Michaelmas, for her dower of the aforesaid pleas and perquisites. There are also assigned to her the aforesaid 80 acres of land in Carbry and the aforesaid 51 acres of land in Alewyn. In the barony of Nas there [are] assigned to her the service of a knight's fee, to wit from Geoffrey le Bret, one of the parceners, etc.; † and the service of a knight's fee, to wit from Ralph Pypard for his manor of Leixlip (*de Saltu Salmonis*), and a third of a fee in Le Brigard. And the advowson of the church of Kylbretan. There is also assigned to her her turn of presenting to the church of Le Combre, saving to the king his turn as for two parts.

And be it known that after the said William de Vesey left Ireland those who held his place at Kildar' retained from the bishop of Kildare (*Dar'*) 10 marks of rent in Kildar', issuing from the tenements of the men of the borough of Kildar', beyond the extent within-written, for two years before William rendered the liberty to the king, which rent the bishop and his predecessors were always wont to receive in the time of William and of his ancestors. They also detained for two years before the surrender from Maud de Kyme, one of the parceners of the said William, from her purparty of the aforesaid pleas and perquisites of the assizes of the county and exchequer 18*l.* 6s. 8*d.* yearly, which sum is not contained in the extent within-written. They also retained for the same time from Agatha de Mortuo Mari, the other parcener of William, from her purparty of the said pleas and perquisites 25*l.* 6s. 8*d.*, which sum is not contained in the extent aforesaid, and nothing of these three parcels is assigned to Isabel in dower, but because William was in seisin thereof on the day when he rendered his lands to the king, all the said three parcels remain in the king's hands until he shall order his will concerning them.

* Membrane 8*d.* commences here.

† It is doubtful from the enrolment whether or not the following are intended to be included in the barony of Nas.

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Brunton.

Peter de Eyvill acknowledges that he owes to William Danyel 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

June 26.
Alnwick.

The abbot of Seleby acknowledges that he owes to William de Cravene, clerk, John de Reygate, William de Thornton, and John de Lacy, executors of the will of John de Reygate, 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

To the sheriffs of London. It is shown to the king on behalf of William de Weston, chaplain, that whereas he was taken and imprisoned in Neugate by the king's writ at the prosecution of John le Lunge, who lately alleged in chancery by the oath (*jidem*) that he took therein that William was the receiver of his money, and that he had no lands whereby he could be distrained to render an account to him, and it was afterwards shown to the king on William's behalf that the writ had been sued out by John improperly (*inepte*) and to the deception of the king's court, because William has lands whereby he can be distrained to render an account to him if for any reason he ought to render one to him; for which reason the king ordered the sheriffs by his writ to place John by security and safe pledges to be before the king in three weeks from Easter last to answer to him for the deception aforesaid and to William for the damages sustained by him by reason of the attachment aforesaid; and the sheriffs, although William frequently offered before them to find sufficient security to answer to John for the said account, cause William by the procurement of John to be kept continuously in prison, so that he is unable to prosecute his suit for the deception aforesaid against John in the king's court: as Nicholas son of Roger de Burton, clerk, Robert son of Hugh de Mickelfeld, of co. York, Simon son of William de Thorp of co. Lincoln, and Richard son of Richard de Hanred of co. Essex, have mainperned before the king in chancery to have William before the mayor of that city and the sheriffs in the king's husting of that city to render his account to John, if he be bound to do so, the king orders the sheriffs to cause William to be delivered from that prison without delay by the mainprise aforesaid.

Assignment of dower to Roesia, late the wife of Roger de Moubray, tenant in chief, from the lands that belonged to him beyond Trent, made by Malcolm de Harleye, late escheator beyond Trent, in the presence of Hugh de Opavene, attorney of the earl of Cornwall, and of Brother William de Weleford and Gilbert de Molton, her attorneys appointed by her letters patent to receive her dower.

There are assigned to her a third of eighteen bovates of land of ancient demesne in the manor of Eppeworth, which [are] extended at 30*s.* yearly; a third of six bovates of land of an assart in the same manor, which [is] extended at 12*s.* yearly; a third of 81 acres of meadow in the same manor, which is extended at 13*s.* 6*d.* yearly; a windmill at Whethale, in the same manor, which is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.*; the wood of Mechelwode in the same manor, which is extended at 3*s.* yearly; a third of all the fishery in the manor, which is extended at 2*s.* 2½*d.* yearly; a third of all the rabbit-warren (*coninggere*) in the same manor, which is extended at 18½*d.* yearly; a third of the issues of the pleas and perquisites of the court of Eppeworth, which is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; the towns of Ouston and of Ferie with the hamlets of Gunthorp and Gideskarth, which are extended at 14*l.* 6*s.* 9½*d.* yearly; and 13*l.* 18*s.* 9*d.* yearly of land in Haxeye: rendering to the sheriff's aid 2*s.* 8*d.* yearly and for the maintenance of a keeper of the wood 33*s.* 4*d.* yearly.

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John de Bradeford, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Wilts and Berks.

Cancelled on payment.

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July 9.
Lowther
(Loweder).

To the sheriff of Devon. The king learns by the information of trustworthy men that although his confidential clerks (*secretarii clerici*), Master John de Craucumbe and William de Hamilton, have hitherto held peacefully and quietly the church of Axeministre, with its appurtenances, annexed to their prebends in the church of York, which church [of Axeministre] they recovered as a member of their prebends in the king's court, nevertheless Master Bartholomew de Sancto Laurencio, archdeacon of Exeter, not weighing the quality of the persons or time and not regarding favourably the estate of the royal honour, has promulgated against the said clerks, who are busily engaged in the king's service, a sentence of excommunication of his own, and in order that the wrong might be reputed greater has caused the sentence (*summan*) to be published and them to be pronounced publicly excommunicate, and has subjected the church to ecclesiastical interdict, to the prejudice and grievance of the king's clerks aforesaid and notably to the offence and contempt of the king, which the king the more resents the greater the offence incurred by him in such processes and the more specially their wrongs concern him. Since it is not likely, and the king cannot believe, that the crime proceeded from them, by pretext whereof such things ought to have been attempted against them, and it does not befit him to tolerate such excess and such opprobrium of his clerks, in which he cannot but participate, he orders the sheriff to put Bartholomew by security and safe pledges that he will be before the king in fifteen days from Michaelmas to answer to him for the excess and grievances thus inflicted by him upon the king's clerks and also for the contempt. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 782.]

July 11.
Braid
(Braide).

Nicholas de Burton acknowledges that he owes to Master Robert de Gra 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

July 19.
Kirk Liston
(Temple
Lyston).

Robert de Sindesham acknowledges that he owes to Edmund de Lenham 9 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Berks.—The chancellor received the acknowledgment.

Joceus de Hagh acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Fysburn 46l. 13s. 4d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Cancelled on payment.

Richard de Wygeton, Peter de Nuttel[eye], Peter de Hildeyard, Henry le Tailur of Hedon, Walter de Middleton, Robert de Newerk of Harewode, and John de Preston acknowledge that they owe to Henry, archbishop of York, 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. York.

To Robert de Burghesse, warden of the Cinque Ports. As the king wills that no abbot or monk of the Cistercian order shall upon this occasion go out of the realm to their chapter-general at Cîteaux; he orders the warden to cause inhibition to be made throughout all those

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ports that no one shall, under pain of grievous forfeiture, take out of the realm or cause to be taken out of the realm any abbot or monk of the said order, or shall permit them to cross without the king's special licence, until the king shall otherwise ordain.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield. To the bailiffs of Dunwich. Like order to cause the inhibition to be made throughout their bailiwick.

The like to the bailiffs of the following places :

Scartheburgh.	Lyme.
Hertrepol.	Weymuthe.
Grymesby.	Yarmouth.
Raveneser.	Newcastle-on-Tyne.
Boston.	Herewich.
Tynemue.	Plymouth and Sutton.
Southampton.	Lynn.
Kyngeston-on-Hul.	

July 19. To the abbot of Cîteaux. Notification that the king has forbidden any
Kirk Liston. abbots or monks of the Cistercian order from attending the chapter-general at Cîteaux, expressing his will that the abbot shall hold them excused.

July 20. To the abbot of Vandeley. Order and request that he will aid the king, in
Kirk Liston. his most urgent necessity and for the common benefit of the realm and of the abbot, with all the contribution (*apportum*) that he would carry to the coming chapter-general at Cîteaux, and that he will have it ready for payment to the treasurer and chamberlains at the king's exchequer at York on the morrow of the Nativity of St. Mary next, as the king hopes that the abbot's gratitude will support him, especially in those things in which the advantage and profit of the entire realm is concerned. He is enjoined not to omit this, as he loves the advantage of the king's realm and as he would wish to avoid his own damage. The king will cause him to be satisfied for all the money that he shall thus pay to the treasurer and chamberlains at the abbot's pleasure, not without suitable rewards in good time (*non sine condignis premiis suo tempore rependendis*).

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield. The like to the abbots of the following monasteries :

Fournays.	Vale Royal.
Fountains.	Deulacrese.
Rievaulx.	Mirivale.
Byland	Cumbe.
Jervaux (<i>Gerovall</i>).	Pyppewell.
Newminster.	Woborn.
Kirkestall.	Wardon.
Salleye.	Lytlesdon.
Hwalleye.	Exeter.
Hayles.	Waverley.
Holcoltram.	Beaulieu.
Caldr[e].	Tyntern.
Roche (<i>de Rupis</i>).	Bruern (<i>Brucr</i>).
Ruhford.	Basingwerk.
Revesby.	Thame.
Louth Park.	Cumbermar'.
Kirkestede.	Swynesheved.
Gerndon.	Sautrey.
Crokesdon.	Byldewas.

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Gracedieu.	Coggesale.
Boxley.	Meaux (<i>Melsa</i>) in Holderness.
Bukfestr[e].	Netteley.
Stratford.	Tyltey.
Benendon.	Hylton.
Kyngeswod.	Quarr (<i>Quarera</i>).
Bordesley.	Robertsbridge (<i>de Porte</i> (sic) <i>Roberti</i>).

July 20. To the abbot of Cîteaux. The king wills that the abbot shall hold the
Kirk Liston. abbot of Swalleya (*sic*), formerly called Stanlowe, excused from coming to the chapter-general at Cîteaux, as the king wills that for certain reasons no abbot or monk of that order shall go out of the realm upon the present occasion to attend the chapter-general.

Simon de Lylling acknowledges that he owes to William de Thornewtoft, clerk, 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

July 20. John le Spicer of York acknowledges that he owes to John de Merkenfeld
Kirk Liston. 16 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Stephen le Teuler and Thomas de Belingburgh acknowledge that they owe to John de Merkenfeld 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. York.

Aug. 7. John de Karthorp acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Everle 14
Stirling. marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Aug. 10. John son of Grecius de Kendale came before the king, on Sunday after
Stirling. St. Laurence, and sought to replevy to Walter de Stirkeland his land, which was taken into the king's hands for his default in the king's court against Agnes, late the wife of John de Warrewyk. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

John le Botiller of Steynton near Tykehull acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Sheffield 70 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. York and Nottingham.

Cancelled on payment.

Richard le Chaumberleyn acknowledges that he owes to John de Stowe 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

Aug. 19. Thomas de Mounceus acknowledges that he owes to William de
Braid. Hamelton 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

John de Castelford acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

Theobald le Botiller, who is staying in Ireland by the king's licence, puts in his place Nicholas de Mariscis, to demand and sue against the heirs and parceners of the inheritance of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, the manor of Witheton, co. Lancaster, which he had mortgaged (*impignoravit*) to Richard, as is contained in the inquisition made concerning it and returned into chancery, and to do and receive in this matter what the king's court shall consider.

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Aug. 20.
Braid.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order to cause inquisitions to be made what abbots, monks, or brethren of the orders of Citeaux, Clairvaux, and Premontr  of his bailiwick have carried out (*apportarunt*) or transmitted contributions (*apportum*) or any money as a subsidy to the abbots of the aforesaid orders or under colour of subsidy to be made to the abbots or their monasteries at Citeaux (*Cicestr*, in error for *Cistere*), Clairvaux, or Premontr , at their chapter-general or at other times, or in any other way, or who have placed wool or other merchandise in the hands of merchants or others under any colour in order that they might come to the hands of the aforesaid abbots or to the use of their monasteries, or who have transferred themselves thither in person, and to enquire the amount of the contributions, money, wool and merchandise carried or sent to those parts, and to enquire by whom and by whose orders they were sent, and from what time, and by what ports and places, and of all other circumstances whereby the king may be the more fully certified as to the premises.

By p.s. of credence (*de credencia*) by J. de Berewyk.
[Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 785.]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

Aug. 20.
Braid.

To the bailiffs of the abbot of St. Mary's, York, at Bouthum. Whereas it is sufficiently evident that the pavement of the said town of Bouthum is so very greatly (*enormiter*) broken up that all and singular passing and going through that town sustain immoderate damages and grievances, and in addition (*alias*) the air is so corrupted and infected by the pigsties situate in the king's highways and in the lanes of that town and by the swine feeding and frequently wandering about in the streets and lanes and by dung and dunghills and many other foul things (*feditates*) placed in the streets and lanes, that great repugnance (*horror abhominabilis*) overtakes the king's ministers staying in that town and also others there dwelling and passing through, the advantage of more wholesome air is impeded, the state of men is grievously injured, and other unbearable inconveniences and many other injuries are known to proceed from such corruption, to the nuisance of the king's ministers aforesaid and of others there dwelling and passing through, and to the peril of their lives, and to the manifest shame and reproach of the bailiffs and other the inhabitants of that town: the king, being unwilling longer to tolerate such great and unbearable defects there, orders the bailiffs to cause the pavement to be suitably repaired within their liberty before All Saints next, and to cause the pigsties aforesaid to be pulled down and removed without delay, and to cause the aforesaid streets and lanes to be cleansed from all dung and dunghills, and to cause them to be kept thus cleansed hereafter, and to cause proclamation to be made throughout their bailiwick forbidding any one, under pain of grievous forfeiture, to cause or permit their swine to feed or wander outside his house in the king's streets or the lanes aforesaid, so that damage or danger shall not arise hereafter to anyone by the breaking of the pavement or the corruption aforesaid in the bailiffs' default. They are also ordered to apply such remedy to ruinous houses within the liberty that extend to public streets through which there is frequent passage of men that any peril that might easily arise by such ruin shall be prevented. The king warns them that he will punish (*graviter capiemus*) them as transgressors of his orders if they do not execute the premises in due manner.

Sept. 8.
Carlisle.

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that Adam de Barewe came before the king, on Friday after St. Giles last, and sought to replevy to

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the dean and chapter of St. Ethelbert's, Hereford, the advowson of the church of Dudelebury, which was taken into the king's hands for their default against the abbot of Alecestre.

Sept. 12.
Carlisle.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Request that he will hold Thomas de Capella, rector of the church of Sevenok, the king's clerk, excused from appearing before him at the term prefixed by him, and that he will show favour to Thomas in the things that concern him by reason of the archbishop's visitation, as the archbishop has cited Thomas to appear before him in person at the term aforesaid, and Thomas is engaged in the king's service in the chancery, so that he cannot appear before the archbishop at that term without inconvenience to the king and his people. [*Prynne, Records*, iii. p. 789.]

Sept. 12.
Carlisle.

To the bailiffs of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, at Houedene. The abbot of St. Mary's, York, has shown the king that whereas he and his men ought to be quit by the charters of the king's progenitors, which the king has inspected, and that he and his predecessors and their men have always heretofore been quit from the time of the making of the charters from payment of toll throughout the whole realm, nevertheless the said bailiffs distrain the abbot and his men coming to that town with their goods and other things to pay toll to them there, and molest them in many ways for that reason; the king, being unwilling that the abbot or his men shall be injured in this behalf, orders the bailiffs to desist from inflicting such distrains and grievances upon the abbot and his men hereafter, and to permit them to be quit thereof, as they ought to be, and to release to them any distress levied in this behalf.

Sept. 18.
Carlisle.

Adam de Barewe came before the king, on Thursday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, and sought to replevy to the dean and chapter of St. Ethelbert's, Hereford, the advowson of the church of Dudelebury, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against the abbot of Alecestre. This is signified to the justices.

Sept. 25.
Carlisle.

Adam de Barewe came before the king, on Thursday after St. Matthew, and sought to replevy the aforesaid advowson to the said dean and chapter (*as in preceding enrolment*).

Mentorandum, that on Monday the feast of Michaelmas, William de Thorntoft, keeper of the king's hanaper, received at York by the hands of Henry de Apeltrefeld, sheriff of Kent, from the abbot of Faversham 11 marks 5s. 0d. for a charter of warren, and 13s. 4d. for the chancellor's fee, and 2s. 0d. for the fee of the rolls (*pro feodo rotulorum*).

Sept. 24.
Stanwix
(*Staynewegg*)

To the sheriff of Oxford and Berks. Order to cause all the good men-at-arms who are sufficient and of valour (*value*) to come to the king at Carlisle at his wages and pay on Whitsun eve at the latest, and to cause proclamation to this effect to be made throughout his bailiwick, certifying the king at the said term of his proceedings, as the king proposes to set out against the Scotch rebels. *French.* [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 26.
Stanwix
(*Staynewegg*)

To Roger Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England. Request and injunction to be at Carlisle at the aforesaid date with horses and arms in as much force as possible. [*Ibid.*]

The like to eleven earls and* one hundred and six others. [*Ibid.*]

* *Membrane 5d commences here.*

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Jedburgh.*Membrane 5d—cont.*

To Didacus Lupi de Haro, lord of Biscay (*Viscaye*). The king has received his letters, containing amongst other things a request that the king would cause restitution to be made to certain men and vassals of Didacus and of his lordship, of whom and of their names the letters make mention, their goods and wares taken in a sloop (*calepo*) by one of the king's men called Hugh de Cressingham within the king's lordship in Wales. To this the king has caused answer to be made that Hugh, by whom the said men and vassals say the goods and wares were thus taken, died some time ago (*jam diu est*) in Scotland, and the king is unable to find by any inquisition whose hands the said goods and wares aforesaid came to except a merchant of Lucca, who secretly left the king's realm and lordship and went home by reason of many trespasses. The king, however, desiring to provide for indemnity of the said men and vassals out of consideration for Didacus, bearing in mind that Didacus is bound to him in a certain sum of money, which he received some time since from the king, as the king believes he will not have forgotten, desires him to satisfy the men and vassals from that money up to the sum of 350*l.* sterling, and the king will cause them and others of Didacus's lordship, provided that the king be ascertained that they are of the same, and that full faith be made to the king by Didacus's letters patent, to be made secure (*assecurari*) within the king's lordship, according to the request of Didacus.

Assignment of dower to Laura, late the wife of Gilbert de Gaunt, made before the sheriff of Lincoln at Skendelby on Monday before St. Botolph, 26 Edward, of the lands that belonged to Gilbert in co. Lincoln, except the manors of Barton-on-Humbre, Folkyngham, Hekington, and Edinham, in the said county, in accordance with the tenor of the king's writ directed to the sheriff.

First of all there is assigned to her by certain boundaries fixed and by assignment made by the jurors, from the chief messuage of Skendilby, which is extended at 10*s.* yearly, a third on the south, with a barn (*grangia*), a little house placed near it and with part of a cow-house and with a little hut (*toruolo*) there built, and [the third] is worth 3*s.* 4*d.* yearly. Also from 322½ acres of arable land in the same manor, whereof a moiety is sown yearly, and each acre of the sowable moiety is extended at 8*d.* yearly, total 107*s.* 6*d.*, there are assigned to her 107½ acres, worth 35*s.* 10*d.* yearly. Also from 36 acres of meadow in the marsh, each acre whereof is extended at 12*d.*, total 36*s.*, there are assigned to her 12 acres, worth 12*s.* yearly. Also from 15½ acres in the meadows of Partenay, pertaining to the aforesaid manor, each acre whereof is extended at 3*s.* yearly, total 46*s.* 6*d.*, there are assigned to her 5½ acres, which are worth 15*s.* 6*d.* yearly. Also from 26 acres of meadow in Bradam, each acre whereof is extended at 20*d.*, total 46*s.* 8*d.*, there are assigned to her 8½ acres, which are worth 15*s.* 6½*d.* yearly. Also from two acres of pasture in Crendale, which are extended at 4*s.* yearly, there are assigned to her four sixths of an acre, which are worth 16*d.* yearly. Also from an acre of pasture about Le Howe, which is extended at 18*d.* yearly, a third is assigned to her, which is worth 6*d.* yearly. Also from two acres of pasture in Milneholme and Pyndercroft, which are extended at 3*s.* yearly, there are assigned to her four sixths of an acre, which are worth 12*d.* yearly. Also from 4 acres of pasture in Mikelcroft, which are extended at 8*s.* yearly, there are assigned to her 1½ acres, which are worth 2*s.* 8*d.* yearly. Also from a waste in Bradam, which is worth in herbage and rushes (*rosella*) 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly, a third is assigned to her, which is worth 2*s.* 2¾*d.* yearly. Also from a perch of

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pasture near the monks' court of Skendilby, which is worth 6*d.* yearly, there is assigned to her a third, which is worth 2*d.* yearly. Also from 80 acres of pasture in Welle Park, whereof each acre is extended at 16*d.*, total 106*s.* 8*d.*, there are assigned to her 26 $\frac{2}{3}$ acres, which are worth 35*s.* 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ *d.* yearly. Also from 40 acres of wood in Wellepark, from the underwood whereof there may be levied (*lavari*) in faggots (*fagetis*) 5*s.* yearly, there are assigned to her 13 $\frac{1}{3}$ acres, which are worth 20*d.* yearly. Also from 40 acres of wood in Nithwode, from the underwood whereof there may be levied in faggots 10*s.* yearly, there are assigned to her 20 acres, which are worth 3*s.* 4*d.* yearly. Also from two mills, whereof one is called 'le Bymilne' and is extended at 20*s.*, and the other is called 'le Northmilne' and is wholly assigned to her, and is worth yearly 10*s.*

Rents of assise of free tenants in Skendilby, Thorp, and Partenay 71*s.* 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ *d.* From the bondmen (*bond'*) in Skendilby and Thorp 18*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* yearly. From the cottagers (*coterell'*) in Skendilby and Thorp 19*s.* 6*d.* yearly. Total: 22*l.* 18*s.* 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ *d.*, whereof there are assigned to her 8*l.* 12*s.* 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.* to be received at the terms when due from the following persons and tenants. First of all the assignment of free men, 5*s.* 7*d.* yearly to be received from Ralph de Markeby for a toft in Partenay; and 4*s.* yearly to be received from William de Billesby from a toft and half a bovat of land in Partenay; and 2*s.* 6*d.* yearly to be received from Alan de Partenay from a toft and croft in Partenay; and 4*s.* yearly to be received from Hugh Ka and Maud Kygges of Partenay for half a bovat of land there; and 6*s.* yearly to be received from John le Wariner for half a bovat of land in Skendilby. From the bondmen there are assigned to her William Sely, who holds half a bovat of land in Skendilby and renders 8*s.* yearly; Simon Gardiner, who holds half a bovat of land in Skendilby, and renders 8*s.* yearly; Ranulph atte Lanend, who holds a quarter of a bovat of land and renders 4*s.* yearly; Ralph nephew (*nepos*) of Anthony, who holds half a bovat of land and renders 8*s.* yearly; John the warrener (*warinar'*), who holds a quarter of a bovat of land, and renders 4*s.* yearly; Cecily called 'Warde,' who holds half a bovat and renders 8*s.* yearly; William Picher, who holds half a bovat of land and renders 8*s.* yearly; Ralph the carpenter, who holds half a bovat of land, and renders 8*s.* yearly; and William the shoemaker (*sutor*), who holds a quarter of a bovat of land and renders 4*s.* yearly; and Richard son of William son of Ran[ulph], who holds half a bovat of land, and renders 8*s.* yearly; and William son of Walter, who holds half a bovat of land, and renders 8*s.* yearly; and Ralph le Lake, who holds half a bovat of land, and renders 8*s.* yearly; and Scholastica, who holds half a bovat of land, and renders 8*s.* yearly; and Robert the carpenter, who holds half a bovat of land, and renders 8*s.* yearly; and John Domby, who holds half a bovat of land, and renders 8*s.* yearly; and William le Lake, who holds a bovat of land, and renders 16*s.* yearly. From the cottagers (*coterell'*), to wit from Robert le Monkneve for a cottage-holding (*cotagio*) in Skendilby, 5*s.* 8*d.*; from Agnes le Pestur for a cottage-holding, 8*d.*; from Simon atte Dam for part of the rent for a cottage-tenement, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.*

Also from the toll of the market and fair of Partenay, which is extended for letting at 5*s.* yearly, there is assigned to her a third, which is extended at 20*d.* Also the perquisites (*perquisita*) of the court of the said manor are extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly, whereof a third is fixed at 4*s.* 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.*, whereof there is assigned to her her court of all the tenants abovesaid, with their services.

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*Membrane 5d—cont.*Oct. 6.
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Joceus de Hagh, Richard de Daleby, and Thomas de Bereford acknowledge that they owe to Thomas de Fyshburn 50 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

*Cancelled on payment.*Oct. 3.
Jedburgh.

Adam de Barewe came before the king, on Monday after Michaelmas, and sought to replevy to the dean and chapter of St. Ethelbert's church, Hereford, the advowson of the church of Dudelebury, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against the abbot of Alecestre. This is signified to the justices.

Alexander de Grimeston acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Thomas de Grymeston acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 15*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Membrane 5d—Schedule.

————— The abbot of St. Mary's, York, acknowledges that he owes to William de Craven, John de Reygate, John de Lasey, and William de Thorneton, executors of the will of John de Reygate, 131*l.* 15*s.* 6*d.*; to be levied by the sheriff, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

MEMBRANE 4*d.*Oct. 14.
Jedburgh.

The prior of Helagh Park acknowledges, for himself and his successors, that he owes to William de Hamelton 14*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.—J. de Cadamo received the acknowledgment.

Geoffrey Stulle of Seteryngton acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft, clerk, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.—J. de Cadamo received the acknowledgment.

Cancelled on payment.

Peter de Staynford acknowledges that he owes to William 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.—J. de Cadamo received the acknowledgment.

Cancelled on payment.

John de Gayteford, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 50*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

Ivo de Etton, knight, Robert de Jarpenvill, John de Besingby, and Roger Rabot acknowledge that they owe to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels.

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Oct. 15.
Jedburgh.

John de Besingby, Roger Rabot, Robert de Colton, Jordan Attechirche, Henry Haget, William de We, John de We, and Robert de Kirkham acknowledge that they owe to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels.

June 3.
Beverley.

To the archbishop of Tours or to his commissaries or commissary. Whereas the king lately, during the voidance of the church of York by the death of J. the late archbishop, the church being then in the king's hands, conferred upon John de Drokenesford, his clerk, the prebend of Massam in its entirety, as pertained to the king in full right, which prebend Bogo de Clar[e], deceased, held, and which the king finds was divided after his death into three portions by the said archbishop without asking the king's consent, and the king caused John to be inducted into corporal possession by the chapter of that church, according to the custom; and whereas John after induction enjoyed the possession of the prebend peacefully and quietly and continuously for the two preceding years, John de Columpna, son of Landulph de Calumpna (*sic*), subsequently suggesting to pope B[oniface] VIII that the prebend was due to Landulph by the provision of pope Nicholas IV and was void, saying nothing of the king's right by suppression of the truth, obtained from pope B[oniface] letters apostolic to the archbishop of Tours and certain colleagues of his, as it is said, to induct him or his proctor in possession of the aforesaid prebend and to defend him after induction; which, if carried into effect, would result in the weakening of the king's royal right and his disinheritance. The king, being unable to tolerate with equanimity the diminution of his crown and royal dignity, as indeed he ought not to do, inhibits the archbishop from attempting or causing to be attempted anything in this matter that may redound to the king's disinheritance or to the prejudice of his royal right, and from proceeding in any way to the execution of this affair by himself or any others without consulting the king, lest it shall behove the king to apply another remedy concerning this. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 783.]

Nov. 6.
Durham.

Reginald de Kernik and Jocelin de Sancto Aluno acknowledge that they owe to Ralph de Odyham, clerk, 20s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Cornwall.

Nov. 18.
Newcastle-on-
Tyne.

To the sheriff of Buckingham. Whereas the king has had, has, and will have, with the help of God, a firm purpose and goodwill to redress all the misdeeds, exactions (*purprises*) and oppressions made to the damage and grievance of his people by his justices, foresters, verderers, and the other ministers of his forests in the realm of England; he has appointed Richard, bishop of London, Walter, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, John de Garenne, earl of Surrey, Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, Robert le fiz Wauter, and William le Latimer the elder (*le Pere*) to enquire into and examine the deeds of his ministers aforesaid throughout his entire realm, in such manner that they, or five or four of them, shall go through all the forests and shall survey and learn by examination and inquest and in all other suitable manners concerning the deeds of the king's said ministers and concerning those who went some time ago to make perambulations (*puralees*), and whether anything be exacted (*purpris*) by the king's said ministers or other oppression be made to the grievance of the king's people. The king therefore commands the sheriff to cause to come before the aforesaid six, or five or four of them, at certain days and places that they shall cause to be made known to him, such and so many knights and other free and lawful men of his bailiwick by whom the truth of the said matters may be best enquired into and known. *French.* [*Parl. Writs.*]

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The like to the sheriffs of the following counties :

Southampton.	Bedford.
Oxford.	Salop.
Berks.	Stafford.
Rutland.	Wilts.
Worcester.	York.
Somerset.	Cumberland.
Dorset.	Derby.
Huntingdon.	Essex.
Gloucester.	Northampton.
Warwick.	Nottingham.
Buckingham.	

[Ibid.]

Memorandum, that on Monday, 3 November, the king granted at Durham (*Dureme*) that Master John Lovel should have of his gift the first prebend of the value of a hundred or a hundred and twenty marks yearly or more up to eighty or a hundred marks that shall become void in England or in Ireland of the king's gift, and that after this Sir John de Cendale shall be provided with a church or a prebend of a hundred marks by the grant that the king had previously made to him. And the king ordered that this memorandum shall be registered in his wardrobe, and that this his grant shall be observed and kept, and that no such prebend shall be given by him by prayer or procurement of anyone until the aforesaid Master John shall be provided with a prebend in the manner aforesaid. *French.*

By K. before C.

[Prynne, Records, iii. p. 783.]

MEMBRANE 3d.

Oct. 27.
Jedburgh.

To the bishop of Coutances. The king learns from Master Robert de Leyssset, his clerk, that although the king lately presented him to the bishop to the church of St. Peter Port (*de Portu*) in the island of Gernes[eye], which was void and pertaining to the king's donation by reason of the lands of the abbot of Marmoutier being in his hands, the bishop refused to admit him to the church, and asserted that the collation thereto had devolved upon him by lapse of time. Since in such cases time does not run against the king or against those presented by him, in accordance with the prerogative of his royal dignity, whose rights he wishes to maintain and to cause to be observed to the best of his power, as he is bound to do, he inhibits the bishop, under pain of forfeiture of everything that he has under the king's lordship, from attempting anything that may redound to the king's prejudice in this behalf in any way, and from presuming to confer the said church upon this occasion by reason of the lapse of time, but rather to admit the said clerk to it on this occasion without further delay, in accordance with the contents of the king's previous letters directed to the bishop in this behalf.

By C. on the information of J. de Cadamo.

[Prynne, Records, iii. p. 784.]

To the keeper of the islands of Gernes[eye] and Geres[eye]. Order not to permit anything to be done by the aforesaid bishop in this matter in prejudice of the king's right to prevent the said Master Robert de Lesset obtaining the church in accordance with the king's presentation aforesaid.

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Nov. 23.
Newcastle-on-
Tyne.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to release the demand upon William Russel, son and heir of Ralph Russel, tenant in chief, for scutage for the service of one knight's fee in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as Ralph had his service with the king in that army by his order for one knight's fee, which he then acknowledged to the king for a moiety of the barony of Newmarche, as appears by the rolls of the Marshalsea for that year.

To the same. Order to cause the aforesaid William, kinsman and heir of Ralph son of James Russel, who was the kinsman and heir of Ralph Russel, tenant in chief, to be acquitted of the scutage for the knights' fees that Ralph at his death held of the king for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery that Ralph son of James Russel was a minor in the king's wardship when the king was in the said army, and also to cause him to be acquitted of the demand for the relief of Ralph son of James. It is provided that the scutage for the fees that were held of Ralph son of James at his death shall be levied for the king's use.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to pay to Michael Miggel and Walter de Bozeville, esquires, prisoners from Scotland, dwelling in Nottingham castle, and their keeper the arrears of their wages, and to pay to them their wages henceforth until otherwise ordered, to wit 3*d.* a day to each of the esquires and 2*d.* a day to their keeper.

Adam Rochel, imprisoned at Oxford for the death of Roger son of Walter de Slape near Glympton wherewith he is charged, was charged with the death out of hatred and malice and not because he is guilty, and the sheriff of Oxford is therefore ordered to deliver him in bail until the first assize.

Nov. 22.
Newcastle-on-
Tyne.

To John de Lythegr[eynes], escheator this side Trent. Henry de Parva Ryhill has shown the king that whereas he lately demised by his deed to Henry de Ryhill, his son, all his lands in Little Ryhill to hold to him and his heirs, on condition that he rendered to him for life 7*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly, and he has besought the king to grant that he may receive that sum from the said lands, which are in the king's hands by reason of the minority of the heir of Henry son of Henry, in accordance with the tenor of the deed aforesaid: the king orders the escheator to cause inquisition to be made concerning the demise aforesaid and the receipt of the said money, and if he ascertain that Henry thus demised the land and received the money, to cause him to receive it in proportion from the portion of the lands in the king's hands and from the dowers assigned from them, as he was wont to receive it in the time of the said Henry son of Henry.

Nov. 24.
Newcastle-on-
Tyne.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to deliver to Gilbert de Umframvill, earl of Anegos, the manor of Faudon, which belonged to William de Duglas, a Scot and rebel, which the king lately caused to be taken into his hands by reason of William's rebellion, and which is held of the earl, to hold during the king's pleasure, saving to the king the corn and other goods therein.

By K.

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Nov. 24.
Newcastle-on-
Tyne.

To Walter Haclut, the king's bailiff of Haverford, or to him who supplies his place. Whereas the king lately ordered him to inspect a petition of Gilbert de la Roche, John Wagan and Margaret, his wife, Thomas de Rossale and Nesta, his wife, Llewelyn Aboweyn, and John de Sutton, heirs and parceners of the inheritance of Robert de Valle, tenant in chief, concerning certain lands of that inheritance that were unjustly detained from them by the bailiff, and to cause due and speedy justice to be done to them after hearing their proofs (*racionibus*), as ought to be done of right and according to the law and custom of those parts; and the bailiff has returned that the said lands, to wit a third of five carucates of land in Bygeton, a third of half of two carucates of land and of two mills in Molhok, and a third of 40s. yearly of rent and of half of three carucates of land in le Hille, which fell to Margaret, late the wife of the said Robert, asdower for a third of his lands, were taken into the king's hands by his bailiff of Haverford, the predecessor of Thomas, because Margaret refused to take oath that she would not marry without the king's licence, and that she is dowered of the manor of Dale (*de Valle*) by the heirs and parceners for her dower both of the lands that Robert held of the king and of others, and that it is not the custom in those parts that the wives of those who hold of the king in chief should take oath after the death of their husbands that they will not marry without the king's licence: the king orders the bailiff not to intermeddle further with the aforesaid lands, if they have been taken into the king's hands solely for this reason, and if he ascertain that the aforesaid heirs and parceners have done to the king the homage or fealty and the other things due to him for the inheritance aforesaid.

Dec. 3.
Tynemouth.

To John de Lithegr[eynes], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Joan, late the wife of Bertinus de Ughtrethessat, to have seisin of 67 acres of land in Formerifeld, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Bertinus and Joan were jointly enfeoffed thereof, and that they were jointly seised thereof on the day of his death, and that they held the land of the king by knight service as of the manor of Cokermue, which is in his hands, and the king has taken Joan's fealty for it.

To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to the said Joan, late the wife of the said Bertinus, tenant of the king by knight service as of the manor of Cokermue, which is in his hands.

Dec. 3.
Tynemouth.

To the bailiffs of William de Vesey of Kyldar at Malton. Order to cause John de Brigge, taken and imprisoned by him at Malton for theft in the forest of Galtres, to be brought to York under safe-conduct at John's cost, there to be delivered to the sheriff of York, whom the king has ordered to receive him and keep him safely in prison at York until he shall be delivered thence in accordance with the law and custom of the realm.

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff of York.

Dec. 13.
Durham.

To John de Lythege[eynes], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that John Ughtred, tenant in chief as of the honor of Albemarle, which is in the king's hands, held of the king on the day of his death in free burgage a messuage, which is extended at 40s. yearly, and 67 acres of land, whereof each acre is extended at 18*d.* yearly, and 33*l.* 0*s.* 7*d.* of yearly rent in the town of Scardeburgh, of the bequest of Master Robert de Scardeburgh, his late uncle, and that John bequeathed the messuage, land and rent in his last will to Amice, his mother, for her life, saving the dower of Isabel, late his

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wife, therefrom, and that there is such a custom in the said town that each holder of a tenement in that town can bequeath his tenements in his last days to whomsoever he please, except to men of religion: the king orders the escheator to deliver the said messuage, land and rent, which he has taken into the king's hands with John's other lands by reason of his death, to Amice, together with the issues received thence since they were taken into the king's hands, to be held by her according to the bequest aforesaid; saving the rights of others and saving to the said Isabel her dower thereof and of the said issues.

To the same. Order to deliver to the aforesaid Isabel the manor of Gouthorp, which the escheator has taken into the king's hands with the other lands that belonged to the said John by reason of his death, and to restore to her the issues received thence since it was taken into the king's hands, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that John de Melsa granted to the said John the manor in free marriage with Isabel, his daughter, which manor is extended at 7*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* yearly, and that John Ughtred and Isabel were jointly seised thereof on the day of the death of John Ughtred, and that they held it of H. archbishop of York.

To the same. Like order to deliver to the aforesaid Isabel a messuage and 30 bovates of land in Oketon, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that John Ughtred and Isabel held jointly on the day of John's death the said messuage and land by the demise of the abbot of Meux for their lives.

To the same. Order not to intermeddle further with 40*s.* yearly of rent in Yolthorp, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the said John Ughtred's death, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that John held the said rent of Robert le Taillour on the day of his death, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition that John held anything elsewhere of the king as of the crown by reason whereof the wardship of the said rent ought to pertain to the king.

Dec. 12.
Durham.

To the same. Order to deliver to the aforesaid Isabel the following of the said John Ughtred's lands, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a messuage with two adjoining crofts for pasture in the town of Oustwyk, which are extended at 20*s.* yearly; two bovates of land in the same town, each whereof is extended at 9*s.* yearly; 3½ acres in the town of Gouthorp, each acre being extended at 6*d.* yearly; a third of a waste plot and a moiety of an acre of land in the same town, which are extended at 12*d.*; a third of an acre of meadow in the same town, which acre is extended at 18*d.* yearly; a third of a bovate of land in the town of Yolthorp, which bovate is extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; 13*s.* 4*d.* of yearly rent to be received from three bovates of land in the same town; a third of two bovates of land in the town of Wylton, whereof each bovate is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; 8*d.* of yearly rent from two cotters in the same town; an acre of land in Foulstutton, which is extended at 6*d.* yearly; 8*d.* of yearly rent from two cotters in the same town; 22 acres and 1½ roods of land in the town of Scardeburgh, whereof each acre is extended at 18*d.* yearly; 35*l.* 0*s.* 7*d.* of yearly rent in the same town, to be received from the following tenants and tenements: from Henry the clerk 9*s.*, from Robert Godewyn 4*s.*, from Richard Cutte 17*s.*, from Ralph de Stayndon 12*d.*, from Alice Portelewe 18*d.*, from Robert le Taillour 3*s.*, from William de Harom 3*s.*, from John de Roston 2*s.* 6*d.*, from Roger le Taillour 8*s.*, from Adam de Helperthorp 12*d.*, from John de Gatesheved 8*s.*, from John Hupsek 5*s.*, from John le Carter 4*s.*, from Richard le Barber 12*s.*, from Alan de Hornese 10*s.*, from Robert de Lyndeberg 2*s.*, from John le Charetter 24*s.*, from William de Nessingwyk 18*d.*, from Robert ad Crucem 13*s.* 4*d.*, from John de Gatesheved 16*s.*,

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from Maud Wedding 4*s.*, from Hugh son of Martin 2*s.* 6*d.*, from William Hairmaker 3*s.* 6*d.*, from Thomas de Jarnemue 3*s.*, from William Frend 6*s.*, from Geoffrey Wlisp 4*s.*, from Roger Jubber 4*s.*, from Roger son of Ranulph 3*s.* 6*d.*, from the entire house (*mansione*) that belonged to Ralph de Creyk 24*s.*, from the tenement that formerly belonged to the mayor of York 5*s.*, from the land that formerly belonged to Thomas Halden 8*s.*, from Walter Wyseman 15*s.*, from Robert Whal 3*s.* 6*d.*, from Thomas Salter 12*d.*; * on condition that she be charged with the portion falling to her of the 4*l.* 3*s.* 2*d.* that John paid yearly to the burgesses of Scardeburgh for the said lands, as is just.

Dec. 15.
Lazenby

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause John de Ros, taken and imprisoned at York for breaking the park of William le Vavassur at La Wodehalle and for chasing in the same contrary to William's will, to be released from prison, if he be detained solely for this reason, as the king wishes, at the instance of John Tregoz, to show him favour, he having found mainprise before the king in chancery, to wit William Bard of Buterwyk, of co. Buckingham, Hugh de Patemer of cos. Essex and Hertford, Adam de Penbury of co. Lancaster, Robert de Neketon of co. Suffolk, William de Redenese, and Thomas de Fryvill of co. York, who have mainperned to have his body before the king at his will to answer to him concerning the premises when the king shall wish to speak against him.
By p.s. [1875.]

Dec. 20.
York.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order to cause William de Felton, keeper of the lands that belonged to Thomas de Soules of Scotland, the king's enemy and rebel, to have in the wood of Biwelle in Le Hogh in Staunfordham six oaks fit for timber for the repair and building of the houses in the said lands.
By K. on the information of J. de Insula.

Dec. 20.
York.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Walter de Bampton, who cannot conveniently attend to the office because he is the king's verderer in the forest of Engelwode, for which reason the king has amoved him from the office of coroner.

Dec. 20.
York.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the prior and Friars of the order of Preachers at York to have in the forest of Galtres twelve leafless oak-stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Winterburn.

To the same. Like order to cause the Friars Minors of York to have twelve oak-stumps.

Dec. 21.
York.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Roger le Lung, who is insufficiently qualified for further exercising the office of coroner in that county, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

Dec. 26.
Cottingham.

Adam Hubbok, imprisoned at Newcastle-on-Tyne for the death of an unknown man slain at Lucker, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Northumberland to bail him.

Dec. 23.
Newbald.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to restore to Joan, late the wife of Henry de Cramavill, the manor of Gravesende,

* Here commences Membrane 19.

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which he took into the king's hands by reason of Henry's death, and the issues received thence since it was taken into the king's hands, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Henry and Joan held the manor of the king jointly on the day of Henry's death and that Joan ought to hold it for her life according to the form of a fine levied in the king's court between them and Thomas de Weylond, deceased, concerning it, and the king has taken her fealty for the manor.—William de Sutton received the fealty.

Dec. 29.
Cottingham.

To the same. Order to cause William, son and heir of John de Horsi, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.—Because it appears by proof [of age] made before the escheator that William is of full age. By p.s.

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Jan. 12.
Easton.

To Mathew de Columbar[iis], the king's chamberlain. Order to cause the monks of St. Peter's, Westminster, to have a tun of wine of the king's right prise at London for the twenty-sixth year of his reign, in accordance with the late king's grant to them of a tun of wine yearly from the prise to be received yearly on the morrow of St. Botolph by the hands of his chamberlain, for the celebration of divine service in their church, as they say that a tun is in arrear for the said year.

Jan. 18.
Ogerston.

To the sheriff of Somerset. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Peter de Faucumberge, who is incapacitated by infirmity.

Jan. 16.
St. Ives.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Thomas de Etton, deceased.

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Jan. 24.
Thetford.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Eleanor, late the wife of William Douglas, of Scotland, the king's late enemy and rebel, the lands that William and she held of her dower of the lands that belonged to William de Ferar[iis], her first husband, as William Douglas is dead, as the king learns, by reason of whose rebellion he caused all the lands that he held in the realm of his own right and those that were assigned to the said Eleanor for her dower of her first husband's lands to be taken into his hands. By p.s.

Jan. 31.
Bygrave.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. The king recollects that he lately granted to Emma, late the wife of Richard son of John, who died in his service in Gascony, that he would not cause Richard's lands to be taken into his hands before he had certain news of Richard's death; but he now understands that both the corn sown in the lands that belonged to Richard before the king had certain news of his death, by reason whereof a writ issued from chancery dated 26 September, in the twenty-fifth year of the reign, to take into the king's hands the lands that belonged to Richard, and also the corn sown in the said lands after certain news of Richard's death arrived were taken into the king's hands by the escheator, contrary to the form of the grant aforesaid: the king, wishing to continue his grant and to show favour to the executors of Richard's will in consideration of his good service to the king in his lifetime, orders the escheator to permit the executors to have free administration of the corn sown in the said lands before the certain news of Richard's death arrived and before the date of the writ aforesaid, in

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accordance with the king's grant aforesaid, provided that the escheator answer for the corn sown therein after the arrival of the news of Richard's death and the date of the said writ, on condition that the escheator satisfy the executors for the costs of tilling and sowing the lands by an account to be made between them. By p.s. [1906.]

Feb. 2.
St. Albans.

To the same. Order to deliver to Joan, late the wife of Alan de Plugenet, the manor of Wynefrode, which the escheator has taken into the king's hands by reason of Alan's death, to hold during the king's pleasure for the maintenance of John Walrand (*Johannis Walrandi*), an idiot, Alan's kinsman, who is in Joan's custody by the king's commission, as the king has granted to Joan the manor, which he had previously granted to Alan for the maintenance of John, who was then in the king's wardship.

Feb. 2.
St. Albans.

To the same. Order to deliver to Petronilla, late the wife of William de Gouyz, tenant in chief, the following of his lands, which the king has assigned to her in dower: the manor of Dountyssh, co. Dorset, which is extended at 7*l.* 11*s.* 0*½d.* yearly; 65*s.* 11*d.* yearly of rent in Tyleye, in the same county, to wit 8*d.* from Sibyl de Watrecumbe, 14*s.* from Peter le Mouner, free tenants there, 10*s.* from five customary-tenants (*customariorum*) there, with their aids and boon-works (*operibus*), which are extended at 25*s.* 1*d.* yearly; the pannage there, which is extended at 12*d.* yearly; and the pleas and perquisites of the court there, which are extended at 4*s.* yearly; 11*s.* 2*d.* of rent from seven cotters there; 120 acres of arable land in the manor of Develyz, in the same county, whereof each acre is extended at 4*d.* yearly; 4 acres of meadow there, whereof each acre is extended at 2*s.* yearly; a third of a several pasture there, which third is extended at 6*s.* yearly; a third of a common pasture there, which third is extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; 53 acres and a perch of wood, whereof each acre is extended at 3*s.* yearly; 18*s.* yearly of rent from six customary-tenants there, with their boon-works, which are extended at 9*s.* yearly; and 14*s.* 10*d.* yearly of rent from four cotters there.

Memorandum, that Master John de Craucumbe, Master John de Cadamo, and William de Birlaco, to whom the king had committed the custody of his seal when John de Langeton, the chancellor, was prosecuting with the archbishop of Canterbury the matter of his election to the bishopric of Ely, delivered the said seal into the wardrobe to W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer, on 28 December, at Cotingham, and the seal was forthwith delivered to John de Drokenesford, keeper of the king's wardrobe, to be carried to the chancellor, who delivered it to the chancellor at London on 10 January following. And afterwards the chancellor, on 14 February following, delivered the seal to Sir John de Benstede in the king's wardrobe at Westminster, the king being then present in person; which seal was delivered on the twentieth of the same month to Sir William de Hamelton for custody, who sealed writs with it on the same day.

Feb. 10.
Waltham

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause John, son and heir of John le Sauvage, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father at his death was seised in his demesne as of fee, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage. By p.s.

To the same. Order to cause John, kinsman and heir of Isolda de Apeltrefeld, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands whereof Isolda at her death was seised in her demesne as of fee, as John has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage. By p.s.

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Westminster.

To John de Lithegr[eynes], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that Hugh de Hoton held by knight service at his death of the heir of Marmaduke de Twenge, tenant in chief, lately a minor in the king's wardship, and of which he was seised in his demesne as of fee in the bailiwick of the escheator, which were taken into the king's hands upon Hugh's death by reason of the lands of the said Marmaduke being in the king's hands, as John, son and heir of Hugh, has proved his age before the escheator in the presence of the prior of Durham, to whom the king committed the custody of the lands of Hugh in the escheator's bailiwick during the minority of the heir.

Feb. 16.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to permit Thomas de Berkeleye to have respite until Easter next for the 45*l.* due from him to the exchequer, as the king has granted to him such respite.

By K. on the information of J. de Bensted.

The like, '*de verbo ad verbum*,' to the sheriff of Gloucester for 30*l.* until the said term.

Feb. 18.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Joan, late the wife of Robert Achard, tenant in chief, the following of his lands, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a third of the chief messuage of the manor of Aldermanston, co. Berks, which messuage, with the easements of houses, the herbage, fruit of the garden, and curtilage, is extended at 10*s.* yearly; 39 acres of arable land in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 3*d.*; 5½ acres of meadow in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 12*d.*; a third of a pasture in a certain park there, which pasture is extended at 10*s.* yearly; 5½ acres of a several pasture in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 6*d.* yearly; a third of a common pasture in the same manor, which pasture is extended at 2*s.* yearly; a third of a water-mill in the same manor, which mill is extended at 40*s.* yearly; a third of a fishery in the same manor, which fishery is extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; 8*s.* 2½*d.* yearly of rent from four tenants in burgage there, to wit John Petipas 2*s.* 6*d.*, Nicholas Buse 2*s.* 6*d.*, Richard le Paumer 2*s.* 6*d.*, Nicholas Petipas 8½*d.*; 30*s.* 2*d.* of yearly rent from seven villeins in the same manor, with their boon-works (*operibus*), which are extended at 13*s.* 6¼*d.* yearly; 9*s.* 6*d.* of yearly rent from five cotters in the same manor; a third of the easements of the houses in the manor of Spersholt, in the said county, which easements, together with the profits of the herbage, the fruit of the garden and curtilage, are extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; 47 acres of arable land in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 4*d.* yearly; 10 acres of meadow in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 2*s.* yearly; 3 acres of pasture in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 12*d.* yearly; 1*d.* yearly of rent from a free tenant there, to wit Henry Baret; 7*s.* 1½*d.* of yearly rent from three villeins in the same manor, with their boon-works, which are extended at 8*s.* 6½*d.* yearly; 5*s.* 4*d.* of yearly rent from four cotters in the same manor; 24 acres of arable land in the manor of Estmanton near Spersholt, whereof each acre is extended at 4*d.* yearly; 2½ acres of meadow in the same manor, whereof each acre is extended at 2*s.* yearly; a third of a common pasture in the same manor, which pasture is extended at 2*s.* yearly; 21½*d.* of yearly rent from two free tenants in the same manor, to wit William Hervy 21*d.*, from Nicholas atte Welle ½*d.*; 15*s.* 6*d.* of yearly rent from two villeins in the same manor, with their boon-works (*operibus*), which are extended at 9*s.* 1*d.* yearly; 5*s.* 2*d.* of yearly rent from four cotters in the same manor.

* Possibly 6¾*d.*; the enrolment reads '*sex denarios unum et unum quadrantem*.'

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Feb. 17. To the sheriffs of London. Order to deliver in bail John le Mouner, Westminster. imprisoned at Neugate for the death of John le Garlander, who was slain at Aldermannebyry, as the king learns by the record of Ralph de Sandwyco and Stephen de Gravesende, his justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

Feb. 17. To the justices in eyre in co. Kent. Order to cause all deodands Westminster. adjudged before them in their eyre to be levied and paid to the *Conversi* of the king's house [of *Conversi*] at London, as the king granted by his letters patent to the *Conversi*, for their maintenance and for the fabric of their chapel and for the completion of their buildings there, all deodands falling to him anywhere in the realm of England and adjudged before any of his judges and ministers, during his pleasure.

Feb. 10. To Richard Oysel, bailiff of Barton-on-Humber (*Humbr'*). Order to Westminster. cause the king's great barge appointed for the ferry (*passagio*) between that town and the town of Hesel in the water of Humber to be repaired where necessary.

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Feb. 20. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Notification Westminster. that the king has committed to Isabel, late the wife of William de Codstede, tenant in chief, 100s. yearly of land and rent in the manor of Codstede, co. Kent, which belonged to William, to hold *in tenencia* until the king shall cause dower to be assigned to her from the lands that belonged to William.

Feb. 18. To the sheriff of Northampton. Order, as before, to pay to Andrew de Westminster. Sinton, William son of Robert de Lambinston, Walter de Edinton and David de Strabolgy of Scotland, esquires, who were taken in the conflict between the king and the Scots at Dumbar and are imprisoned in Foderingeye castle, and to their keepers the arrears of their wages during the sheriff's time, and to pay them henceforth, to wit each of the esquires 3*d.* and each of the keepers 2*d.* a day, until otherwise ordered, according to the tenor of the king's other order to him.

Feb. 22. To the sheriff of Suffolk. Order to deliver in bail Stephen son of Barnes Nicholas de Heppeworth, imprisoned at Bury St. Edmunds for the death (Biernes). of Walter son of Adam Baf of Heppeworth, wherewith he is charged, as the king learns by the record of Fulk Baynard and Richard de Belhus, justices appointed to deliver that gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

Feb. 22. To the sheriff of Warwick. Order to deliver in bail Thomas de Barnes. Podesete, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of Nicholas son of Henry de Wytherbrok, as the king learns by inquisition taken by Hugh de Braunteston and John Neyrenuyt, his justices appointed to deliver Warwick gaol, that he slew him in self-defence.

Feb. 23. John le Poleter, imprisoned at Colcestre for the death of Robert Ydoni Kingston. and William le Blak, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him.

Feb. 28. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to Windsor intermeddle with the manors of Kauleburn and Whitewell, and to deliver Park. them to Baldwin, son and heir of Geoffrey de Insula, if they have been taken into the king's hands solely by reason of the death of Agnes, late the wife of William le Estur, as it appears to the king by inspection of

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the rolls of chancery that Baldwin did homage to him for all the lands that his father held at his death of the king in chief, and it is found by an inquisition taken by the escheator concerning the lands that belonged to Agnes that she held at her death the manor of Kauleburn in free marriage and the manor of Whitewell in dower of Baldwin's inheritance, and that they ought to revert to Baldwin by right of inheritance as Geoffrey's son and heir after her death.

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March 2.
Windsor.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order to acquit A. bishop of Durham, tenant of certain of the lands that belonged to William de Vesey, deceased, of the demand made by summons of the exchequer for certain debts of William or John de Vesey, his brother, or of others his ancestors for any cause, as the king, in consideration of the grant and surrender that William made to the king of the castle, manor, and county of Kildar and of the grant of the manor of Sprouston, whereof Clemencia, late the wife of John de Vesey, William's son, holds two parts and Isabel, late the wife of John de Vesey, William's brother, holds a third in dower, pardoned William by his letters patent all debts due to him both for fines and amercements into which he fell and for other debts of his and of John de Vesey, his brother, and of others his ancestors for any cause whatsoever.

The like to the sheriffs of York and Lincoln for William de Vesey of Kildar.

March 8.
Kingston.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit Reginald de Sancto Martino, son and heir of William de Sancto Martino, of the scutage exacted from him for one knight's fee in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as William had his service with the king in the said army for one knight's fee, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his Marshalsea for that army.

The like to the sheriff of Wilts.

March 12.
Merton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king, on 14 May, in the 19th year of his reign, committed by his letters patent under the seal of the exchequer to Robert Russel, deceased, the manor of Kingesbir[y] with the Hundred of Horethorne and other appurtenances during pleasure, rendering therefor to the exchequer 38*l.* yearly, saving to the king the corn sown in the lands and the dead stock and all other goods found in the manor; and the king afterwards, on 12 February, in the twentieth year of his reign, committed the manor, with the rent of assize of Melburn and the Hundred of Horethorne and all appurtenances, during pleasure, to Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, rendering therefor at the exchequer to the executors of Queen Eleanor, the king's late consort, 42*l.* 14*s.* 10½*d.*, as appears to the king by inspection of the said letters of the exchequer and of the rolls of chancery: the king orders the treasurer and barons to discharge William Russel, brother and heir of the said Robert, of 285*l.* exacted from him by summons of the exchequer for the ferm aforesaid from the said 12 February, when the king committed the manor with the Hundred to the earl.

By the roll.

March 16.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria]. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Petronilla, late the wife of William de Gouiz, tenant in chief, from the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William in the said escheator's bailiwick, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

March 18.
Westminster.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest beyond Trent. Order to cause William de Rasne, clerk, to have in the king's wood of Clipston Park, which is within the bounds of the forest of Shirewode, six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

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Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Ralph Perot to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the service of two knights' fees for the king's army in Wales in the fifth year of the king's reign, as he was in the king's service by his order in the said army for the service of two knights' fees that he then acknowledged to the king, as appears by inspection of the rolls of the king's Marshalsea for that army.

The like to the same for the tenth year.

To the same. Whereas the king granted by his letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 1281, p. 5] to the late Queen Eleanor, his mother, that she should receive all her life 11*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* from the 15*l.* due to him yearly from the manor of Radewell, co. Essex, which is in the hands of Dionisia de Monte Caniso; for which reason he ordered Dionisia, on 8 November, in the eleventh year of his reign [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 1283, p. 88, under Nov. 15], to pay the former sum yearly to Queen Eleanor for her life, as appears to him by inspection of the rolls of chancery; the king orders the treasurer and barons [to discharge] Dionisia*—[*Incomplete.*]

[*Cancelled.*]

March 16.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Philip le Gay, who is intending the affairs of the king's forestry of Bradene by the order of Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, so that he cannot conveniently execute the office of coroner, as the king learns from Hugh's testimony.

Vacated, because below.

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Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king granted by his letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 1281, p. 5] to the late Queen Eleanor, his mother, that she should receive all her life 11*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* from the 15*l.* due to him yearly from the manor of Radewell, co. Essex, which is in the hands of Dionisia de Monte Caniso; for which reason he ordered Dionisia, on 8 November, in the eleventh year of his reign [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 1283, p. 88, under Nov. 15], to pay the former sum to Queen Eleanor for life, as appears to him by inspection of the rolls of chancery: the king orders the treasurer and barons to discharge Dionisia of the said sum yearly from the said 8 November until the day of the said Queen Eleanor's death.

By the roll.

March 18.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Robert de Noers, as it is testified before the king by Ralph de Shirle, sheriff of that county, that Robert is incapacitated by age and infirmity.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Osbert le Lung, as it is testified before the king by Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent, that Osbert is at this time occupied with the office of the sub-escheatry in cos. Nottingham and Derby.

March 15.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the escheator. Notification that the king has granted to Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex, that he may pay to the exchequer all the debts due from him, both for the debts of Humphrey de Bohun, his father, and of other his ancestors

* The complete enrolment occurs below.

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and for his relief due to the king, by as much yearly during the king's pleasure as the said earl, his father, was wont to pay there yearly for the said debts.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

March 17.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Sussex. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John de Polingfold, as it is testified before the king by John Abel, sheriff of that county, that John de Polingfold is incapacitated by infirmity, for which reason the king has caused him to be removed from office.

March 18.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Thomas de Saunford, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of his death, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Thomas at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

By C.

March 18.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Warwick. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Robert Waundard, as it is testified before the king that he is insufficiently qualified.

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March 18.
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To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Petronilla, late the wife of William de Gouiz, tenant in chief, from the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William.

To the same. Order to deliver to Isabel, late the wife of William de Cotestede, as nearest [friend] of his heir, the manor of Cotestede and certain lands in Stokebyry, Newenton, Hertlepe, Reyham, Stapey and Haleghstowe, co. Kent, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of William's death, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that William held the said manor and lands at his death of the king in socage, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition that William held of him elsewhere in the escheator's bailiwick by knight service, for which reason the wardship of the lands ought to pertain to Isabel as nearest [friend] of the heir.

By C.

March 23.
Westminster.

John Brunsun of Barkeston, imprisoned at York for the death of Henry son of William de Hornington, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him.

William 'in the Walles,' imprisoned at York for the death of Henry son of William de Hornington, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him.

March 24.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted to Henry de Urtiaco that he may pay the debts due from him to the exchequer at the rate of 10 marks yearly, and order to cause him to have these terms and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

March 26.
Westminster.

To the same. Notification that whereas the king granted to John de Mohun that he might pay all the debts due from him to the exchequer by

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100s. yearly, as contained in the king's writ in their hands at the exchequer, he has now, although John has not kept the terms, granted to John that he shall recover the terms, so that he shall pay 100s. yearly, and order to cause him to have these terms and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

March 26. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause
Westminster. John son and heir of William de Benteleye, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father was seised at his death in his demesne as of fee, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

March 28. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the
Westminster. king has granted to Ralph de Monte Hermeri, earl of Gloucester and Hertford, respite until All Saints next for all debts due to the exchequer, and order to cause him to have such respite. By K.

March 26. To the same. Whereas William de Munes, late chamberlain of the
Westminster. exchequer, is deputed by the king to another office of the exchequer, the king, trusting in Master Gilbert de Arderne, his clerk, sends him to them in order that they may admit him to the office of chamberlain vacated by William; so that he shall have and receive in that office as much as William was wont to do for so long as he shall behave himself well in that office and during the king's pleasure.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the abbess of Wilton to have in the forest of Chuet twenty oaks fit for timber for the construction of the houses of the abbey, which were lately burnt by mischance, of the king's gift. By K.

March 28. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the
Westminster. king lately granted by his letters patent to John de Crepping' the demise for seven years made to him by indenture by Roger de Moubay of all the lands that belonged to Roger in the town of Crek, co. Northampton, and of 10 marks of rent in the town of Melton Moubay [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 1297, p. 325]; and the king afterwards, not remembering this confirmation, caused the said lands and rent to be taken into his hands with the other lands that belonged to Roger by reason of Roger's death, and because no mention was made of the demise and confirmation in the inquisitions made by the escheator concerning Roger's lands, caused a third of the aforesaid lands and rent to be assigned in dower to Roesia, late the wife of Roger, John being then in the king's service in Flanders: the king—wishing to provide for John's indemnity for the time when he stayed with him in the said parts, especially as if John had been then in England and had shown the confirmation aforesaid in chancery, Roesia would not have been dowered by the king of the said third—orders the escheator to cause John to have the value of the said third from the other lands that belonged to Roger that are now in the king's hands in name of wardship, to have until the end of the term aforesaid, in accordance with the king's confirmation aforesaid.

By K. and C.

To the same. The king learns from the complaint of the sub-prior and canons of Ledes that whereas Robert son of Hamo de Crevequer, the younger (*junioris*), granted by his charter that the canons and their successors should have, when their conventual church, the right of

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patronage whereof belonged to him in full right, should be void by the death or resignation of any prior or in any other way, the full custody and free administration of their house and its possessions and of all their goods, without any hindrance or challenge from him or his heirs or assigns by reason of the right of patronage aforesaid, and that they should have power to choose whom they would as prior without asking his consent, saving only to him and his heirs the presentation to him and his heirs of the prior; and the king, after he had acquired the right of the patronage aforesaid from the said Robert by his enfeoffment, confirmed the grant aforesaid by his charter, and granted to the canons that they might choose a suitable prior upon every voidance of the priory without seeking licence from the king, and that upon each voidance the king would put no keeper into the priory in his name, but that they should have free administration to dispose of all the things of the priory, provided that after each election they should present their elect to the king; and the escheator, upon the voidance of the priory by the resignation of Brother Adam de Maydenestan, the late prior, has intruded himself into the priory and its possessions and detains them in the king's hands, contrary to the tenor of the aforesaid charter and of the king's confirmation, as if the custody thereof pertained to the king, not permitting the canons to have administration thereof: the king, not wishing to injure the canons in any way contrary to the said grant and confirmation, orders the escheator not to intermeddle in any way with the priory, and to cause to be restored to them anything that he may have taken thence.

By C.

March 28. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause
Westminster. Herbert, son and heir of John de Mariscis, to have seisin of his father's lands, as the king has taken his homage.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Order to cause two coroners for that county to be elected in place of Adam de Spalding and William de Ernesby, who are insufficiently qualified, as the king learns by the letters of the burgesses of Oxford sealed with the seal of their community.

March 26. To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to cause the prioress
Westminster. and nuns of Chester to have 20*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* for the twenty-sixth year of the reign, as the king granted to them by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 6 Edward I, p. 246] 24 marks yearly from the ferm of Middlewich (*de Medio Vicho*), until he should cause this sum to be assigned to them in some certain places for ever, for certain alms granted to them by the king's predecessors, sometimes lords of Cheshire, and he also granted to them by the same letters 4*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* yearly from the same ferm in recompence for the damages that they sustain yearly to that amount by the withdrawal from them by the abbot and convent of Vale Royal of the tithes pertaining to the church of the prioress and monks at Ovre, such as in tithes of hay, fishponds, gardens, cows, calves, and servants in Lent and from other small tithes, until the king should provide them with that sum yearly in some certain place, as contained in his letters patent, and 20*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* are in arrear thereof for the twenty-sixth year.

March 29. To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to
Westminster. cause Eustace de Hache, constable of Marleberge castle, to have in the forest of Savernak eighty oaks fit for timber, in order to repair therewith the king's chapel and chambers in the castle. By K.

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To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king lately ordered him to deliver to Baldwin, son and heir of Geoffrey de Insula, the manor of Kauleburn, which Agnes, late the wife of William le Estur, held in free marriage, and the manor of Whytewell, which she held in dower of Baldwin's inheritance, which manors the escheator had taken into the king's hands by reason of Agnes's death and for which Baldwin did homage to the king: the king, wishing to show Baldwin special favour, orders the escheator to deliver to him the issues received from the manor of Whytewell from the time when it was taken into his hands.

By pet. of C.

March 30.
Westminster.

To the taker of the king's wines of his right prise at Southampton. Order to cause the abbot and convent of St. Edward's, Netley (*Letteleye*), to have a tun of wine of the said prise for the present year, in accordance with the late king's grant to them of a tun of wine yearly for the celebration of divine service in their church, which grant the king accepted and confirmed.

March 29.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Worcester. Order to permit Hugh de Mortuo Mari to have respite for all debts due to the exchequer until a month from Easter next, as the king has granted him such respite.

The like to the sheriffs of Salop, Hereford, Essex and Northampton.

March 27.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to permit the abbess of Wilton to fell in her own wood within the bounds of the forest of Savernak sixty oaks fit for timber, and to carry them out of the forest without hindrance from him or the king's ministers of the Forest, as the king has granted to her permission to fell and carry the said oaks to her abbey, in order to rebuild therewith certain houses in the abbey that were lately burnt by mischance.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Winterburne.

March 29.
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To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that whereas the king granted to William de Ferar[iis] that he may pay all the debts due from him to the exchequer at the rate of 20 marks yearly, he has now granted to him that, although he has not kept these terms, he may recover them, and order to cause him to have these terms and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the same. Hawysia de la Pole has shown the king that the king lately ordered forty-six Welshmen, hostages in the king's last war in Wales in the castle of La Pole, which is in her custody by the king's commission, to be delivered to her for custody, and she paid to them 157*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* for their wages for an entire year and seven weeks, during which term they were in her custody, to wit each of them 2*d.* a day, and she also expended when the king was last in Flanders by order of John de Haveryng, justice of North Wales, 60*l.* in providing the castle with victuals and other necessities, for which sums of money she has not yet obtained any allowance, and she has besought the king to cause due allowance to be made to her for them: the king therefore orders them to hear her proofs (*racionibus*) and to view her account of the premises, and to cause her to have due allowance therefor in her ferm of the castle.

By pet. returned from the C.

MEMBRANE 15.

March 29.
Westminster.

To the same. Notification that the king has pardoned to Alexander Cheverel, in consideration of the good service rendered by him in Gascony,

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57 marks of the 100 marks in which he made fine with him before Roger de Moeles and Adam Gurdun, appointed by the king to take fines and ransoms for trespasses in the forests, for a trespass of the Forest beyond Trent whereof he was indicted before Roger and Adam, and that he shall pay the remaining 40 (*sic*) marks at the rate of 5 marks yearly, and order to cause him to be thus acquitted of the 57 marks and to have the aforesaid terms for payment of the remaining 40 (*sic*) marks, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

By K.

March 30.
Westminster.

To the same. As Hugh Bardolf is indebted to the king at the exchequer in divers sums for his own debts and the debts of his ancestors and for other causes, and the king is indebted to him for the arrears of his wages and the loss of his horses for the time when he was in the king's service in Gascony, as appears to the king by the testimony of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, who supplied the king's place in Gascony: the king, wishing to assist Henry in consideration of his good and faithful service, orders the treasurer and barons to search the rolls of the exchequer of all debts due to him from Henry, and to cause allowance to be made therefrom for the debts due to Henry from the king according to the letters patent of the said earl testifying the debts under his seal, and to certify the king under the exchequer seal of any debts that Henry may owe to him beyond the total of the allowance, and also of any debts that the king may owe to him beyond the aforesaid allowance, and to cause Henry to have respite in the meantime for any debts that may be due from him, receiving from Henry the earl's letters patent for annulment (*condempnandas*).

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

April 2.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Order to respite until Michaelmas next the demand made upon Hugh de Aldithelegh, who is detained in the king of France's prison, for 100s. in which he was amerced before the justices last in eyre in that county for a default, as Hugh has long and faithfully served the king, and was taken and imprisoned by reason of the service aforesaid.

By K.

April 2.
Westminster.

To the chamberlain of Kaernervan. Order to discharge Thomas de Anvers, sheriff of Anglesey, of 44*l.* 11*s.* 5½*d.* in his account of the issues of his bailiwick to be rendered at the exchequer of Kaernervan (*ad scaccarium predictum*), as he paid this sum to Walter de Wynton[ia] and Master James de Sancto Georgio, keepers of the works of the king's castle of Beaumaris, for making the works, as is testified before the king by John de Havering', justice of North Wales. It is provided that Walter and James shall be charged with the said sum in their account at the exchequer of the works.

By pet. of C.

April 3.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to discharge the executors of the will of Iterius de Ingolisma of all the debts due from him to the king at his death for any reason for the time when he was in the king's service, and of any account that he ought to have rendered for that time, and to cause to be delivered to them without delay the goods and chattels that belonged to Iterius, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the debts aforesaid, and to permit them to have free administration thereof and to execute his will, as the king has pardoned the executors all the debts of Iterius in consideration of the good service rendered by him.

By K.

April 3.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to acquit John de Meaus of 50 marks of the debts due to the exchequer from him for the time when he was sheriff of York and keeper of the city of York, and to cause him to have reasonable terms

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for payment of the remainder of the debts at which he can conveniently pay them, according to their discretion, as the king has granted this acquittance and this respite of payment. By K. and pet. of C.

April 2. To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to pay to the prisoners of
Westminster. Scotland lately captured in the battle of Dumbarton who are imprisoned in Nottingham castle, and to their keepers the arrears of their wages for all the sheriff's time [of office], to wit 3*d.* a day to each esquire and 2*d.* a day to each keeper, until otherwise ordered.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king is indebted to Roger le Warr in certain sums of money for his wages for the time when he was in his service in Gascony, and he wishes to make recompence to him therefor, he orders them to account with Roger for his wages aforesaid and to search the rolls of the exchequer concerning Roger's debts, and to cause allowance to be made to him in the said debts for the total of the wages aforesaid.

By pet. of C.

Vacated, because otherwise in the Close Roll for the twenty-eighth year.

April 4. To the same. Order to respite until otherwise ordered the demand
Westminster. made upon Thomas, abbot of Fécamp, for the issues of the temporalities of his house within the king's realm from the time of the restitution thereof, as the king, on 16 April, in the twenty-sixth year of his reign, restored the temporalities to him, as he has found him liberal and acceptable in the king's affairs (*in nostris agendis liberalem atque gratum*), and to permit him to be in peace concerning them, restoring to him any distrainment that they may have levied in this behalf.

By bill of C.

April 2. To the sheriff of Devon. Order to permit Simon de Monte Acuto to
Westminster. have respite until Michaelmas for all debts due to the king at the exchequer, as the king has granted him such respite.

By bill of C.

The like to the sheriff of Somerset.

April 5. To the sheriff of Somerset. Order to cause to be delivered to John de
Westminster. Tylton his goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being appealed of harbouring some men who were indicted of the death of Simon de Skefington, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony that he rendered himself to prison at the due time to stand to right concerning the harbouring aforesaid, and that he did not make flight whereby his chattels ought to be confiscated.

By pet. of C.

April 6. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to
Westminster. intermeddle further with the issues of the lands that William de Cotestede held at his death of the king in socage, as the king lately ordered the escheator to deliver the lands to Isabel, late the wife of William, as nearest [friend] of the heir, to be kept by her for the use of the heir, in accordance with the law and custom of the realm.

By pet. of C.

To the sheriff of York. Whereas the king has granted by his charter to his burgesses of Kingston-on-Hull that they may elect a coroner from among themselves and may present him to the keeper of the town, before whom he shall take oath that he will faithfully do and observe those things that pertain to the office of coroner in the same county (*sic*), the king orders the sheriff to cause a coroner to be elected in his county [court] by the assent of the same, who, after taking oath, shall do and observe those things that pertain to the office of coroner in the aforesaid borough.

The like '*de verbo ad verbum*' for the burgesses of Ravenserod.

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To the sheriff of York. Whereas the king has granted to his burgesses of Kingston-on-Hull that they shall have the return of all writs touching the borough in any way, so that no sheriff or other bailiff or minister of the king shall enter the borough to execute any office there for anything pertaining to the borough, except in default of the keeper of the borough, and that they shall elect a coroner from among themselves and shall present him to the keeper aforesaid, and the king has ordered the sheriff to cause a coroner to be elected in his county [court] to do the things that pertain to the office of coroner in the borough: the king orders the sheriff to cause return of the writ for electing a coroner to be made to the burgesses, so that they may elect a coroner from among themselves by that return and may present him to their said keeper, in accordance with the king's grant aforesaid.

The like '*de verbo ad verbum*' for the burgesses of Raveneserod.

April 27.
Westminster.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Ralph de Crumwell, as the king learns by inquisition taken by John de Lythegraines, late escheator beyond Trent, that Ralph at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king, except in socage.

April 11.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king has granted to the executors of the will of Geoffrey de Pycheford, late constable of Wyndesore castle, 20 marks for the burial of his body, which is not yet buried, from the goods and chattels that belonged to Geoffrey, which the king lately ordered to be taken into his hands and to be sold, so that the money thence arising should be delivered to the exchequer: he orders the treasurer and barons to cause the value of the said 20 marks to be delivered to the executors from Geoffrey's goods, if there are any still in the king's hands whence this sum may be levied, and if the goods have been sold and the money thence arising have been paid into the exchequer, to cause the 20 marks to be allowed to the executors in the aforesaid debts.

By K. and pet. of C.

April 8.
Westminster.

To the same. The fermors of the king's manor of Apethorp, which is situate within his forest of Clyve, have shown the king that although they paid 40s. yearly for the pannage and herbage of the manor, which sum is contained in the extent of the manor, and which they used to render to the exchequer before the assignment of dower to the late Queen Eleanor, the king's mother, for the eleven years during which she held the aforesaid forest and its appurtenances in dower, in accordance with the assignment of dower made to her, the treasurer and barons nevertheless exact from them 22*l.* for the arrears of the said 40s. during that time, and distrain them for that sum as if they had not paid it to the king's mother: the king orders the treasurer and barons, if they ascertain that it is so, to acquit the fermors of the said 22*l.*

By pet. of C.

To the same. Master John de Lacy, late fermor of the manor of Apethorp, which is within the king's forest of Clyve, has shown the king that although he paid to the aforesaid queen 40s. a year as above for ten years during which she held the aforesaid forest, the treasurer and barons nevertheless exact from him 20*l.* for the arrears of that sum during that time: the king orders them, if they ascertain that it is so, to cause John to be acquitted of the aforesaid 20*l.*

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To John de Warennæ, earl of Surrey. Whereas the heirs and parceners of the inheritance of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, have not yet done their homages and fealties to the king for their purparties of Richard's inheritance, although the king has delivered to some of them their purparties, to be held until they and the others shall come to his court to receive their purparties in due form: the king requests the earl to supersede, until the heirs and parceners have done to the king their homages and fealties, distraining Joan la Botiller, one of the sisters and heiresses of Richard, in the manor of Shyre, which is held of the earl by knight service and which the king has delivered to her to be held in form aforesaid, to do homage and fealty therefor to the earl or to render to him relief, especially as they are unable to do their homages and fealties to the king or other lords before partition of the inheritance has been made between them, according to the law and custom of the realm.

MEMBRANE 14.

April 12.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas John de Harecurt—to whom the king has granted what pertains to him of the marriage of Joan, late the wife of Roger de Nodariis, tenant by knight service of the heir of Philip Burnel, tenant in chief, which heir is a minor in the king's wardship, together with any fine that she might make with the king for that marriage and any forfeiture if she should marry without licence of the king or of John—has come into chancery and acknowledged that Joan has satisfied him for the marriage: the king orders the escheator to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, taking from her the fealty due to the king in this behalf.

April 14.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. The king learns from the complaint of the heirs of Gregory de Rokesle and of the tenants of certain of the lands that belonged to him that whereas all the goods and chattels that belonged to him were taken into the king's hands after his death for the debts due from him to the exchequer, and the executors of his will have found the king mainpernors to render the debts aforesaid to the king, the treasurer and barons, absolving the mainpernors from the said debts as if they had been paid to the exchequer, cause the heirs and tenants aforesaid to be distrained to render the debts to the exchequer, and disquiet them unjustly in many ways, to their damage and contrary to the law and custom of the exchequer heretofore used in the like case: the king orders the treasurer and barons, if it is so, to cause what has been attempted by them improperly to be amended according to their discretion and the law and custom of the exchequer, so that it shall not be necessary to solicit the king further for lack of justice in this behalf.

By pet. returned from the C.

April 12.
Westminster.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order not to permit waste, destruction or damage or exile of the men and tenants of the inheritance of Thomas, son and heir of Robert de Greyley, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, to be made in the lands of the said heir whereby the king may not be able to render the inheritance to the heir when he shall be of age as fully as it came to his hands, as the king is bound to render to heirs in his wardship when they come of age the lands falling to them in right of inheritance as fully as they came to his hands in name of wardship.

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*Membrane 14—cont.*April 13.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that the house of St. Mark at Billeswyk near Bristol is void by the resignation of Brother Robert de Rading, the late master thereof, and that the custody thereof pertains upon each voidance to John Abbadam and Elizabeth, his wife, and not to the king by reason of the manor of Wynterburn, which the brethren of that house hold of him in socage, because the house is of the foundation of Elizabeth's ancestors, and that the brethren have been wont from the time of the foundation of that house to present their elect upon each voidance to her ancestors: the king orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the said house or with its appurtenances, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the manor of Wynterburn.

To Nicholas Fermbaud, constable of Bristol castle. Order not to intermeddle further with the aforesaid house, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the present voidance.

April 15.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to permit Stephen de Stanham, keeper of the king's manor of Eston, to fell in the forest of Clyve twelve oaks fit for timber and as many rafters (*cheverones*) as he shall need, and to permit him to carry them to the manor, for the construction of the king's houses there.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

April 15.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John de Britannia, earl of Richmond, to be acquitted of 20*l.* that they exact from him by reason of the common summons [of the eyre] before the justices in eyre in co. Hertford in the fifteenth year of the king's reign, as it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery for that year that the earl had quittance of the common summons before the aforesaid justices.

By the roll.

The like to the sheriff of Hertford.

April 16.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. The king learns from the complaint of the heirs of Gregory de Rokesle and of the tenants of certain lands that belonged to him that whereas all the goods and chattels that belonged to Gregory were taken into the king's hands after his death for the debts due from him to the exchequer, and the executors of Gregory's will found him sufficient mainpernors to render the said debt there, by which mainprise the goods and chattels were delivered out of the king's hands by the treasurer and barons, nevertheless the treasurer and barons, absolving the mainpernors from their mainprise as if the debts had been paid to the exchequer in full, cause the heirs and tenants to be grievously distrained to render the debts to the exchequer, contrary to the law and custom of the exchequer in the like case previously used and observed: the king orders the treasurer and barons, if it is so, to cause what they have improperly attempted to be amended according to their discretion and the law and custom of the exchequer, so that it shall not be necessary that the king shall be again solicited in this cause.

April 20.
Westminster.

To the same. Notification that the king has granted to Richard Lovel, son and heir of Hugh Lovel, that he may pay all the debts due from him to the exchequer, as well the debts of his father as of other his ancestors, at the usual terms by as much as his father was wont to pay for the said debts, and to cause Richard to have these terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

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April 20.
Westminster.

To the justices next in eyre at the Tower of London. Whereas Arnald de Poillou of Bayonne, formerly of London, maliciously slew Arnald de Montausser, for which felony and for his flight the goods and chattels found in his custody in the lodgings wherein he was then staying were delivered to John de Sterford, then sheriff of the city, to wit two charters, one for 40*l.* and the other for 15*l.*, which were sealed with the seal of the earl of Lincoln, 3½ marks of silver, and a rayed robe, price 10*s.*; and it was afterwards shown to the king that these goods and chattels did not belong to Arnald who committed the felony but to Arnald, his father, who appears to the king to be guiltless of the felony and who was then in parts beyond sea, for which reason the king ordered John de Cantuar[ia], executor of the said John de Sterford's will, to restore the goods and chattels to the said Arnald the owner: the king orders the treasurer and barons not to molest the executors or heirs of the said John in any way by reason of the said goods and chattels thus restored by the king's order, but to discharge them wholly of the same.

By K. on the information of J. de Sandale.

April 18.
Westminster.

To John de Cantuaria, executor of the said John's will. Order to restore the said goods and chattels to Arnald, father of the said felon, or to his attorney or proctor.

By K. on the information of J. de Sandale.

April 21.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Master John de Cadamo, king's clerk, to be acquitted of 100*s.* exacted from him for an amercement inflicted upon him because he did not come before William de Vescey and his fellows, then justices for pleas of the Forest in co. York, at the common summons made before them of the eyre in that county, as he was with the king in his service in Gascony at that time, for which reason the king has pardoned him this sum.

April 20.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to cause Nicholas Morel to be acquitted of 10 marks at which he was amerced before John de Vescey, then justice of the Forest beyond Trent, for a trespass that he was said to have committed in taking a hind in the forest of Shyrewode without the king's licence, as the king pardoned him this amercement in the twenty-second year of his reign, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery.

By the roll.

April 22.
Westminster.

To the same. Whereas the king has granted to W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield that he and his successors shall have the return of all the king's writs, pleas of *vetitum namium*, chattels of felons and fugitives, and the fines and amercements of all their men and tenants, to be levied by the bishop and his successors and their bailiffs and ministers without let or hindrance of the king or of his heirs, justices, sheriffs, bailiffs, or ministers: the king orders them to cause the charter to be read before them in the full exchequer, and to cause it to be observed in all its articles, and to cause it to be held and observed by the king's justices, sheriffs and ministers within the realm, and to cause the sheriffs to have allowance for the pleas of *vetitum namium*, chattels of felons and fugitives, and fines and amercements of all the men and tenants of the bishopric, wherewith the sheriffs were wont to be charged previously in their accounts at the exchequer, and to cause the sheriffs to be acquitted thereof, as ought to be done in accordance with the grant made to the bishop.

April 22.
Westminster.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Notification that the king has taken the homage of Robert son of Elias de Coleshull for the manors of Aldermanston and Spersholt, co. Berks, which Robert Achard, deceased, held of the king in chief for life by a fine made before

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the justices of the Bench at Westminster between Elias and Robert Archard (*sic*), which ought to remain to Robert son of Elias and his heirs by the fine, which the king has inspected, together with 70 acres of land, which are extended at 23s. 4d. yearly, 8 acres of meadow, which are extended at 16s. yearly, and a pasture in common, which is extended at 2s. yearly, in Estmanton, which ought to remain in like manner by another fine made before the said justices, which the king has also inspected, and has rendered to Robert son of Elias the manors and lands: the king orders the escheator to cause Robert son of Elias to have seisin of the manors and lands, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Robert Achard; saving the right of others and saving to Joan, late the wife of Robert Achard, her dower thereof assigned to her in the king's court.

April 22.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], constable of the castle of Foderinggeye. Order to pay to Andrew de Sinton, William son of Robert de Lambinston, Walter de Edinton, and David de Strabolgy, of Scotland, esquires, lately captured in the conflict between the king and the Scots at Dumbar and imprisoned in that castle, and to their keepers their wages from 19 April last, to wit 3d. a day to each of the esquires and 2d. a day to each of the keepers, until otherwise ordered.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

April 20.
Westminster.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to take into the king's hands the houses within the city that belonged to Master William de Wymundham^o lately deceased, and to deliver them to Master Thomas de Abberbury, the king's clerk, to be held in the king's name during the king's pleasure, as Master William was indebted to the king at the exchequer in divers sums at his death.

April 21.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. It is shown to the king on behalf of William† de Beveneys, his clerk, that whereas S. archbishop of Tuam, late justiciary of Ireland, during the time when he was treasurer of Ireland, committed to William by the counsel of certain of the king's subjects then of his council the office of engrosser (*officium grossarie*) in the said exchequer by the ancient fee of 5d. daily, to be received in the said exchequer when it should be open, and the said justiciary of Ireland, considering William's service grateful to the king and considering the smallness of the said daily fee, granted to him on the king's behalf 7l. yearly in aid of his maintenance, and William had the king's writs to allow to him the said 7l. in the rent due from him to the king for certain lands that he held of him in times past: the king, desiring to further the advantage and promotion of William, orders the said treasurer and barons to cause the aforesaid 7l. with the arrears thereof to be allowed to William in the rent that he pays to the king yearly from the land that he holds of the king at present, for as long as he shall be filling that office by the king's will.

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April 22.
Westminster.

To the abbot and convent of Waltham Holy Cross. Request that they will admit into their house Robert de Clopton, the king's serjeant, who faithfully served the king so long as he was able in body, whom the king

* Written by oversight *Wymundham*, but given correctly in the marginal abstract.

† Called correctly '*le Beveneys*' in the marginal abstract and on p. 246.

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is sending to them because he has not yet provided him with maintenance, and that they will administer to him and one groom the necessities of life in their house during his life.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.

April 22.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. The king recollects that it is contained in the charter of King Henry, his father, and in his confirmation thereof, lately shown before him and his council, that it was granted to the prior and convent of St. Bartholomew, London, that no one ought to intermeddle with the lands, goods or possessions of the priory in time of voidance of the priory without the special licence of the prior and convent; whereupon the king, wishing to be fully certified, ordered the treasurer and barons to certify him fully as to the truth of this matter, by which certificate it was considered before the king and his council that the custody of the priory ought not to pertain to the king by reason of the voidance thereof: the king therefore orders the treasurer and barons to cause the prior and convent to be acquitted of 6*l.* 7*s.* 11*d.* wherewith Ralph de Broghton, now deceased, who intermeddled with the custody of the priory during the last voidance in the king's name, charged himself, which sum is exacted from the prior and convent by summons of the exchequer, and to permit the prior and convent to hold the aforesaid priory when it shall happen to be void hereafter and to receive the issues thereof, in accordance with the tenor of the charter and confirmation aforesaid, and to cause to be restored to them anything that they may have caused to be levied from the issues aforesaid during the last voidance. By pet. of C.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to cause William le Deveneys, the king's clerk, to have seisin of 1½ carucates of land, 3*s.* 4*d.* yearly of rent, and a fishery in Thorncastell in Ireland, as the king has granted them by his charter to him for 108*s.* 4*d.* to be rendered yearly to that exchequer, to have and to hold to William and his heirs of the king and his heirs for ever, in accordance with the extent made thereof, for the said rent and the service of a tenth of a knight's fee, as contained in the charter.

April 22.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king, on 26 June, in the eighth year of his reign, granted by his charter to the abbot and convent of Glastonbury that they shall have and hold a moiety of all the amercements, fines, escapes of thieves, chattels of fugitives condemned for murder [or] for oxen coming from disseisin of their lands, fees and men and from all fees and men of their men for ever, which moiety remained to them by a composition made between Robert, then bishop of Bath and Wells, and the abbot, by the king's assent, provided that the abbot shall answer to the king at the exchequer for the other moiety yearly without any diminution, as is contained in the king's charter concerning this grant and in other articles therein expressed: the king orders the treasurer and barons to inspect the tenor of the charter, and to permit the abbot to have the amercements and fines and the other things that pertain to him by virtue of the charter aforesaid and the fine levied concerning it, and to discharge him thereof according to the tenor and virtue of the charter and fine. It is provided that answer shall be made to the king by the abbot for the other moiety.

April 27.
Banstead.

To Robert de Burghers, constable of Dover castle. As the king has certain affairs to be expedited specially in parts beyond sea by Coppus Joseph and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Friscombaldi dwelling at London, he orders Robert to permit Coppus, or another of

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that society coming to him at Dover with the letters patent of the society and wishing to go to parts beyond sea to cross from the port of Dover, with 1,000 marks or 1,000*l.* for the expedition of the affairs aforesaid enjoined upon him by W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the king's treasurer.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

April 22. William le Bercher, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of Walter le
Westminster. Messer of Dunston, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lincoln to bail him.

———— To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the
———— king has granted to Robert de Tateshale, son and heir of Robert de Tateshale, that he [may pay] the 250 marks that to Robert his father
————[*Incomplete.*]

Vacated.

May 6. To the keeper of the king's wood of Bokholt. Order to cause Walter
Stepney. de Bello Campo, constable of Gloucester castle, to have in that wood ten oaks fit for timber for the repair of the king's houses in the said castle, by the view and testimony of the keeper of the king's works of that castle.

By K.

May 8. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause
Stepney. Edmund, son and heir of Saer Bataille, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.

April 20. To the justices of the Bench. Whereas the king in his parliament
Westminster. after Easter at Westminster, in the eighteenth year of his reign, granted, in order to save the costs and expenses of the people of his realm, that pleas of *Quo Warranto* should thenceforth be pleaded and determined in the eyres of his justices, and he brought against the abbot of St. Mary's, York, two writs of *Quo Warranto* (*sic*), not recollecting the grant aforesaid, to wit one by what warrant the abbot claims to have the return of the king's writs touching the abbot's fee of Merskland, and the other by what warrant he claims to have the liberty that he can plead assizes of novel disseisin and of mort d'ancestor within his abbey: the king orders the justices to supersede holding the said pleas before them in the Bench, contrary to the aforesaid grant, or to adjourn them, if they shall see fit in their discretion, before the justices next in eyre in co. York.

By C.

May 7. To the sheriff of Suffolk. Order to cause a coroner for that county to
Stepney. be elected in place of John de Launveye, whom the king has caused to be amoved from office because it is testified before him by John Buttetourte that he is incapacitated for office by infirmity.

The like to the same sheriff for the election of a coroner in place of William de Enge, as it is testified by John de Buttetourte that he is incapacitated by infirmity.

May 9. To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to pay to Robert de
Stepney. Crevequer 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for Easter term last from the issues of the mills and bridge of Chester, in accordance with the king's grant to him, in recompence for his surrender and grant to the king and Queen Eleanor his late consort, of a moiety of the manor of Saham, of the custody of the castle of Bestane, co. Chester, for life, and 100*s.* yearly for the custody thereof and also 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the mills and bridge, one moiety at the quinzaine of Easter, and the other at the quinzaine of Michaelmas.

By the roll.

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*Membrane 13—cont.*May 10.
Stepney.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause William de Hamelton, king's clerk, to have in the chase of Tunbrigg, which is in the king's hands and in Walter's custody, ten oaks good and fit for timber, with all their strippings (*escaetis*), of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

May 11.
Stepney.

To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Floria, late the wife of Peter Mauveysin, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

May 11.
Stepney.

To the same. Whereas the king lately assigned from the lands of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, to William de Bello Campo, late earl of Warwick, who married Maud, the eldest sister and co-heiress of Richard, the manor of Chiriell, co. Wilts, and the manor of Potterespiry, with the park and other appurtenances, excepting 10*l.* 15*s.* 10³/₄*d.* yearly of rent in the same manor; to Robert de Clyfford, kinsman and third heir of Richard, and to Idonia de Leyburn, niece and third heir of Richard, the manor of Cleydon, co. Buckingham, and the manor of Multon, co. Northampton, except 55*s.* 7*d.* of yearly rent in the latter manor; and to Joan la Butelere, the fourth sister and heir of Richard, the manor of Shoppele, co. Southampton, the manor of Fambrigg, co. Essex, and the manor of Shyr' with the hamlet called '*la l'acherie*' and with the park and other appurtenances in co. Surrey, except 14*l.* 11*s.* 0*d.* yearly of rent in the manor of Shyr', as their purparties of Richard's lands, with provision that if Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, kinsman and co-heir of the said Richard, should come to the king's court to demand his purparty of the lands and should complain that William, Maud, Robert, Idonia, and Joan have more than pertains to them in their purparties, the king should cause the purparties to be resumed into his hands and should cause them, together with the purparty falling to Richard de Burgo, to be divided between all the heirs and parceners of the inheritance aforesaid, in accordance with the law and custom of the realm; and Richard de Burgo has now come to the king's court by his attorney and has complained to the king that William, Maud, Robert, Idonia, and Joan have more in their purparties than pertains to them: the king orders the escheator to resume into the king's hands the lands thus assigned to William, Maud, Robert, Idonia, and Joan, and to keep them safely until otherwise ordered, and to warn William, Maud, Idonia, and Joan to be before the king in chancery on the morrow of Holy Trinity next, which day the king has prefixed for Richard, to do and receive in the premises what the king's court shall consider in this behalf.

To the same. Order, as at another time (*alias*), to cause William de Hamelton, the king's clerk, to have in the chase of Tunbrigg, which is in the king's hands and in the escheator's custody, ten oaks good and fit for timber, with all their strippings (*escaetis*), of the king's gift, unless he have previously had them by the king's other writ.

May 12.
Stepney.

To the same. Order to cause Roger de Hevelyngham, son and heir of Maud de Hevelyngham, of co. Essex, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands that his mother held at her death, as the king has taken his homage.

May 13.
Stepney.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of Winchester to have in the forest of Bere ten oaks fit for timber with their strippings (*escaetis*), of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother Walter de Wynterburn.

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*Membrane 13—cont.*May 12.
Stepney.

To the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk. Order to permit Robert son of Roger to have respite during the king's pleasure for all debts due to the exchequer, as the king has granted him this respite wishing to show him special favour, as he is about to set out for the marches of Scotland by the king's order for the defence of those parts.

The like to the sheriffs of Essex, Buckingham and Northumberland.

The like in favour of the following, who are setting out with Robert :

John de Clavinger, addressed to the sheriff of Northampton.

Alexander de Claveryng, addressed to the sheriff of Norfolk.

Edmund de Hemmegrave, addressed to the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk.

Philip de Illeye, addressed to the sheriffs of Lincoln and York.

Hugh Gubiun, addressed to the sheriff of Northumberland.

John de Swynburn.

May 12.
Stepney.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. As the king learns by inquisition taken by Malcolm de Harle, late escheator this side Trent, that Roger de Calston at his death held nothing of the king in chief, but that he held of the king a messuage and two carucates of land in Caleston and Cameresford at fee-farm in socage, rendering therefor to the exchequer 58s. 4d. at Michaelmas for all services, and that he held a knight's fee in Littlecote of Robert de Lond[onia] by knight service: the king orders the escheator to retain in the king's hands the messuage and two carucates, and not to intermeddle further with the knight's fee, which is in the king's hands by reason of Roger's death.

May 14.
Stepney.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause William Inge to be acquitted of the 100s. whereby he made fine with the king for licence to enter a third of the manor of Weston, which is held of the king in chief, as the king has pardoned him this sum. By K.

May 15.
Stepney.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Henry de Shorne, whom the king has caused to be removed from office because he learns by trustworthy testimony that he is incapacitated by infirmity.

May 18.
Stepney

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause John Giffard to have in the king's forest of Menedep sixteen harts, of the king's gift, and to permit him to have his chase to take (*insequendos*) them.

By K. on the information of W. de Bello Campo, steward of the king's household.

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May 16.
Stepney.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to permit the Carmelite Friars of London to fell thirteen oaks fit for timber in the wood of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, at Assherugge, which is within the bounds of the king's wood of Wyndesore, and to permit them to carry them whither they will, as the earl has granted these oaks to them in that wood. By K. on the information of Geoffrey de Genevill.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to respite until 1 (*gulam*) August the demand upon Guy de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, by summons of the exchequer for 180*l.* for the king's use of the debts in which William de Bello Campo, late earl of Warwick, his father, of whom he is the heir, was indebted to the merchants of the society of the Ricardi of Lucca (*Luca*), as the king wishes to show special favour to Guy, who is about to set out in his service for parts beyond sea. By K.

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*Membrane 12—cont.*May 18.
Greenwich.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas the king has appointed and granted to his citizens of Bayonne the money arising from his custom of wool, wool-fells, and hides in Ireland going to parts beyond sea, to be collected and received by some of themselves by the view and testimony of some clerks deputed or to be deputed by the said treasurer and barons, from Whitsuntide next until they shall have received a debt in which the king is bound to them in full from that custom: the king orders the said treasurer and barons to cause Arnald Gars[ie] Dyhaunce, Stephen Dubrok, and Bernard de Monte Acuto, citizens of the aforesaid city, and certain other of their fellow citizens whom they shall nominate, to be appointed by the king's writs under the seal of that exchequer, to wit one of them in each port, to receive the aforesaid custom in the said ports until otherwise ordered by the king. It is provided that the said citizens shall account for and be charged yearly with the custom before the said treasurer and barons at the exchequer in the presence of the aforesaid clerks and by rolls to be made between them and the clerks [in the manner of an] indenture, so that the said treasurer and barons may certify the king as to the total of the money that the said citizens shall receive from the custom.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.

To the receiver of the custom of wool, wool-fells, and hides crossing from the port of London. Whereas the king has appointed John Dolloron, citizen of Bayonne, to receive the money arising from that custom in the aforesaid port and to keep the second part of the king's seal called 'coket,' from Whitsuntide next until he shall have received thence a debt in which the king is indebted to him and his fellow-citizens of Bayonne, as is contained in the king's letters patent in his possession: the king orders the receiver to deliver the part of the said seal in his custody to John, and to permit him to receive the custom from the said feast, so that he may answer therefor to the king in full.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.

The like to the receiver of the said custom in each of the following ports:

Newcastle-on-Tyne, in favour of Peter de Bygnau.

Boston, in favour of Peter de Sancto Paulo.

Hul, in favour of Thomas de Langar.

Southampton, in favour of Arnald de la Cornere.

Lynn, in favour of Arnald de Bysanden.

Sandwich, in favour of Menaldus de Rybere.

Yarmouth, in favour of James de Lesbay.

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Cranbrook.

Wynchelse, in favour of Peter de Fraunce.

Ipswich, in favour of John de Norton.

Weymouth, in favour of Berdottus del Hospitau.

Bristol, in favour of William Arn[aldi] de Fargous.

To Aubrey de Fiscampo, keeper of the custom of wool, wool-fells and hides crossing from the port of London. Whereas the king has appointed the aforesaid John Dolloron to receive the money from the custom in that port as above by Aubrey's view and testimony and to keep the second half of the aforesaid seal, on condition that he shall answer for the receipt of the said custom by Aubrey and by rolls to be made between them in the manner of an indenture as often and whenever he shall be summoned by the king to do so, as contained in the king's letters patent: the king orders Aubrey to intend doing the premises with the said John.

The like to the keeper of the custom in each of the aforesaid ports.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.

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May 23.
Canterbury. To Walter de Bello Campo, constable of Gloucester castle. Order to cause the houses and bretasches (*britachia*) of the tower and castle and the king's weirs in the Severn pertaining to the castle to be repaired.
By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.
- May 18.
Greenwich. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John de Maundevill, son and heir of John de Maundevill, tenant in chief, to be acquitted of the scutage for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery that John de Maundevill, the son, was then a minor in his wardship. It is provided that the scutage of the knights' fees that were then held of John shall be levied for the king's use.
- May 23.
Canterbury. To the same. Order to acquit the aforesaid John of the scutage for two knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as he was with the king by his order in that army for the service of two knights' fees that he then recognised to him, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his Marshalsea.
- May 17.
Stepney. To Master Richard de Havering', escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with two bovates and $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in Wylton and Gouthorp, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of John Ughtred's death, as the king learns by inquisition taken by John de Lythegraynes, late escheator beyond Trent, that the said John, tenant of the king as of the honour of Albemarle, in the king's hands, held the aforesaid land of the archbishop of York, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition that John held of him elsewhere as of the crown, for which reason the custody of his lands cannot at present pertain to the king.
- May 24.
Canterbury. To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the abbot of Westminster to have in the king's wood of Bokholt, which is within the bounds of the forest of Pambere, forty oaks and another forty oaks elsewhere within the same forest fit for timber, of the king's gift, for the rebuilding and repair of the houses in the abbey lately burnt by misfortune.
By K.
- May 26.
Canterbury. To the sheriff of Devon. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Robert de Crues, whom the king has caused to be removed from office because he is insufficiently qualified.
- May 26.
Canterbury. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to respite, as the treasurer has enjoined upon them by word of mouth, the demand made upon Guy de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, who is about to set out in the king's service for parts beyond sea, for 180*l.* for the king's use of the debts wherein William de Bello Campo, late earl of Warwick, his father, of whom he is the heir, was indebted to the merchants of the society of the Ricardi of Lucca (*Luca*).
By K.
- May 26.
Canterbury. To John de Kyngeston, constable of Edenburgh castle. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Floria, late the wife of Alan de Cantilupo, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.
- May 27.
Canterbury. To John le Clerk of La Vynetrie. Whereas the king learns that the city of London is deprived of the coroner by the death of Matthew de Columbariis, late chamberlain of London, to whom the office of coroner in the city belonged by reason of the chamberlainship aforesaid, and that

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John had office under Matthew by the king's licence; the king, trusting in John's fidelity and diligence, commits the office to him during pleasure, and orders him to execute what pertains to the office as he has been wont to do hitherto until further orders.

May 27.
Canterbury.

To Richard de Graveneye, keeper of the king's manor of Middelton. Whereas the king is indebted to Ralph de Sandwico, constable of the Tower of London, in a sum of money for the expenses of John de Balliolo, who is in his custody in the Tower, heretofore incurred and to be hereafter incurred until Michaelmas next, wherefore he has assigned to him 111*l.* from Richard's ferm for that manor for Michaelmas next: the king orders Ralph to pay the said sum to Ralph for that term.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.

May 28.
Canterbury.

To the king's bailiffs of the Hundred without the Northgate of Oxford. Order to pay from their ferm for that Hundred to Robert de Cruequer 10*l.* for Michaelmas last, of the 20*l.* yearly that the king granted to him for life from the ferm of the Hundred for the release of the manor of Ditton that he made to the king and Queen Eleanor, his late consort.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Henry de Shorne, whom the king has caused to be removed from office because it is testified before him by the sheriff that he is incapacitated by infirmity.

May 28.
Canterbury.

To Philip de Verleye, keeper of the town of Berewyk-on-Tweed. Whereas the king has granted to William de Gulyn, goldsmith, his houses and other tenements that he had before the day of the taking of the town from the Scots, to be held by him in the same form as on that day: the king orders Philip to cause him to have the same estate in the houses and tenements as he had before the aforesaid day.

By K. on the information of the bishop of Durham.

May 28.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Richard Curleu, if he is insufficiently qualified, as the king learns that he is.

June 4.
Dover.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to respite until the return of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, the demand made upon the prior and monks of Pontefract for 180*l.* 11*s.* 3*d.* for the issues of their house because they did not make fine with the king as other men of religion in England of the power of the king of France did, as the earl, who has gone to parts beyond sea in the king's service, has given the king to understand that the prior and all the monks are natives drawing their origin from the realm, and that no alien has dwelt among them under the regular habit for a long time, and the king wishes to be certified concerning this.

By K.

[Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 804.]

June 5.
Dover.

Alexander de Balliolo, who is setting out in the king's service for Scotland, has letters to respite his debts directed to the sheriffs of Kent, Hertford, and Essex, for all debts due to the exchequer.

By K.

June 10.
Dover.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to respite until the quinzaine of Michaelmas next the demand upon the warden and brethren of St. Katherine's Hospital without the Tower, London, for

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27*l.* 2*s.* 2½*d.* by reason of certain lands that belonged to Reginald de Cornhull, the elder, deceased, who was indebted to the king at the exchequer at his death in divers sums, which lands are in the hands of the warden and brethren.

By K. at the instance of the earl of Lancaster, on the information of J. de Benstede.

The like to the sheriff of Kent.

June 11.
Dover.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Margery, late the wife of Thomas de Merton, tenant in chief, the following of the lands of the said Thomas, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a messuage in Sottecumbe, which is extended at 12*d.* yearly; 40 acres of arable land in the same town, whereof each acre is extended at 1*d.* yearly; 20 acres of pasture in the same town, whereof each acre is extended at 1*d.* yearly; 4 acres of meadow in the same town, whereof each acre is extended at 6*d.* yearly; 33*s.* 4*d.* yearly of rent from five free tenants in that town; 17*s.* 4*d.* yearly of rent from nine villeins in the same town; a mill in the same town, which is extended at 10*s.* yearly; the pleas and perquisites of the court there, which are extended at 2*s.* yearly; a messuage with garden and other appurtenances in Toriton, which is extended at 4*s.* yearly; 40 acres of arable land in the same town, whereof each acre is extended at 1*d.* yearly; 30 acres of pasture in the same town, whereof each acre is extended at 1*d.* yearly; 3 acres of meadow in the same town, whereof each acre is extended at 6*d.* yearly; 40 acres of wood in the same town, which are extended at 2*s.* yearly; 66*s.* 10*d.* of yearly rent from twelve free tenants in the same town; 18*s.* 3*d.* of yearly rent from three villeins in the same town; the pleas and perquisites of the court there, which are extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; and 35*s.* 4*d.* of rent in Lyw.

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June 13.
St. Radigund's

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to pay to the abbot and convent of St. Werburgh's, Chester, 6 marks yearly and the arrears thereof from 23 [March], in the twelfth year of the reign, when the king granted to them, in recompence for the tithes of the demesnes of his manor of Frodesham, which they had of the gift of former earls of Chester and which are estimated at 6 marks yearly, which they released to the abbot and convent of Vale Royal, who have the church of Frodesham for their own uses.

Memorandum, that John de Langeton, the king's chancellor, arrived in the port of Dover on 11 June, on his return from the Roman court, and that on the sixteenth of the said month the king delivered his seal in his chamber at Wy, co. Kent, to the chancellor, who on the same day sealed writs therewith.

May 8.
Stepney.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his place. Order to commit to John de Benteleye, the king's yeoman, some suitable office or bailiwick during the king's will, as he has served the king well and faithfully in Ireland and elsewhere, for which the king justly commends him, for which reason the king at another time ordered William de Vescy, then justiciary of Ireland, to commit to John some office or bailiwick in which he might further the king's interest (*nobis locum tenere*) and profit himself, and William did nothing in the matter as the king learns from John's complaint, and the king considers that John might profit him if he remained in his service.

By K. and pet. of C.

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*Membrane 11—cont.*June 19.
Smarden.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to permit Edmund, earl of Cornwall, to use and enjoy before them in the exchequer the liberties that he and Richard, late king of Almain, his father, have heretofore used, until otherwise ordered.

June 19.
Smarden.

To the same. Order to cause to be allowed to Roger Lestrange in the debts due from him to the exchequer the arrears of his fee for the time when he was justice of the Forest this side Trent.

June 19.
Smarden.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to restore to Maud, late the wife of William de Bello Campo, late earl of Warwick, Robert de Clyfford, Idonia de Leyburn, and Joan la Botillere, co-heirs and parceners of the inheritance of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, the purparties of that inheritance lately assigned to them by the king, which the king lately ordered the escheator to take into the king's hands, and to restore to them the issues received from the purparties, notwithstanding the king's said order, which was made on the complaint of Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, one of the heirs and parceners of the inheritance, that Maud and the others named above had received more in their purparties than they ought to have.

June 20.
Cranbrook.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Humphrey de Bouhun, earl of Hereford and Essex, has shown the king that whereas he ought to have the first seisin of the manor of Brenteles and of the lands of Crantesseby (*sic*), which John Gyffard held at his death of the earl within his liberty of Brekenok, and that the earl's ancestors were always wont to have such seisin of the lands aforesaid by reason of their lordship and of the liberty aforesaid after the death of John's ancestors, so that the king's escheators or other ministers were not wont to enter that manor or the lands aforesaid after the death of any of the tenants, even if the tenants held elsewhere of the king in chief, and that the escheator has nevertheless entered the manor and lands and taken them into the king's hands by reason of John's death, and has ejected the earl's ministers who had entered the manor and lands by reason of the lordship and liberty aforesaid: the king orders the escheator not to do anything else in the manor and lands otherwise on the present occasion that was wont to be done heretofore after the death of John's ancestors, tenants thereof.

June 23.
Uckfield.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted to William de Fyenles all his lands in England, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the war between the king and the king of France, to hold during the truce between the two kings, and order to cause the lands to be delivered to William, together with the goods therein up to the value of the goods found therein on the day when the king caused the lands to be taken into his hands.

June 25.
Lewes.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king wills that Margaret, late the wife of John Gyffard, tenant in chief, shall be preferred to others in buying the wardship during the heir's minority of the lands that are in the king's hands by reason of John's death and that are of John's own inheritance, and of the marriage of his son and heir and the custody of the castle of Brymmesfeld: the king orders the escheator to sell to her, by the assent of the attorneys of the count of Barr, who are to be warned by the escheator, if they wish to be present, the custody of the lands and castle aforesaid and the marriage of the heir, or at least the custody of the castle and the marriage, if she be

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unable to find security for the said custody and wardship and for the whole residue, as shall be best agreed upon between him and her and in accordance with the form that he has from the king for selling such wardships and marriages up to a certain sum for the use of the count. It is provided that she shall have, after the commission of the castle to her, the custody of the prisoners in the castle and shall answer for them, and the escheator shall fix (*apponatis*) security for keeping the said prisoners in the meantime.

June 23.
Uckfield
(Uckestede).

To the same. Order to cause John, son and heir of Nicholas le Waleys, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator, as appears to the king by the proof returned into chancery.

June 25.
Lewes.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of Robert de Ufford, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

June 25.
Lewes.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to the aforesaid Joan a third of three quarters of a knight's fee in Stoutton, which third John de Holebrok, the elder, holds and which is extended at 20s., as the king has assigned this third to her as her dower of Robert's knights' fees.

To the same. Order to deliver to her the advowson of the church of Ufford, which is extended at 10 marks, as the king has assigned it to her as her dower of Robert's advowsons of churches.

June 25.
Lewes.

To the same. Whereas John Gyffard of Brimnesfeld acknowledged by a fine levied in the king's court before Thomas de Weyland and his fellows, then justices of the Bench, that the manors of Moniton and Dilewe and the advowson of the church of Moniton were the right of Richard de Emneberewe, and Richard granted, for this acknowledgment, the manors and advowson to John, to hold for life of the chief lords of the fee by the services thereto appertaining, with remainder to Nicholas de Audeleye and Katharine, his wife, and to the heirs that Nicholas should beget upon her, to hold of the chief lords of the fee by the services pertaining thereto, as appears by inspection of the fine; the escheator, having no consideration for the form of the fine, has taken the manors into the king's hands by reason of John's death, as if he had died seised thereof in his demesne as of fee, and detains them from Nicholas and Katharine, to their damage and contrary to the fine: the king, being unwilling to injure Nicholas and Katharine in this behalf, orders the escheator to cause the manors to be delivered to them, with everything received from them since they were taken into the king's hands, if they were taken into his hands solely for this reason.

June 29.
Petworth
(Putworth)

To John de London[ia], constable of Wyndesore castle. Order to cause the abbot of Westminster to have eight bucks for the twenty-sixth year of the king's reign and eight for the present year, in accordance with the late king's charter, which the king has confirmed, granting to God and St. Peter's church and the abbot of Westminster, eight bucks yearly, to be taken at the king's cost in the forest of Wyndesore by the hands of the constable for the time being, and to be carried by the constable to Westminster on the eve of St. Peter ad Vincula, so that those who carry the venison thither shall make yearly two (*meneias*) before the great altar of St. Peter there. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 804.]

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To Adam de Rokesle, the chamberlain. Order to cause the monks of St. Peter's, Westminster, to have a tun of wine of the king's right prise at London for the present year, in accordance with the late king's grant to them of a tun of wine yearly, to be received from the said prise yearly on the morrow of St. Botolph by the hands of his chamberlain at London, for the celebration of divine service in their church, as one tun is in arrear for the present year, as they say.

June 27.
Arundel.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to permit Robert de Nevill and John, his brother, who are about to incept at Oxford in the liberal arts, to take and have six bucks in the king's forest of Bernewode, which bucks the king has granted to them for their inception, to be taken by themselves or by others whom they shall depute for this purpose.

June 26.
Bramber.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Geoffrey de Gienvill, who is intending the king's affairs in parts beyond sea by his order, to have respite until All Saints next for all debts due to the exchequer, as the king has granted to him such respite.

The like in his favour to the sheriffs of Salop, Norfolk, Hertford, and Wilts.

June 25.
Lewes.

William Gymelyn, imprisoned at Launceveton for the death of Baldwin son of John de Kylon, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Cornwall to bail him until the first assize.

July 8.
Canterbury.

To Robert de Burghersshe, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to deliver to William de Fyenles his liberty in the aforesaid ports, which the king caused to be taken into his hands by reason of the late war between him and the king of France, to be held during the truce lately taken between the two kings, as the king has granted to William during the truce all his lands in England, which were taken into his hands by reason of the war.

July 9.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to cause to be replevied to Agnes de Valencia until the next parliament her manor of Shelford, which the sheriff lately took into the king's hands by order of the justices then in eyre in that county, because she entered the manor, which is held of the king by serjeanty, without the king's licence, and also her liberties in the manor, which were likewise taken into the king's hands by order of the said justices by reason of her default before them.

To Walter de Glouc[estria]. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Richard de Arcey, or with the issues thereof received by him, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by Walter that Richard at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

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July 11.
Canterbury.

To the same. Order to deliver to Margaret, late the wife of Hugh de Braunteston, tenant in chief, the manors of Redenhale, co. Norfolk, and Yatingden, co. Berks, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of Hugh's death, and to restore to her the issues received thence since they were taken into the king's hands, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator concerning Hugh's lands that Hugh and

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Margaret were jointly enfeofed of the manor of Redenhale by Bartholomew de Yatingden, her father, to hold to them and to the heirs begotten on Margaret or to her other heirs if she had no issue by Hugh, of the king and his heirs by the service of two knights' fees, and that they were jointly enfeofed of a moiety of the manor of Yatingden by Ralph de Knyveton and Eleanor, his wife, which moiety is held of the heir of Roger de Somery, tenant in chief, who is a minor in the king's wardship, by the service of a moiety of a knight's fee, and that Hugh and Margaret held jointly the other moiety of that manor of Margaret's inheritance of the aforesaid heir by the service of a moiety of a knight's fee, and that Hugh and Margaret were jointly seised of the said manors on the day of Hugh's death, and the king has taken her fealty for them.

To the same. Like order concerning the manor of Lapworth, co. Warwick, as the king learns by the aforesaid inquisition that Hugh and Margaret held the manor jointly of the feoffment of Master Henry de Braundeston of Thomas, earl of Lancaster, as of the honour of Leicester by the service of a moiety of a knight's fee, and that Hugh and Margaret were jointly seised of the manor on the day of Hugh's death.

To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to the said Margaret, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

July 11.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Whereas the king learns from the complaint of merchants of John, duke of Brabant, that the sheriff has arrested their money and the wool brought by them into the realm, for which they had paid before the proclamation of the ordinance made by the king and the common council of the realm that no one should bring bad money into the realm or should sell or demise to anyone wool or certain other merchandise except for good and lawful money, as contained in the ordinance: the king, being unwilling to aggrieve the merchants unduly, orders the sheriff to cause their money and wool arrested by him elsewhere than in a port or place where ships arrive (*ubi est rivagium*) to be delivered to the said merchants to make their advantage thereof, according to the form of the ordinance, provided that they pay the due and accustomed custom thereon.

The like to the sheriffs of Nottingham, Northampton, Leicester, and to the mayor and sheriffs of London.

The like in favour of merchants of Flanders, '*de verbo ad verbum*,' to the mayor and sheriffs of London and to the other sheriffs as above.

July 12.
Canterbury.

To John de London[ia], constable of Windesore castle. Order to pay to two chaplains celebrating divine service in the chapel of the castle 50s. each yearly; to Roger de Wyndesore, janitor of both gates of the castle, 4d. a day; to Thomas Burnel, one of the viewers of the king's works in the constable's bailiwick, 2d. a day; to Roger de Wyndesore, the second viewer of the works, 2d. a day; to Master John de London[ia], clerk of the king's works aforesaid, 2d. a day; to four watchmen of the castle, 2d. a day each; to Adam the gardener of the king's garden without the castle, 2½d. a day; to John de Bathon[ia], janitor of the king's park of Windesore and keeper of the king's houses there, 4d. a day; to Robert de Say, chief forester of Windsor forest, 12d. a day; and to William, the parker of the king's park of Kenyton, 1½d. a day, being their wages and stipends, from Michaelmas last until next Michaelmas.

July 12.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John de Staundon, deceased. By the chancellor.

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Canterbury.

To John de Balliolo. Order to come to the king at Canterbury immediately upon sight of these letters to have conference (*colloquium*) with the king upon certain affairs.

To Ralph de Sandwyco, constable of the Tower of London. Order to bring (*adducatis*) John de Balliolo to the king at Canterbury with one knight, as the king has ordered John to come to him as above, and to announce John's coming to the king when he shall approach Canterbury, so that the king may send out some men to meet him with whom he may more beseemingly (*decencius*) come. If John refuse to come to the king forthwith, Ralph shall nevertheless bring him.

July 16.
Canterbury.

To the constable of Corf castle. Order to cause William de Anegos and Gilbert Macristi, Scotch yeoman, captured and imprisoned in that castle, to be delivered to the sheriff of Dorset, in order that they may be taken to York to be delivered to the sheriff of that place, so that they shall be there before St. Peter ad Vincula at the latest.

To the sheriff of Dorset. Order to receive the said William and Gilbert, and to cause them to be taken to York, there to be delivered to the sheriff, whom the king has ordered to receive them.

To the constable of Kenlingworth. Like order to cause Reginald le Chen, a Scotch yeoman, imprisoned in that castle, to be delivered to the sheriff of Warwick to be taken to York.

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff of Warwick.

To John Butteturte, constable of Gloucester castle. Like order to cause Henry de Seintclerk, a Scotch knight, imprisoned in that castle, to be delivered to the sheriff of Gloucester in order to be taken to York.

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff of Gloucester.

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Canterbury.

To Ralph de Sandwico, constable of the Tower of London. Order to deliver John de Moubray, knight, a Scot, imprisoned in the Tower, to Robert le Conestable of Fleyinburgh, as Robert has mainperned before the king, under pain of forfeiture of his lands and all his goods that he holds of the king and of other lords in the realm, to bring John safely to York, there to be delivered to the sheriff, as the king has enjoined upon him.

To the constable of Rochester castle. Order to deliver John de Curry, knight, a Scot, imprisoned in that castle to the sheriff of Kent, in order to be taken to York and there delivered to the sheriff of that place.

Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff of Kent.

July 16.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of York. Order to receive John de Moubray, knight, from Robert le Conestable of Fleyinburgh, Henry de Seintclerk, knight, from the sheriff of Gloucester, John de Curry, knight, from the sheriff of Kent, Reginald le Chen, yeoman, from the sheriff of Warwick, William de Anegos and Gilbert Maccristi, yeomen, from the sheriff of Dorset, and to keep them safely until H. archbishop of York, A. bishop of Durham, and W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, H. de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, Patrick de Dumbar, earl of March, Gilbert de Umframvill, earl of Anegos, John Wake, Henry de Percy, William le Latimer, Robert de Clyfford, Ralph son of William, and Simon Fresel shall otherwise ordain concerning their liberation and until the sheriff shall receive orders from them what ought to be done herein.

July 16.
Canterbury.

To the collectors of the new custom at Sandwich. Whereas the king lately granted to his barons of the Cinque Ports all the goods and chattels

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of the Scots, his enemies and rebels, that they might acquire at sea from the Scots: the king orders the collectors to deliver to the barons to make their advantage thereof, in accordance with the ordinance lately made by the king and the common council of the realm concerning the sale of wool, hides and wool-fells, the wool, hides and other goods and chattels thus acquired by the barons and arrested by the collectors at Sandwich.

July 17.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to cause to be replevied to Joan de Valencia, countess of Pembroke, until the quinzaine of Michaelmas next her liberty of Trumpeton, which was taken into the king's hands by order of John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre in that county, for a default, so that there may then be done what the king shall cause to be ordained by his council.

July 17.
Canterbury

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king, on 23 June last, granted to William de Fyenles all his lands in England, which had been taken into the king's hands by reason of the war between him and the king of France, to hold during the truce entered into between the two kings, and ordered the treasurer and barons to cause the lands to be delivered to William, with the goods therein up to the value of the goods found therein when the lands were taken into the king's hands, and it was and is the king's intention that William shall have all the issues and profits of the lands from the said day: the king orders them to permit William to receive and have the issues and profits of the lands from that day.

July 17.
Canterbury.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause Hugelin Reyner, of the society of merchants of Siena, to be delivered from prison without delay, and to cause him to have letters patent of pardon under the king's seal of Ireland, as the king, at the instance of Reginald, bishop of Vicenza (*Vincentini*), the pope's envoy, has pardoned Hugelin the trespass that he is said to have committed in causing certain men of Ireland to be summoned outside the king's realm and power by the authority of papal letters, contrary to the custom hitherto used in the king's realm and in his land of Ireland, and to the prejudice and injury of his royal dignity, on condition that Hugelin shall stand to right in the king's court if any one wish to speak against him concerning the said trespass, for which he is imprisoned. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, p. 807.]

July 15.
Canterbury.

To W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer. Whereas the king has caused A. bishop of Durham, H. earl of Lincoln, and Henry de Percy to be sent to York, so that they shall be there on the feast of St. Peter ad Vincula, to ordain together with the treasurer and with the archbishop of York and with Patrick de Dumbar, earl of March, Gilbert de Umframvill, earl of Anegos, John Wak, Robert son of Roger, William le Latimer, Robert de Clyfford, Ralph son of William, and Simon Fresel, whom the king has ordered by his letters patents to be there present then in person, concerning the garrisons (*municionibus*) of the king's castles in Scotland and the keeping of the Marches of Scotland: the king orders the treasurer to proceed to ordain and execute the premises as shall be expedient with the archbishop and the others named above. The king has ordered the constables of his castles of Edenburgh, Rokesburgh, Jedeworth, Berewyk, and the keeper of the latter town to come to the treasurer at the said day and place as simply and privately as they can to hear and do what shall be enjoined upon them by the treasurer and the others on the king's behalf, leaving in the said castles and places good garrisons. The king wills that

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the treasurer and the others shall look round and see in what places near to the Marches the king can most conveniently stay in the coming winter, if it happen that he shall then come to those parts.

To Patrick de Dumbar, earl of March. Order to be present at the aforesaid day and place with the said archbishop and the others to ordain and execute the premises as shall be expedient.

The like to Gilbert de Umframvill, earl of Anegos, John Wak, William le Latimer, Robert de Clyfford, Ralph son of William, Simon Fresel, and Robert son of Roger.

July 15.
Canterbury.

To John de Kyngeston, constable of Edenburgh castle. Order to be present in person at the aforesaid day and place before the said archbishop and the others to hear and do what shall be enjoined upon him by them on the king's behalf, proceeding thither as simply and privately as possible, leaving good garrisons in the said castle and the other places committed to him.

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Canterbury.

The like to the following :

Robert de Hasteng', constable of Rokesburgh castle.

Richard de Hasteng', constable of Jedeworth castle.

John Burdon, constable of Berwick castle.

Philip de Vernail, keeper of the town of Berwick.

July 16.
Canterbury.

To John Burdon, constable of the castle of Berwick-on-Tweed. Order to do concerning the release of Arthur de Dunone and William de Catekart, knights, and their two yeomen, Scots imprisoned in that castle, what Henry, archbishop of York, A. bishop of Durham, W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer, H. earl of Lincoln, G. de Umframvill, earl of Anegos, Patrick de Dumbar, earl of March, John Wake, Henry de Percy, William le Latimer, Robert de Clyfford, Ralph son of William, and Simon Fresel shall ordain and cause to be intimated to him on the king's behalf.

July 20.
Ospringe.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Christiana, late the wife of Nicholas de Meynill, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

July 20.
Ospringe.

To the bailiffs and men of Yarmouth. Whereas the king by reason of the contentions and disputes between the bailiffs and men, on the one part, and the men of the Cinque Ports, on the other, concerning which both parties submitted themselves to the king's award (*dicto*) and will, took into his hands the liberties that the man of the Cinque Ports had in that town before the disputes arose, and he has now, by the will and assent of the bailiffs and men, granted the liberties to the said men of the Cinque Ports, to hold in the same form as they held them before the disputes arose, until the king shall cause it to be otherwise ordained : the king orders the bailiffs and men to permit the men of the Cinque Ports to enjoy the liberties without hindrance in form aforesaid, saving any contentious matters that there may be in this behalf.

July 18.
Canterbury.

To the keeper of the king's park of Gyldeford. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of Gyldeford to have in that park six leafless oak-stumps (*robora*) for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Nicholas Malemayns.

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July 20.
Ospringe.

To Ralph de Sandwyco, constable of the Tower of London. As it is intimated to the king on behalf of the abbot of Lulleshull that a part of his land in the parish of St. Olave, London, near the Tower has been occupied from the time when the king caused the ditch of the Tower to be made until now by earth raised from the ditch and thrown upon the said land and it is now, as it is said, cleared (*evacuata*) thereof: the king orders the constable to permit the abbot to enter his said land when it has been cleared of the king's earth and to hold it as he held it before the occupation aforesaid, saving the right of everyone.

July 21.
Chilton.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Nicholas de Meynill, son and heir of Nicholas de Meynill, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father at his death was seised in his demesne as of fee, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Nicholas, the father, at his death held of the king the manor of Castel Levynton, and that Christiana, late his wife, was jointly enfeoffed thereof with him, to hold to them and to the heirs of Nicholas of the king by the service of finding a serjeant on horseback in the king's army for forty days at their cost, and that he held his other manors of the archbishopric of Canterbury, and the king has taken the homage of Nicholas the son for the said manor; saving the right of others and any relief that may be due to the king.

To the same. Order to take from the aforesaid Christiana her fealty for the manor of Castel Levynton, and to deliver to her the manor, which he took into the king's hands by reason of Nicholas's death, as the king learns by inquisition that she was jointly enfeoffed thereof (*as in preceding*).

July 16.
Canterbury.

To Guy de la Marche, the king's cousin. Whereas it is contained in the truce (*suffrance*) between the king of France and the king that all things taken (*touz les pris*) from both parties shall be delivered by security (*soient oustages*) by the award, knowledge, and will of two knights to be appointed for this purpose, and the king of France will not receive pledges or mainpernors in this matter except from those who are of his obedience and lordship, it behoves the king to request his friends who are of the power of the king of France to mainpern or become pledges for those of England who are in the king of France's prison; the king therefore requests Guy, as his cousin and as one in whom he trusts, to mainpern or become pledge for those whom Geoffrey de Gienvill and David le Graunt, the king's clerk, or one of them, shall make known to him, and to secure (*purchaser*) all the friends that he can to mainpern or become pledges with him in the form and manner that Geoffrey and David, or one of them, shall require on the king's behalf. In regard to the surety that Guy and his friends shall enter into, the king sends to him letters obligatory [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 27 Ed. I, p. 427] binding himself to make good (*garder*) the damage to Guy and them as the matter shall require. He is desired to certify the king by his letters of what it shall please him to do in this matter. *French.*

The like to the following:

Sir Guy, vicomte de Tuart.

Sir Geoffrey de Lozinan (*sic*).

Sir William de Chamguy.

Sir William Lercevesque.

The lord of Parteneye.

Sir Amaury de Craoun, the king's cousin.

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Sir Arthur, the eldest son of the duke of Brittany, the king's nephew.

Sir John de Pynkeny, vidame of Amiens.

Sir William de Fyenles.

Sir William de la Plaunche.

Sir Maurice de Beleville.

Sir Amaury Bechet.

Sir Guy de Bauzay.

Sir Walter de Gienvill.

Sir John de Gienvill.

Sir John, lord of Harecurt.

Sir Robert de Stotewill.

July 21.
Chilton.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to deliver to William de Ros, the king's fiddler (*violator*), the chattels that Wyot le Keu stole from him and that were found upon Wyot with other goods and chattels on the day when [he was arrested] at Cambridge for the robbery and for other felonies charged upon him, whereof he was afterwards convicted before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices then in eyre in that county, and for which he was hanged by consideration of the said court, which goods and chattels are appraised at 6 marks 12s. 8d., as the king has granted them to William. By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

July 23.
Chilton.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver the manor of Braunteston and three virgates of land in the same town, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Hugh de Braunteston, to Thomas de Cammwill, saving the king's right and the rights of others and saving to Margaret, late the wife of Hugh, her dower thereof, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Hugh held the manor and land of Thomas by the service of a tenth of a knight's fee, and it does not appear by the inquisition that Hugh at his death held anything of the king in chief except the manor of Redenhale, co. Norfolk, whereof Hugh and Margaret were jointly enfeoffed by Bartholomew de Yatyngden, Margaret's father, to hold to them and the heirs begotten on Margaret, or to her other heirs in case she had no issue by Hugh, of the king and his heirs by the service of two knights' fees.

June 24.
Lewes.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to restore to the attorney of Guy Bertaldi and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Spini of Florence dwelling in London, the 200 marks of their money arrested at Boston in the hands of Bona Artimisi of Florence as forfeited to the king by reason of an ordinance lately made concerning common money current in the realm, as John de Langeton, the chancellor, and William de Hamelton, the king's clerk, have mainperned before the king for the said merchants to pay the aforesaid 200 marks into the king's wardrobe at St. Peter ad Vincula next if it be found in the meantime by lawful inquisition to be made by the king or by other lawful means that the money was brought into England after the proclamation of the said ordinance, so that it ought to pertain to the king.

[Cancelled.]

It was afterwards found by an inquisition taken before John Bek[ingham] and Lambert de Trykingham that the said 200 marks were never brought into England by Guy or any member of the said society, as appears below, for which reason this letter loses its effect (viribus suis caret).

July 30.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of Oxford to have in the forest of Wychewode ten leafless oak-stumps (*robora*) for fuel, of the king's gift. By K.

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Membrane 9—cont.

July 30.
Westminster.

To Hugh de Bussy, escheator in co. Chester. Order to cause Urian, son and heir of John de Sancto Petro, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

July 30.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause the aforesaid Urian to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief and of the lands that he held of John de Balliolo, which are in the king's hands because the lands that belonged to John de Balliolo are in the king's hands by his forfeiture, as Urian has proved his age before the aforesaid Hugh and the king has taken his homage for the lands that his father held of the king in chief and his fealty for the lands that his father held of John de Balliolo.

The like to the sheriff of Huntingdon.

July 30.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Minors of Oxford to have in the forest of Wychewode ten leafless oak-stumps (*robora folia non portancia*) for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K.

July 30.
Westminster.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Alexander de Ribbeton, son and heir of Thomas de Ribbeton, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before John de Lythe[gr]eynes], late escheator beyond Trent, and the king has taken his homage.

Aug. 1.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justices of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Roger Lestraunge to have in the forest of Whichewode eight bucks, of the king's gift.

By K.

Aug. 1.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margaret, late the wife of John Gyffard of Brymmesfeld, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Aug. 8.
Kempston
(Kenington).

To Richard de Graveney, the king's chamberlain of Middelton. Order to cause Robert de Rideware, envoy of Edward, the king's son, to have in the king's wood of Castaneis of Middelton four of the best chestnut trees near the king's highway (*stratam*) from Newenton to Sidingburn, to wit two on one side of the street and two on the other, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Edmund de Wilton.

MEMBRANE 8.

Aug. 2.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Buckingham. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John de Bylendon, as the king learns by trustworthy testimony that he has no lands in the county to qualify him.

Aug. 1.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Walter le Butiller, who is insufficiently qualified.

Aug. 2.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Buckingham. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Maurice de Pythelesthorn, deceased.

Aug. 2.
Westminster.

To the keepers of the port of Dover. Whereas the keepers have arrested by virtue of the king's ordinance against bringing false money into the realm 50s. from Friar Richard de Hibernia and 40s. from Friar John de Hibernia, of the Minorite order, of the aforesaid money, and the king,

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out of reverence for God and for St. Francis, has granted the money to the said friars: he orders the keepers to release the money from arrest and to cause it to be restored to the brethren or their attorney. By K.

Aug. 2. To the keeper of the forest of Asshedon. Order to cause Otto de
Westminster. Grandi Sono to have in that forest six bucks, of the king's gift. By K.
The like to the bailiff of Tonebrigg for six bucks in the king's chace
of Tonebrigg. By K.

Aug. 2. To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause restitution to be made to Guy
Westminster. Bertaldi and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Spini, of the
200 marks of Pollards and other such moneys that were lately arrested in
their hands at Boston by the sheriff, as forfeited to the king by reason of
the king's ordinance against the bringing of such money into the realm,
as if the money had been brought into the realm after the publication of
the ordinance, as it appears to the king by an inquisition taken by John
Bek[ingham] and Lambert de Trikingham that the said money was never
brought into England by Guy or any of the society, but was deposited by
the abbot of Bruern (*Bruera*) in March last, by reason of an agreement
between him and the merchants, in the custody of Master Giffred de
Vezano, until it should be decided by arbitration whether the money ought
to remain to the abbot or the merchants, and that it was at length
delivered to the merchants by the arbitration, for which reason it cannot
be forfeited to the king under pretext of the said ordinance.

Aug. 2. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Hugh
Westminster. de Nevill, son and heir of John de Nevill, tenant in chief, to be acquitted
of 60s. exacted from him for [scutage for] the king's army of Wales in
the tenth year of his reign, as he was a minor in the king's wardship
when the king was in Wales in his army in that year, as appears to the
king by inspection of the rolls of chancery. It is provided that the scutage
shall be levied for the king's use from the knights' fees that were held of
John in that year.

To the same. Order to cause the said Hugh to be acquitted of the
scutage exacted from him for one and a half knights' fees for the king's
army of Wales in the fifth year of the reign, as John, his father, had his
service with the king in that army for one and a half knights' fees, which
he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by the inspection
of his rolls of the Marshalsea.

Aug. 2. To the bailiffs of Bristol. Whereas the king lately, because they
Westminster. arrested a certain sum of money belonging to Arnald the smith, a
merchant of Gascony, who was passing through that town with the money,
ordered them to certify him of the cause of the arrest, and they have
signified to him that they understood that Arnald had come with
that money from parts beyond sea to that town, for which reason
they caused it to be examined, in accordance with the form of the
king's late ordinance that no one should bring any false money into
the realm from parts beyond sea, and to be arrested because 22*l.* in
pollards were found therein, but that they afterwards ascertained that
Arnald had received the money at Haverford for his wines there sold, and
that he crossed to Bristol with the money by water, in order to set out
thence to London to make his advantage thereof, of which they were not
aware at the time of the arrest of the money, as the king learns by the
return of his writ sent to him in this matter: the king orders them to
cause the money to be released from arrest and restored to Arnald to make
his advantage thereof, according to the form of the aforesaid ordinance.

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To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Eleanor, late the wife of William de Haulton, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Aug. 18.
Chertsey.

To the keepers of the passage of the port of Dover. Order to permit Brother Henry de Radelegh, monk of Hayles, to cross from that port with two grooms, two horses, and their harness (*hernesio*), provided that he do not carry with him any sterlings or anything else contrary to the form of the ordinance lately made by the king and the common council of the realm, as Henry is going to parts beyond sea for the affairs of Edmund, earl of Cornwall. [P.s. 1952.]

Aug. 18.
Chertsey.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Richard de Waxand, deceased.

Aug. 16.
Kempton.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Roger la Zousche a carucate of land in Braunteston, which the escheator has taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Hugh de Braunteston, saving the king's right and the rights of others, and saving to Margaret, late the wife of Hugh, her dower, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Hugh held the said land of Roger by the service of 12s. 4d. yearly, and it does not appear by the inquisition that Hugh at his death held anything of the king in chief except the manor of Rendenhale (*sic*), co. Norfolk, whereof he and Margaret, his wife, were enfeoffed by Bartholomew de Yatyngdene, Margaret's father, to hold to them and the heirs begotten upon Margaret, or to her other heirs in case she had no issue by Hugh, of the king and his heirs by the service of two knights' fees.

Aug. 16.
Kempton.

Nicholas son of Henry del Bigginge and Thomas de Hopton, imprisoned at York for the death of Thomas Beaufre, wherewith they are charged, have letters to deliver them in bail until the first assize.

Aug. 16.
Kempton.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. As the king learns by trustworthy testimony that Robert Angot, who married Eleanor de Scalariis, is a lunatic and so unsound of mind that he is insufficient for the government of his lands and goods, but that he wastes and consumes them, to the disinheritance of Eleanor and of her heirs; the king orders the sheriff to cause Robert to be arrested and delivered to Stephen Angot, his father, for safe custody until he recover. It is provided that Robert shall have his maintenance from the said lands by Eleanor's hands for so long as he shall stay with his father.

By K. on the information of William de Blyburgh.
The like to the sheriff of Essex and Hertford.

Aug. 23.
Guildford.

To the keepers of the passage at Dover. Order to permit Maud, wife of Henry de Lancastria, the king's nephew, to cross from that port with her household, horses, equipments and things that she shall avow, without being searched, as she is setting out to parts beyond sea by the king's licence.

Aug. 15.
Kempton.

To the sheriff of Hertford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William le Horsmonger, deceased.

Aug. 18.
Chertsey.

To the keeper of the forest of Aysshedone. Order to cause William de Leybourne to have in that forest four bucks and two harts, of the king's gift.
By p.s. [1951.]

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Aug. 16.
Kempton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the letters of the men of Bourg and Blaye (*Blavia*) sealed with the seal of Nicholas Baret, deceased, to be enrolled in the rolls of the exchequer in the same manner as the letters of other Gascons, as the king has granted to them that their letters shall be thus enrolled although no seal of the captain (*capitanei*) is affixed to them.

Aug. 18.
Chertsey.

To the mayor and bailiffs of Sandwich. Order to cause Arnald Melerath of Biern, merchant, to be released from prison in that town, as the king, at the instance of John de Britannia, has pardoned him the trespass committed by him in bringing into the realm 20*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* of bad money, contrary to the form of the ordinance lately made by the king, for which trespass the mayor and bailiffs arrested and imprisoned him. It is provided that the money shall remain forfeited to the king.

Aug. 20.
Woking.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Elizabeth, late the wife of Philip Paynel, tenant in chief, the following of the lands that belonged to Philip, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a messuage, two carucates and two virgates of land in Pyriton, Cheleworth, Brokenburgh, and Colcote, co. Wilts, with the rents and services of free tenants, customary tenants and cotters there and with their boonworks (*operibus*), which are extended at 13*l.* 6*s.* 4½*d.* yearly; the manor of Ramesham, co. Dorset, which, with a several pasture in the park there and the underwood of the park and other appurtenances, is extended at 10*l.* 1*s.* 8½*d.* yearly; a moiety of the manor of Combe Kaynes, in the same county, which moiety is extended at 4*l.* 11*s.* 11½*d.* yearly. It is provided that she shall render to the king yearly by the hands of the escheator 45*s.* 8*d.* yearly during the minority of Philip's heir, being the excess of her dower.

MEMBRANE 7.

Aug. 21
Guildford.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Whereas the king learns from the sheriff that John Peryn of Ghent brought a certain sum of pollards and crockards to the city of Lincoln before the proclamation of the king's ordinance against the bringing of such money into the realm, and that he expended part of the money in buying wool and that he committed 92*l.* 18*s.* 0*d.*, the remainder of the said sum, to the custody of the Friars Minors of that city before the proclamation aforesaid, and that the wool thus bought and the remainder of the money were arrested by the sheriff because John concealed the money when he was spoken to by the sheriff and the king's ministers appointed to keep the passage of the water there, and for no other reason; the king orders the sheriff to cause the wool and money to be restored to John to make his advantage thereof, in accordance with the form of the ordinance aforesaid, and not to aggrieve or molest him for this act in any way. By C.

Aug. 21
Guildford

To the bailiffs and collectors of the custom of wool in the fair at Boston. Order to cause proclamation to be made in all places in the fair prohibiting any one, under pain of grievous forfeiture and loss of all their goods within the realm, from taking any wool out of the realm to parts beyond sea, as the king wills that wool shall not be taken out of the realm to parts beyond sea until he shall otherwise ordain.

The like to the bailiffs and collectors in the following ports:

Newcastle-on-Tyne.

London.

Kingston-on-Hull.

Sandwich.

Lynn.

Wynchelese.

Yarmouth.

Southampton.

Ipswich.

Bristol.

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*Membrane 7—cont.*Aug. 18.
Chertsey.

To the sheriff of Salop. The king learns by the information of R. bishop of Hereford that whereas John le Berner, a clerk of his diocese, fled for sanctuary to the church of the Austin Friars near Ludelowe for a trespass committed by him against the king's peace, certain men of the town of Ludelowe pursued him and withdrew him by force and arms from the church, and bound him with chains, and sent him thus bound to the prison of Shrewsbury castle by the coroner of the county, and that he is detained for this and for no other reason in that prison, to the injury of the liberty of the church, for which reason the bishop has besought the king to provide a remedy: the king orders the sheriff, if he ascertain that it is as stated, to cause the clerk to be delivered from the aforesaid prison and to be taken back under safe escort to the said church, and to be replaced in the same condition as he was in at the time when he was withdrawn thence.

Aug. 20.
Woking.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Geoffrey le Mareschal a carucate of land in Braunteston, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Hugh de Braunteston, saving the right of the king and of others and saving to Margaret, late the wife of Hugh, her dower thereof, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Hugh held the said land of Geoffrey by the service of 22*d.* rent yearly, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition that he held anything of him in chief at his death, except the manor of Redenhale, co. Norfolk, whereof he and Margaret were jointly enfeoffed by Bartholomew de Yatingden, her father, to hold to them and the heirs begotten on Margaret, or to her other heirs in case she had no issue by Hugh, of the king by the service of two knights' fees.

The like in favour of Amicia de Chaddesden for 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ virgates of land in Braunteston, which Hugh held of her.

Aug. 23.
Guildford.

To the same. Whereas the king lately ordered him to certify him of the manner and cause of the taking into the king's hands of the lands of Richard son of William de Carsewell in Tyffeld, and the escheator has returned that he took the lands that had belonged to William in Tyffeld into the king's hands because the master of St. John's Hospital, Northampton, acquired 2*d.* yearly of rent issuing from the said lands after the publication of the statute of mortmain, without the king's licence, by reason whereof the master appropriated to himself the custody of the lands aforesaid by reason of the minority of the said Richard; and Atheliva de Tyffeld has come to the king and asserted that she was William's wife, and has demanded her dower from the said lands to be rendered to her by the king: the king orders the escheator, if he ascertain that Atheliva was the wife of William and that she ought to have dower of the lands that belonged to him, according to the law and custom of the realm, to cause a third of the lands to be delivered to her for her maintenance until the king shall cause dower to be assigned to her from the lands.

Aug. 18.
Chertsey.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to permit burgesses and merchants of Bristol, of whom he shall be ascertained under the common seal or under the seal of the constable of the castle that they are coming to Ireland with the money commonly called 'pollard' and 'crokard' for the purpose of trading there, to trade with the said money and make their advantage thereof until otherwise ordered, as it was not and is not the king's intention, although he lately ordained by his council that no one should bring such money into his realm or power, that such money should not be current both in his realm and in his land of Ireland until he should revoke it or should otherwise ordain.

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Aug. 24.
Waverley.

To the keeper of the Isle of Wight. Order to cause Arnald de Mauryn to have a hundred quarters of wheat, in part payment of the debt due to him from the king.

By J. de Drokenesford.

To the shēriff of Norfolk. Order to release from arrest and to restore to John le Oysillur, merchant, 26*l.* 7*s.* 9*d.* in pollards, and to permit him to make his advantage thereof, as it appears clearly to the king by the sheriff's return in chancery that John landed within the realm at Yarmouth with the said money before the making of the king's ordinance that no one should bring false money into the realm, and that he sent the money to Blakeneye on 14 May last to trade there with it, which money was arrested by the ministers appointed by the sheriff to keep the said ordinance at Blakeneye.

Aug. 25.
Waverley.

To the guardians of the archbishopric of York, the see being void. Whereas the king granted to Edmund, earl of Cornwall, for a sum of 2,000 marks that he lent to the king by the hands of John de Drokenesford, keeper of the wardrobe, for the expedition of certain of the king's arduous affairs, the guardianship of the archbishopric or bishopric first falling void in the realm, to hold until he should have levied from the issues thereof the total of the money aforesaid, as is contained in the king's letters patent to the earl, and the earl has requested the king to cause the said sum to be paid to him by the hands of the guardians: the king orders them to pay to the earl or his attorney money from the issues aforesaid in full satisfaction of the said sum.

Sept. 1.
Midhurst.

To the keeper of the king's manor and park of Guldeford. Order to take in that park thirty oaks and to cause them to be used in repairing the paling of the park by the view and testimony of the viewer of the king's works there.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Sept. 7.
Bexhill
(*Bexle*).

To Geoffrey Russel and Lambert de Trikingham, guardians of the archbishopric of York, the see being void. Order not to intermeddle in any way with the custody of the manor of Thorp St. Andrew near York during the voidance of the see, if they have taken it into the king's hands by reason of the voidance of the archbishopric, and to restore anything that they have received from the issues thereof to the chapter of St. Peter's, York, as the king learns by inquisition taken by John de Lythgraynes, late guardian of the archbishopric, that Walter de Grey, sometime archbishop of York, acquired the manor to him and his heirs or assigns for ever from divers feoffors, and that he afterwards by an ordinance made between him and the dean and chapter of the said church granted the manor to the dean and chapter under this form, to wit that they should pay yearly for so long as they held the manor 20 marks to the treasurer of the said church, in order to make the archbishop's obit once a year in the church on the day of his death and for the maintenance of a chaplain in the chapel within the said manor to celebrate for the soul of J[ohn], sometime king of England, and for the soul of the said archbishop and of all the faithful dead for ever, with provisions that the dean and chapter should demise the manor after the archbishop's death to each of his successors for their lives only for the ferm aforesaid, and that upon each voidance of the archbishopric the manor should revert to the dean and chapter and should be in their seisin during the voidance of the see for the aforesaid ferm, and it appears by the inquisition that the late king confirmed this grant by his charter, and that from the time of the grant the dean and chapter have always been in seisin of the manor.

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Membrane 7—cont.

To the same. Order not to intermeddle further with the manor of Kenewaldestowe, co. Nottingham, annexed to the archbishopric of York, which they have taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Henry, the late archbishop, as it was not found by a search lately made by the king's order of the rolls of the exchequer of the accounts there rendered from the issues of the archbishopric, then void and in the king's hands, for other times of voidance of the see that answer was made for the church or for any issues thereof, as the treasurer and barons of the exchequer signified to the king.

Sept. 13. To the sheriff of Leicester. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Canterbury. to be elected in place of Thomas de Meynil, as the king learns upon trustworthy authority that he is insufficiently qualified.

Sept. 12. To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Canterbury. to be elected in place of Nicholas de Gamage, who is incapacitated by age and infirmity.

Sept. 11. To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to cause a coroner for that county to
Canterbury. be elected in place of Hugh de Bukeham, who is incapacitated by infirmity.

Sept. 13. To the bailiffs of the manor of Ospreng. Order to cause the master of
Canterbury. St. Mary's Hospital, Ospringe, to have in the wood of Asshele in that manor eight oaks fit for timber in order to make a chapel and divers other works in the hospital, which the king has enjoined upon him. By K.

Sept. 10. To John le Faukener and the collectors of the king's custom at
Canterbury. Southampton. Whereas the king has appointed them to enquire or to receive proofs and reasonable evidences whether wool, wool-fells, hides, lead and tin taken to that port have been sold or demised contrary to the form of the ordinance issued by the king and his council, and to arrest such merchandise as they shall find to have been sold or demised contrary to the form of the ordinance, and to release from arrest and to restore such as they shall find to have been bought or demised without fraud of the said ordinance, as contained in the king's letters patent to them: the king orders them to cause thirty sacks of wool and forty-five wool-fells, which Peter Rome, merchant of Perpignan (*Berpyman*), lately caused to be brought to that port in order to be taken across the sea, and which John and the collectors unjustly caused to be arrested, as the king learns from Peter's complaint, to be released from arrest and restored to Peter, if they find that they have been sold and demised without fraud of the ordinance.

The like in favour of Arnald Bon and Richard de Salvaterra, merchants of Florence of the society of the Bardi, for twenty-four sacks and two 'pakkes' of wool arrested at Boston.

MEMBRANE 6.

Sept. 15. To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause to be replevied
Canterbury. to Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, his land of Catherlagh in Ireland, which was lately taken into the king's hands for certain reasons, until Easter next, and to certify the king in the meantime of the cause of its being taken into his hands.

Sept. 15. Walter Corteys, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of John le Jouvene
Canterbury. of Bradeford, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him.

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*Membrane 6—cont.*Sept. 16.
Canterbury.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Roger de Tany, son and heir of Richard de Tany, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands that his father held of the king, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

Sept. 17.
Canterbury.

To the king's bailiffs of the manor of Noke. Order to cause the master of the ^oHospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England to have in the king's wood of Assheley in that manor eight oak-trees fit for timber for the construction of a chapel and divers other works in the same hospital, which the king has enjoined upon him. By K.

Sept. 14.
Canterbury.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to cause the abbot and convent of Vale Royal to have a tun of wine from the king's right prise in the city of Chester for the twenty-sixth year of the king's reign and another tun for the twenty-seventh year, as the king granted to them by his letters patent a tun of wine yearly from the said prise, to be received by the hands of the justice, for the celebration of divine service in the monastery, and two tuns are in arrears for the said years, as they say.

Sept. 13.
Canterbury.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle in any way with the manor of Brenteles and with the lands of Cantresseli that John Gyffard held at his death of Humphrey de Boun, earl of Hereford and Essex, within the earl's liberty of Brekenok, if the escheator have taken them into the king's hands solely by reason of John's death, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that the earl ought to have first seisin of the manor and lands, and that his ancestors, earls of Hereford and Essex, have been wont to have seisin of the manor and lands by reason of their lordship or liberty aforesaid after the death of John's ancestors, so that the king's escheators or other ministers were not wont at any time in the past to enter the manor or lands after the death of any of the tenants, even though they held of the king elsewhere in chief.

Sept. 16.
Canterbury.

To Nicholas Fermbaud, constable of Bristol castle. Order to cause 954*l.* of pollards, which John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, arrested in Ireland in the hands of certain merchants of Bruges by reason of the king's ordinance against the bringing of bad money into the realm, which money the justiciary afterwards sent to England and which is now in the custody of Nicholas, to be restored to the said merchants or to their attorney, so that they may make their advantage thereof according to the form of the ordinance and as they shall see fit.

The like in favour of the said merchants to John de Sandal, keeper of the king's exchange at London, for the said sum.

Sept. 15.
Canterbury.

Richard son of Alexander Here, imprisoned at Whyteby for the death of Richard Penok, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him.

Sept. 16.
Canterbury.

To John de Haveryng, justice of North Wales. As the king replevied to Richard son of Alan, earl of Arundel, his town and land of Oswestry (*de Albo Monasterio*), which the justice has taken into the king's hands for certain causes, and also Thomas de Wynesbury, the earl's bailiff there, whom the justice has arrested for certain causes, to be replevied until the

* This would seem to be a mistake for the master of St. Mary's Hospital, Ospringe, as the grant is the same as that referred to in the order to the bailiffs of the manor of Ospringe, on 13 September (*p.* 269, above). This and the preceding entry have been inked over.

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next parliament, on condition that the earl and Thomas shall be before the king then, to do and receive what the court shall consider in this behalf; the king orders the justice to deliver the town and land and the bailiff to the earl in form aforesaid, releasing any distraint that he may have levied upon the earl for this reason, and to be present in person at the parliament to certify the king more fully as to the premises. By K.

Sept. 17.
Canterbury

To Robert de Clyfford, justice of the Forest beyond Trent. Order to permit Geoffrey Russel and Lambert de Trikingham to have the custody of the woods of the archbishopric of York, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Henry, the late archbishop, as the king has committed to Geoffrey and Lambert the archbishopric, to be kept by them during his pleasure.

Sept. 15.
Canterbury

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Whereas the king granted to Gervase de Holeweye, for his good service, the bailiwick of the forest of Briggstok and Gedyngton for life, and he is staying with the king in his household by his special order, so that he cannot intend the bailiwick in person at this time: the king orders Hugh to admit until otherwise ordered some suitable person whom Gervase shall appoint under him to keep the bailiwick in Gervase's name.

Sept. 17.
Canterbury

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to desist from exacting from the master and brethren of the house of St. Mark at Billeswyk near Bristol the issues of the house during the last voidance, and to restore to them in full anything that he may have received from the issues, as the king understands that the escheator is exacting from them the issues aforesaid, although the king lately ordered him not to intermeddle with the house, which he had taken into the king's hands by reason of the manor of Wynterburne Gunnore (*as at p. 243 above*).

Sept. 13.
Canterbury

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Whereas it appears by the letters of M. bishop of Porto, cardinal of the Roman church and the pope's penitentiary, and by the letters of the prior general of the Carmelite Friars that Thomas de Bavent, chaplain, a late friar of that order who was arrested at the request of the prior provincial of the order in England as a vagabond running up and down, and who was imprisoned at Norwich, is absolved from the bond of the order, which is confirmed by the letters testificatory of the bishop of Norwich; the king orders the sheriff to cause Thomas to be delivered from the said prison, if he be imprisoned solely for this reason.

Sept. 16.
Canterbury

To John de Cobeham and William de Carleton. Order to continue until the Purification the mainprise that they have taken for a certain time, by the order of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer, from Coppus Josep, Taldus Janiani and Coppus Cotenne, of the society of the Friscombaldi, Bernard Manfredi and Bettus Juncte, of the society of the Black Circles, Dardanus Concilii, of the society of the White Circles, Riccus Salvatore, of the society of the Bardi, Philip Borgi, of the society of the Mori, Reyner Belizoni, of the society of the Pulci, James Brabanzoni, of the society of Siena, and James Francisci, of the society of the Amanati, merchants dwelling in London, who are indicted for pollards and crockards and other like money brought by them into the realm, contrary to the king's inhibition, so that all and singular the societies aforesaid shall mainpern for each society, as the king wishes to show the merchants favour so that they may more conveniently and freely exercise their merchandise in the meantime. By K.

This writ was enrolled by a transcript delivered by the hands of
J. de Merton.

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Canterbury.

To the same. Whereas the king has appointed them to make inquisition by the oath of merchants and others of the city of London what men of the city and others dwelling therein have exchanged sterlings, gold and silver vessels [and] jewels that they send secretly or openly to parts beyond sea for pollards, crockards, and other like money, and have brought such bad money into England and have exchanged it again within the city, as contained in the king's letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 27 Ed. I, p. 435] made to John and William, and many citizens and others of the city have been indicted before them for the premises and imprisoned by them: the king, wishing to show favour to the said citizens and men in order that they may more freely and conveniently ply their merchandise at this time, orders John and William to cause the said citizens and men to be replevied until the king shall otherwise ordain.

By K. on the information of the bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Sept. 17.
Canterbury.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver the manors of Grymmeston and Wellawe and the hamlet of Beysthorp with the soke of Grymmeston and its members, in co. Nottingham, to Margery, late the wife of Jordan Folyot, and the issues received thence since he took them into the king's hands by reason of the death of Jordan, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Jordan and Margery were jointly enfeoffed of the manors of Norton and Fenewyk, co. York, by Richard Folyot, to hold of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, by the service of three knights' fees, and of the manors of Grymmeston and Wellawe and the hamlet of Beysthorp with the soke of Grymmeston and its members by the said Richard for the term of Margery's life, to hold of the said earl and of Margaret, countess of Lincoln, his consort, by the service of one knight's fee, and that Jordan and Margery were jointly seised of the said manors, hamlet and soke with its members on the day of Jordan's death.

Sept. 18.
Canterbury.

To Walter de la Haye, escheator in Ireland. Order to cause Gilbert de Clare, son and heir of Thomas de Clare, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands that his father held at his death of the king, as the king has taken Gilbert's homage, although he is not of full age.

The like to Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Like order to cause Gilbert to have seisin of the bailiwick of the king's forest of Essex, whereof his father was seised.

Sept. 22.
Leeds.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Thomas de Lodelowe and Joan, his wife, youngest daughter and one of the heirs of Philip Marmioun, to have seisin of the purparty falling to her of the lands that her father at his death held of the king in chief, which the king retained in his hands during her minority, as he has taken Thomas's fealty for their purparty.

Sept. 21.
Leeds.

To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to cause John de Havering, who is staying in the king's service in Wales, to have respite until Easter for all debts due from him to the king, as the king has granted him this respite.

By K.

MEMBRANE 5.

Sept. 22.
Leeds.

To the sheriff of Leicester. Order to cause Thomas de Boyvill of Crawenho to have seisin of a rent of 20s. yearly from a messuage and a virgate of land in Akethorp and Slauston, as the king learns by inquisition

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taken by the sheriff that John Alberd, who abjured the realm for felony, demised the messuage and land before the commission of the felony to Avice Alber, his mother, for her life for the aforesaid rent, and that the rent has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that John held the tenement whence the rent issues of the said Thomas, and that Avice now holds the tenement and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which she ought to answer to the king.

Sept. 22.
Leeds.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Thomas de Ludelawe and Joan, his wife, the youngest daughter and co-heir of Philip Marmioun, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the purparty falling to her of the lands that Philip held of the king, which purparty the king retained in his hands by reason of her minority, as she has proved her age before the escheator and the king has taken the fealty of Thomas for the lands.

Sept. 22.
Leeds.

To John de Cobeham and William de Carleton. The king, wishing to show favour to Philip Gerardini, merchant of the society of the Spini of Florence, dwelling in London, who is indicted before John and William for bringing pollards and crockards and the like money into the realm contrary to the king's proclamation, orders them to cause him to be released from prison upon his finding mainprise, to wit that all and singular the societies dwelling in London indicted before John and William of the premises shall mainpern for Philip until the Purification next, as other societies have done in this behalf.

Sept. 24.
Leeds.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to cause a verderer for the forest of Shyrewode to be elected in place of Robert de Jorz, who cannot attend to the duties of the office as he has been lately elected coroner of that county.

Sept. 23.
Leeds.

To Robert de Clyfford, constable of Nottingham castle. Order to deliver Michael de Miggil, who was lately captured in the battle at Dumbur and is imprisoned in Nottingham castle, to James de Lyndeseye by indenture, as the king has granted Michael to James to ransom at his pleasure, in aid of the ransom that he himself made with the Scots for his release from the prison at Bothevill wherein he was detained by them after his capture in Scotland when in the king's service. By K.

Sept. 23.
Leeds.

To the barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Edmund, son and heir of Edmund de Kemesek, to be acquitted of the scutage that they exact from him for two knights' fees in the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as Edmund, his father, made fine with the king in that army for the service of two knights' fees, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his Marshalsea for that army.

Sept. 23.
Leeds.

To the barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king, at the instance of John de Sancto Johanne, has pardoned Richard de Burghunt, late sheriff of Somerset and Dorset, 50 marks of the debt due from him to the king after he had rendered his account at the exchequer, and that he has granted that he may pay the remainder at the rate of 100s. yearly, and order to cause him to be acquitted of the 50 marks and to cause him to have these terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled. By K. on the information of John de Berewico.

Sept. 23.
Leeds.

William son of Hugh de Wiveldon near Hertlebur[y], imprisoned for the death of Michael Baboy, whereof he is appealed, has letters to bail him until the next assize addressed to the sheriff of Worcester.

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Sept. 26. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John de
Leeds. Erlee to have respite until the morrow of St. Hilary next for all debts due
to the king at the exchequer for the debts of his ancestors, as the king
has granted him this respite.
By K. on the information of J. de Bensted.
- Sept. 21. To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order to cause John de Camhou,
Leeds. who is staying by the king's order in his service in the town of Berwick,
to have respite during the king's will for all debts due to the exchequer.
By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.
- Sept. 25. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Henry
Leeds. de Lancastr[ia], the king's nephew, and Maud, his wife, to have respite
until the morrow of St. Hilary next for the relief of Patrick de Cadurcis,
father of Maud, of whom she is the heir, as the king has granted them
this respite.
By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.
- Sept. 26. To the same. Order to cause Ralph de Staneford, king's chaplain, one
Leeds. of the executors of the will of Nicholas, late bishop of Winchester, and
Master Hugh Tripacy, his co-executor, to have respite until the morrow of
Martinmas next for 23*l.* 17*s.* 1*d.* due from the deceased to the exchequer,
as the king, wishing to show favour to Ralph, who is staying continuously
with him, and to Hugh, has granted them this respite. By K.
- Sept. 25. To the same. As the king has granted to John de Britannia, his
Leeds. nephew, all the king's goods and chattels in the manors and lands that
belonged to John de Balliolo in England that are in the king's hands and
not in the hands of his fermors of the manors and lands, and he wills that
the said fermors shall henceforth answer to John or his attorney for their
ferms at the same terms as they were wont to answer for them to the
king at the exchequer, with provision that as much shall be deducted from
the 1,000*l.* yearly granted by the king to the said John by his letters
patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 27 Edward I, p. 429] from the exchequer for
the maintenance of himself and his household as the said fermors ought
to pay to the king at the exchequer for their fermes aforesaid if the manors
and lands aforesaid were in the king's hands; the king orders the
treasurer and barons to cause John to have all the goods and chattels
aforesaid and to cause the said fermors to answer to John or his attorney
in form aforesaid.
By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.
- Sept. 26. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver
Leeds. to John de Barr or to his attorney all the king's corn gathered by the
escheator in the lands of the manor of Whytewyk, co. Leicester, which
manor belonged to John Comyn, earl of Boghan, the king's enemy and
rebel, and which is in the king's hands by reason of the earl's forfeiture,
from 18 August last, as the king on that day committed the manor to the
said John de Barr until the latter's lands in the realm of France, which
were seised into the hands of the king of France by reason of the late war
between the king and the king of France, should be restored to him or
until the king should otherwise ordain concerning him [*Cal. Patent Rolls*,
27 Edward I, p. 431], and the king has granted to him all the said corn.
By K. on the information of the count of Savoy.
- Sept. 30. To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to cause the abbot and
Chatham. convent of St. Werburgh, Chester, to have 40*s.* for Michaelmas term last,
in accordance with the king's grant to them of 6 marks yearly from the
exchequer of Chester, to be received 40*s.* at Easter and 40*s.* at Michaelmas

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yearly, in recompence for the tithes of the demesnes of his manor of Frodesham, which tithes the abbot and convent had of the gift of the former earls of Chester and which are estimated at 6 marks yearly, and which they released, out of charity and reverence for the king, to the abbot and convent of Vale Royal, who have the church of Frodesham to their own uses.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the abbess of Wylton to be acquitted of 40 marks that they exact from her for the service of one knight's fee for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as the abbess paid this sum into the wardrobe to Master Thomas Beck, late keeper thereof, on Sunday after SS. Peter and Paul in the said year, by which sum she made fine with the king for the service of one knight's fee, which she then acknowledged to the king for his said army, as appears by the inspection of his letters patent then made to the abbess.

To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Order to pay to the prioress and nuns of St. Mary's, Chester, 10s. for Michaelmas term last, as the king granted to them 10s. yearly to be received by the hands of his fermors of the town of Middlewich (*de Medio Wyco*) from their ferm at Michaelmas, in recompence for four acres of land near Godesbache that the king had granted to them and that they had afterwards surrendered into his hands, as contained in his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 11 Edward I, p. 75.]

To the same. Order to cause the prioress and nuns of Chester to have 105s. 2d. from the rent of the said town of Middlewich for the twenty-seventh year of the reign, as the king, in recompence for 105s. 2d. that they were wont to receive from certain lands that belonged to Henry de Brade and certain of his neighbours in Bradeford, Littleovre, Sutton and Merton, by reason of certain tithes issuing from those lands, which lands the king gave to the abbot and convent of Vale Royal, granted to the prioress and nuns this sum yearly from the rent of Middlewich until he should provide them with rent to that amount or its value for ever, as contained in his letters patent.

Oct. 18.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to permit the executors of the will of John Giffard to make advantage of the prisoners that he took in his lifetime and placed for custody in his castle of Bromefeld, for the deceased as shall seem best to them. By K.

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Membrane 5—Schedule.

Nov. 26.
Newcastle-on-Tyne.

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Master John de Lacy in default because he did not appear before them on Monday three weeks from Michaelmas last in the suit before them between Thomas Sely, skinner (*peleter*) of London, and him for a debt of 42*l.* 11*s.* 10½*d.* exacted from him by Thomas, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day. By p.s.

Nov. 21.
Newcastle-on-Tyne.

To the sheriffs of London. Order not to put John le Sauser in default because he did not appear on Monday the eve of SS. Simon and Jude in the suit before them in the king's husting of London by writ of right between Alice, daughter of William de Samwell, demandant, and John, tenant, concerning a messuage in London, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

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Dec. 14. To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Robert de Neketon in
Auckland, default because he did not appear on Monday the morrow of All Souls
last in the suit before them between him and William de Rennesle con-
cerning the unjust taking and detaining of Robert's cattle, as he was in
the king's service by his order on that day.
- Dec. 26. To the sheriff of York. Order not to put Hugh de Eland in default for
Cottingham, not doing his service to the sheriff's county [court] on Monday before
Christmas last, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.
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May 28. To Robert de Retford and Henry Spyg[urnel]. Order not to put
Canterbury, Godwin le Cordewaner of London in default for not appearing on
Saturday before the Exaltation of the Holy Cross last at the jury of
twenty-four knights to be taken on that day that William Gerberge
arraigned before them against him to convict the jurors of an assize of
novel disseisin summoned and taken between them before Robert and
Henry at Thetford concerning a tenement in Stalham, as Godwin was in
the king's service by his order on that day.
By K. on the information of W. de Bello Campo.
- July 9. To the prior of Bridlington. Order not to put the abbot of Bardeneye
Canterbury, in default because he did not appear on Thursday the morrow of
Midsummer last in the suit in the prior's court of Bridlington by writ of
right between Ralph the farrier (*marescallum*) of Burton Flemeng and
Agnes, his wife, demandants, and the abbot, tenant, concerning a
messuage in Burton Flemeng, as the abbot was in the king's service on
that day.
The like to the prior's bailiffs.
- Sept. 18. To Adam de Crokedayk and William Inge. Order not to put Fulk son
Canterbury, of Warin in default for not appearing on Tuesday after St. Augustine the
Bishop last in the assize of novel disseisin that he arraigned before them
against John son of Fulk and Joan, his wife, concerning a tenement in
Gedeneye, as he was in the king's service on that day by his order.
By K.
- Oct. 7. To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Nicholas son of Jordan
Thurrock, de Tykehull in default because he did not appear on Friday the morrow
of the Ascension in the suit before them between Emma, daughter of
William le Taillur of Blyth (*Blida*), demandant, and Peter de la Sarree,
tenant, concerning a messuage in Blyth except 40 feet of land in length,
concerning which Peter vouched Nicholas to warranty against Emma, as
he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

MEMBRANE 4.

- Sept. 30. To Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester. Whereas the king granted
Chatham, by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 6 Edward I, p. 246] to the prioress
and nuns of Chester 24 marks yearly from the ferm of the town of
Middlewich (*de Medio Wycho*), until such time as he should cause this
yearly sum to be assigned to them to be received in a certain place for
ever, for certain fixed alms granted to them by the king's predecessors,
formerly lords of Cheshire (*Cestresirie*), and he also granted to them by
the same letters 4l. 17s. 0d. yearly from the said ferm in recompence for
the damages that they sustain yearly to that amount by the withdrawal

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from them by the abbot and convent of Vale Royal of the tithes pertaining to the prioress and nuns' church of Ovre, as in the tithes of hay, fish ponds, gardens, cows, calves, servants in Lent and other small tithes, until the king should in like manner provide them with that sum elsewhere for ever; and 20*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* are in arrear for Easter and Michaelmas terms in the twenty-seventh year of the reign: the king orders the justice to cause the prioress and nuns to have this sum, unless they have been already satisfied for it, in accordance with the letters aforesaid and as they were wont to receive it in times past.

Oct. 2.
Gravesend.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to William le Botiller of Wemme a rent of 10*s.* 6*d.* yearly each from Walter de Grafton, John B . . ret, Amice Basket, William Wyring, Maud Boddess, Adam in le Hyrne, Robert son of John, John le Neen, Roger Leveday, Alditha Turney, William at the Well (*ad fontem*), Henry de Grafton and William de Grafton, to hold saving the right of others and saving to Margaret, late the wife of Hugh de Braundeston, her dower thereof, which rent he has taken into the king's hands by reason of Hugh's death, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Walter, John, and the others named above held in villeinage twelve tofts and twelve virgates of land in Ovre Etyndon of the said Hugh on the day of his death, to wit each of them a toft and a virgate of land, rendering therefor 10*s.* 6*d.* yearly, and that Hugh held these tenements, which are extended at 6*l.* yearly, of the said William le Botiller by the service of a quarter of a knight's fee and by paying scutage when it happens, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition aforesaid that Hugh at his death held anything of him in chief except the manor of Redenhale, co. Norfolk, whereof he and Margaret, his wife, were jointly enfeoffed by Bartholomew de Yatynden, her father, to hold to Hugh and Margaret and to the heirs begotten upon her, or to her other heirs in case she had no issue by Hugh, of the king and his heirs by the service of two knights' fees.

Oct. 5.
Thurrock.

To the keeper of the forest of Rotel[and]. Order to cause John de Langeton, the chancellor, to have twelve good oaks with their strippings (*escactis*) fit for timber, of the king's gift, in the place where the king's wood is exposed for sale at this time.

Oct. 8.
The Tower.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause William de Rither to have respite until the morrow of the close of Easter next for all debts due to the exchequer, as the king has granted him such respite.

Oct. 10.
The Tower.

To the same. Order to permit the executors of the will of Nicholas de Aldithelegh, tenant in chief, to have full administration of all his goods and chattels for the execution of his will, upon their finding security to render to the king any debts due to the exchequer from Nicholas. By K.

Oct. 10.
The Tower.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle with the town of Legh under Brochirst, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Nicholas de Aldithele, tenant in chief, and to restore the issues thereof, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Nicholas and Katherine, his wife, were jointly enfeoffed thereof by Bertram son of Bertram de Burgo, to hold to Nicholas and Katherine and the heirs of Nicholas of the chief lords of the fee, rendering therefor to Edmund son of John son of Hugh 20*s.* for all service. By K.

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Oct. 12. To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to cause a coroner for that county to
Westminster. be elected in place of Thomas le Rus, deceased.

Oct. 14. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to restore
Westminster. the corn in the barns (*granis*) and other goods within the manors of the bishopric of Norwich, which were taken into the king's hands by the escheator on the day of the translation of R[alph], bishop of Norwich, to the see of Ely by reason of the voidance of the bishopric of Norwich, as the king learns from the complaint of the bishop that the escheator took the corn into the king's hands solely for this reason. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 804.]

Oct. 16. To the abbot and convent of Jervaulx (*Girevall*). Whereas the king
Westminster. granted by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 3 Edward I, p. 86] to John de Maura the 20*l.* yearly due to the king from them for the lands of the Boterels (*Boterellorum*), which the king granted under certain conditions to Robert Waleraund, tenant in chief, and to his heirs, so that John should receive the said sum from the hands of the abbot and convent in the same manner as Robert was wont to receive it in his lifetime, for his life for so long as the king should rightfully receive the said sum by reason of the wardship of the lands of Robert and of his heirs, who are not of sound mind, or for any other reason: the king orders the abbot and convent to cause John to have the said 20*l.* yearly and the arrears thereof.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order to cause to be delivered to Robert de Henneye all the lands of the dean and chapter of Rouen in the sheriff's bailiwick, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the war between him and the king of France, and the goods and chattels in the same, to be kept in the name of the dean and chapter until the morrow of Michaelmas next, so that he shall then answer to the king at the exchequer as other keepers of the lands have been wont to do from the time when they were taken into the king's hands, as the king wishes to show favour to the dean and chapter. The sheriff is enjoined to certify the treasurer and barons of the exchequer at that day as to the manner in which he has executed this order, so that they may then do what has been enjoined upon the treasurer by the king.

The like to the sheriff of Southampton.

Oct. 18. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver
Westminster. to J[ohn], elect of Norwich, all the corn sown in the lands of the bishopric at the time of the voidance thereof by the translation of Ralph, the late bishop, to the bishopric of Ely, as the king, for 1,000 marks that John has acknowledged that he owes to him, to be paid at the king's will, has granted to him all the said corn, on condition that John satisfy Ralph for his costs and expenses about the lands after his translation.

Oct. 19. To the same. Order to deliver to Joan, late the wife of John Quoe de
Westminster. Boef, tenant in chief, the following of the lands that belonged to John, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a third of a messuage in Buckeslawe, which messuage is extended at 6*d.* yearly; 20 acres of arable land in the same town, whereof each acre is extended at 4*d.* yearly; 1½ acres and a rood of pasture in the same town, which are extended at 12*d.* yearly; 5*d.* of yearly rent to be received by the hands of Thomas Canon, tenant of a cottage in the same town; the rent of a hen and five eggs to be received by the hands of the said Thomas, which are extended at 1*d.* yearly, together with a boon-work (*opere*) of Thomas in autumn, which is extended at 1*d.*

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Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Alan de Plugenet, son and heir of Alan de Plugenet, to be acquitted of 17*l.* 1*s.* 4*d.* due to the king from his father at his death for the arrears of his account of the time when he was the king's constable of his castle of Corf and keeper of his manor of Gillingham, as the king has pardoned Alan the said sum in consideration of his father's good and praiseworthy service to him.

Oct. 18.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to cause John, duke of Brittany, to be acquitted of the 60*l.* exacted from him by summons of the exchequer for divers causes, as the king has pardoned him this sum. By K.

To the same. Order to cause Adam de la Brichete, late keeper of the lands of John, duke of Brittany, in co. Sussex, to be acquitted of 25*l.* for the relief of William de Echingham, tenant of the duke by knight service, which Adam paid to the duke and which he ought to have paid to the king, as the king has granted this sum to the duke. By K.

To the same. Order to cause to be delivered to John, duke of Brittany and earl of Richmond, all the wardships in that earldom that came to the king's hands during the time when the earl's lands in that earldom together with his other lands elsewhere in the realm were in the king's hands by reason of the war between the king and the king of France, as the king has granted to him all the wardships to have in the same form as he lately granted to him his lands.

Oct. 18.
Westminster.

To the sheriffs of London. Whereas John de Hesengheim and Walter, his son, burgesses and merchants of Malines in Brabant, were arrested and imprisoned in Neugate by those who were appointed to make search that good and lawful money should not be carried out of the realm, by reason of 12*l.* of good sterlings found with them at Billingsgate, wherewith it was said they wished to leave the realm, and the king sent John de Berewyk thither to enquire fully concerning this, and John, upon its being found that the said merchants were not guilty of the things charged against them, enjoined the sheriffs to cause them to be kept courteously in the sheriffs' houses until they should receive further orders from the king: the king, at the instance of John, duke of Brabant, his son, who has specially besought him on their behalf, orders the sheriffs to deliver them from the custody aforesaid, and to cause to be restored to them in full their money and other goods and chattels that were arrested with them, so that they may make their advantage thereof as shall seem best to them, on condition that they do nothing therewith contrary to the ordinance lately made by the king and the common council of the realm concerning money and certain other things.

Oct. 26.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Maud, late the wife of Thomas de Marynes, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without the king's licence.

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Oct. 18.
Westminster.

To the mayor and bailiffs of Sandwich. John Petit and Firmin de Millevill, burgesses of Abbeville, have shown the king that whereas Geoffrey Darundel and William Mote of Fyngessam, the mayor and bailiffs' fellow-burgesses, bought before the commencement of the war between the king and the king of France from John le Clerk, attorney of

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John and Firmin, corn to the value of 25*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*, and the money thence arising was arrested in the hands of Geoffrey and William by reason of the said war, and they have besought the king to cause the money to be delivered to them: the king orders the mayor and bailiffs, if it is so and if Geoffrey and William acknowledge themselves to be bound to the said merchants in this sum of money, to cause the money to be released from arrest and to compel Geoffrey and William to make payment thereof to John and Firmin.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of John Quorer de Boef, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

Oct. 20. Westminster. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Notification that the king has granted to John Haraud, late sheriff of the county of Lymeryk, that he may pay the 200*l.* in which he is indebted to that exchequer for the arrears of his account for the time when he was sheriff of that county at the rate of ten marks yearly, and order to cause him to have these terms and to cause this to be so done and enrolled. By K.

Oct. 21. Westminster. To J. bishop of Carlisle, constable of Carlisle castle. Order to deliver Ivo de Killosbern of Galloway (*Galewedie*), a hostage of the king in the constable's custody, to Robert de Clyfford, as the king has granted Ivo to him. By K.

Oct. 20. Westminster. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Alan de Plukenet, son and heir of Alan de Plukenet, has shown the king that whereas his father paid to Queen Eleanor, the king's late consort, 26*l.* from the issues of the manor of Gillingham of the time when he was keeper of that manor, which the king assigned to Eleanor in dower, the treasurer and barons charge the son with this sum although they were ascertained by the said queen's letters patent that the money had been thus paid: the king orders them to inspect the letters aforesaid, and if it appear to be so, to cause the heir to be acquitted of the aforesaid sum.

Oct. 19. Westminster. Geoffrey de Sprottele, imprisoned at York for the death of John son of William de Hoton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him until the coming of the justices.

Oct. 22. Westminster. To the guardians of the archbishopric of York. Order to cause Robert de Bardelby, king's clerk, to have in the wood of the archbishopric at Wistowe four oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

Oct. 18. Westminster. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Jordan Foliot, and to restore the issues thereof, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Jordan at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

By C.

Oct. 23. Westminster. To the justice of Chester, or to him who supplies his place. Order to pay to Robert de Crevequer 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for Michaelmas term last from the issues of the mills and bridge of Chester, in accordance with the king's grant to him, in recompence for his grant to the king and Queen Eleanor, his late consort, of the manor of Saham, of the custody of the castle of Bestan, co. Chester, and for the custody thereof of 100*s.* yearly and also of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the said mills and bridge, a moiety at the quinzaine of Easter and the other moiety at the quinzaine of Michaelmas, for his life.

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To the bailiffs of the Hundred without the north gate of Oxford. Order to pay to the said Robert 10*l.* for Michaelmas term last of the 20*l.* yearly, that the king granted to him for life from the ferm of that Hundred, for the release that he made to the king and to Queen Eleanor, his late consort, of the manor of Ditton.

Oct. 21.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Thomas, earl of Lancaster, the king's nephew, the manor of Passenham, as the king lately caused the manor, which belonged to Master Thomas de Sudington, deceased, to be taken into the king's hands by writ of the exchequer for certain causes, and the king wishes to show favour to the earl, although he could by certain evidences in the rolls and memoranda of the exchequer rightfully retain the manor in his hands.

Oct. 23.
Westminster.

To the same. Order not to intermeddle further until otherwise ordered with the lands that belonged to Henry de Wynton[ia], lately deceased, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Henry at his death held nothing of the king in chief, but that he held of Adam de Creting, deceased, tenant in chief, whose lands are in the king's hands and in the custody of John de Berewyk, his clerk, by his commission, and that Thomas de Wynton[ia], son of Henry, is his next heir and is of full age.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Christiana, late the wife of Ralph de Cotum, tenant of the king by reason of the lands of Robert de Stutevill being in his hands, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Oct. 21.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Isabel, late the wife of John de Mawardyn, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath not to marry without his licence.

Oct. 20.
Westminster.

To the keeper of the king's Hay of Hereford. Order to cause William de Mortuo Mari, clerk, to have in that Hay ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.
By K.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield to have in the forest of Wauberge ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.
By K.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to discharge the sheriff of Oxford of a third of the ferm of the manor of Rolandrith, which manor belonged to Adam le Despenser, tenant in chief, from the time when the sheriff assigned a third thereof in dower to Joan, late the wife of Adam, as the king, on 27 November, in the twenty sixth year of his reign* ordered him to assign dower to her from the manor, which the king committed to the sheriff by writ of the exchequer for 20*l.* yearly, and the sheriff assigned to her a third of the manor, which is extended at 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* [p. 138, *above*].

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to deliver to William de Grandisono his park of Lydyerd, which is within the bounds of the king's forest of Bradene, together with [the issues] received thence, as the king has pardoned him the trespass that he is said

*The roll reads 'vicesimo septimo die Novembris, anno regni nostri vicesimo, septimo die Novembris, anno regni vicesimo sexto.'

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to have committed in not repairing the hedge (*hayam*) of the park, which was broken down through age, by reason of which breach the justice took the park into the king's hands, on condition that William shall forthwith cause the hedge to be repaired, as he is bound to do.

Oct. 23.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Hugh, son and heir of John de Nevill, tenant in chief, to be acquitted of 166*l.* that they exact from him for the 10*l.* yearly wherewith the manor of Arnal, co. Nottingham, which he holds of the king in chief, is charged at the exchequer, from 20 May, in the tenth year of the reign, until 10 May, in the twenty-sixth year, as he was a minor in the king's wardship from the former date, when the king caused the lands that belonged to John to be taken into his hands by reason of his death, until the latter date, when the king took Hugh's homage.

Peter Wych, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Richard Faucon, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Leicester. Order to permit William Burdet to have respite during the king's pleasure for all debts due to the exchequer, as the king has granted this respite to William, who is setting out for Scotland with Fulk son of Fulk son of Warin in the king's service by his order.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Salop. Order to permit Fulk son of Fulk son of the exchequer, as the king has granted this respite to Fulk, who is setting out in his service for Scotland by his order.

The like to the sheriffs of Gloucester, Berks and Cambridge.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To the collectors of the fifteenth at Munemuthe, Grosemunt, White Castle (*Album Castrum*), and Skynefryth. Order to cause all the money levied by them and that shall be hereafter levied from the fifteenth to be delivered to William de Grandisono, to do therewith what the king has enjoined upon him, receiving from him his letters patent testifying the receipt.

Nov. 3.
St. Albans.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king, on 23 June last, granted to William de Fienles all his lands in England which had been taken into the king's hands by reason of the war between him and the king of France, to hold during the truce between the two kings, and ordered the treasurer and barons to deliver to William his lands with the goods in them up to the value of the goods found therein on the day when the lands were taken into the king's hand [p. 254, *above*]: the king, wishing to show him further favour, has granted to him all the issues of the lands from the said 23 June hitherto received by the king, saving only to the king his expenses incurred about the lands, and he has also granted to him the value of all the goods found on the day of the said taking into the king's hands in the lands of Hugh de Curtenay, which were then in William's hands in name of wardship by reason of Hugh's minority by the king's grant, and he has also granted to him the custody of the land and heir of Baldwin de Benstan, with the marriage of the heir, which fell to the king by reason of the wardship of the said Hugh and which pertains to William by reason of Hugh's knights' fees, which the king granted to him, as he says, together with the wardship: the king orders the treasurer and barons to deliver to William the issues from the said 23 June, the value of the goods, and the custody, as above.

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Oct. 23.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Katharine, late the wife of Nicholas de Adithelegh, tenant in chief, the following of the lands of Nicholas, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a messuage in Egemundon, co. Salop, which is extended at 12*d.* yearly; 60 acres of land in the same town, which is extended at 10*s.*, to wit each acre at 2*d.* yearly; an acre of meadow in the same town, which is extended at 6*d.* yearly; the pleas and perquisites of the court there, which are extended at 3*s.* 4*d.* yearly; 9*l.* 14*s.* 4½*d.* of yearly rent from certain free sokemen in the same town; a fishpond in the town of Newport (*Novi Burgi*), in the same county, which is extended at 10*s.* yearly; a third of the toll of that borough, which is extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; 6*s.* 1½*d.* of yearly rent from certain burgesses holding certain burgages in that town; 24*s.* of yearly rent from the whole community of the town for a common pasture in that town; 4 acres of meadow in Tonstal, co. Stafford, which are extended at 16*d.*, to wit each acre at 4*d.* yearly; two parts of two water-mills in the same town, which are extended at 26*s.* 8*d.* yearly; an iron mine in the same town, which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; a quarry for mill-stones in the same town, which is extended at 10*s.* yearly; the pleas and perquisites of the court there, which are extended at 5*s.* yearly; 73*s.* 8*d.* of yearly rent from certain free tenants in that town; 12*l.* 2*s.* 8¾*d.* of yearly rent from certain customary tenants (*customariorum*) in that town; 60 acres of wood in Horton, in the same county, which are extended at 5*s.* yearly, to wit each acre at 1*d.* yearly; two parts of a water-mill in the same town, which is extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; the pleas and perquisites of the court there, which are extended at 5*s.* yearly; 17*s.* of yearly rent from certain free tenants in the same town; 106*s.* 2*d.* of yearly rent from certain customary tenants in the same town; two parts of two water-mills in Betteleye, in the same county, which two parts are extended at 40*s.* yearly; a lake there, which is extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; the pleas and perquisites of the court there which are extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; 104*s.* 9¾*d.* of yearly rent from certain burgesses holding certain burgages in that town.

To the justice of Chester, or to him who supplies his place. Order to deliver to the aforesaid Katharine the following of the lands of Nicholas, which the king has assigned to her in dower: two parts of two parts of the manor of Newehalle, co. Chester, which are extended at 4*l.* 1*s.* 4*d.* yearly; a ninth of a water-mill in the town of Nantwich (*Wyz Mauban*), in the same county, which ninth is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; a ninth of the toll called 'tolstok' in the same town, which ninth is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; a ninth of the ferries of Bruneshurst and Swanebache, in the same county, which [ninth is] extended at 5*s.* yearly; 40*s.* 8*d.* of yearly rent in Smalewode, in the same county, from certain villeins in that town; two parts of a water-mill in the same town, which are extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; the pleas and perquisites of the court of that town, which are extended at 12*d.* yearly; certain customs in the said town of Nantwich (*Wiz Mauban*) called 'fretol' and 'smaltol,' which are extended at 10*s.* yearly; 20*s.* of yearly rent and a rent of two pounds of pepper in the same town, which are extended at 12*d.* yearly, by the hands of certain burgesses of that town.

Oct. 22.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Emma, late the wife of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, the following of the knights' fees that belonged to him, as the king has assigned them to Emma as her dower with the assent of the heirs and

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parceners of Richard's inheritance: a moiety of a fee in Chilington, co. Stafford, which moiety John Giffard holds; a fee in Northpiddle, co. Worcester, which Henry de Segrave holds; a moiety of a fee in Adynton, co. Buckingham, which moiety Robert le Lou holds; two parts of a fee in Est Aston, in the same county, which two parts Richard de Amary holds; the fifth of a fee in Bottecleydon, in the same county, which fifth Joan de Valoignes holds.

To the same. Order to deliver to the said Emma the following of Richard's advowsons of churches, which the king has assigned to her as her dower: the advowson of the church of Cranleye, co. Surrey; the advowson of the church of Alfaud, in the same county; and the advowson of the church of Wodeberwe, co. Wilts.

Oct. 25.
Westminster.

To the sheriffs of London. Robert Gerodonis has shown the king that whereas a servant of his fell from a horse of his that he was imprudently watering in the depths of the Thames and was drowned, for which reason the sheriffs took the horse into the king's hands as deodand: the king, wishing to show Robert special favour, orders the sheriffs to restore the horse to Robert if it have been taken into the king's hands solely for this reason.

Nov. 5.
Lavendon.

To the sheriff of Stafford. Order to cause Robert de Ditton to have seisin of a messuage and a virgate of land in Aston in les Hales, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which Richard Broun of Aston, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Richard held them of Robert de Ditton, and that the township of Aston in les Hales had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

Geoffrey de Kydeslegh, imprisoned at Nottingham for the death of Geoffrey the baker (*pistoris*), son of Hugh de Kydeslegh, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Nottingham to bail him until the coming of the justices.

Oct. 23.
Westminster.

Robert le Mouner of Caldewell, imprisoned at Nottingham for the death of William Noon, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Nottingham to bail him, etc.

Oct. 21.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to permit Ralph de Monte Hermerii, earl of Gloucester and Hertford, to have respite during the king's will for the debts due from him to the exchequer, as the king has granted this respite to Ralph, who is setting out by his order for Scotland in his service.

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties:

Essex and Hertford.
Cambridge.
Gloucester.
Oxford.
Berks.
Buckingham and Bedford.
Norfolk and Suffolk.
Somerset and Dorset.
Worcester.

Oct. 27.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to pay to Laurence de Longauere of Scotland, esquire, who was captured in the conflict at Dumbar and is imprisoned in Tunebrigg castle, and to his keeper the arrears of their

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wages during the sheriff's time, and to pay them their wages henceforth, to wit 3*d.* a day to Laurence and 2*d.* a day to the keeper, until otherwise ordered by the king.

Oct. 26.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Notification that the king has taken the homage of Joan, the eldest daughter and co-heiress of Sibyl de Bello Campo, and the homage of John de Liddel, who married Alice, the youngest daughter and co-heiress of Sibyl, for the purparties falling to them of the lands that Sibyl at her death held of the king in chief, and has rendered to them their purparties, and order to divide the lands into two equal parts in the presence of Joan, John, and Alice, if they choose to be present, and to cause them to have seisin of their purparties, upon their finding security to render their relief to the exchequer, saving the right of others.

Oct. 30.
Langley.

To the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk. Order to permit the prior of Lewes to have respite until the octaves of the Purification next for all debts due to the exchequer, as the king has granted this respite to him.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties :

Cambridge.

York.

Sussex and Surrey.

Leicester.

Nov. 2.
Langley.

To the sheriff of Sussex. Order to deliver from prison those who were indicted before Robert de Bures and Walter de Gilling for besieging the church of Pageham and the houses of the church and for divers trespasses committed by them upon Theobald de Bares, parson of the aforesaid church, and upon Gerricus de Fago, his proctor there, and whom the king ordered to be taken by the sheriff and to be committed to prison until he should otherwise ordain, and also others who were indicted of these trespasses before the said Robert and Walter and were arrested and imprisoned by the sheriff, upon their finding mainpernors who shall undertake, to wit body for body, to have them before the king at his will to answer to him for the contempt aforesaid and to Theobald and Gerricus for the trespasses aforesaid.

By K.

Nov. 2.
Langley.

To the sheriff of Somerset. Order to permit Hugh de Curteny to have respite during the king's pleasure for all debts due from him to the exchequer, as the king has granted this respite to Hugh, who is setting out by his order for Scotland in his service.

The like to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer and to the sheriff of Devon.

By K.

Nov. 2.
Langley.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Nicholas le Butiller to have from the issues of the escheator's bailiwick 2*d.* daily for his wages until otherwise ordered, together with the arrears of that sum since the escheator's appointment.

By K.

Nov. 5.
Lavendon.

To Adam de Welles, keeper of the forest between the bridges of Oxford and Staunford. Order to cause the abbot of Lavendene to have in the forest of Salcey (*de Salceto*) six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K.

Nov. 13.
Tickhill.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to cause Roger de Donecastre, William de Lund and Margery, his wife, Hugh de Thorp, and Robert son of Bartholomew to have seisin of a quarter of a messuage and of a quarter of a bovat of land in Claworth, as the king learns by inquisition taken

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by the sheriff that the premises, which Robert Tupeheved, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that the township of Claworth ought to answer to the king for the year and the day thereof.

Oct. 30.
Langley.

To Walter de Pederton, justice of West Wales. Order to cause the abbess of Thlanthler to be acquitted of the 20 marks at which she was lately amerced before the justice for a trespass that she is said to have committed in felling an oak in the king's wood of Killelewresse and in carrying it away without the king's licence, as the king has pardoned her this amercement at the instance of Queen Margaret, his consort. By K.

Nov. 16.
York.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause William de Cantilupo to have respite during the king's pleasure for all debts due from him to the exchequer, as the king has granted this respite to William, who is setting out with him for Scotland in his service by his order.

The like to the sheriffs of York and Lincoln.

Nov. 16.
York.

Roger le Syneman of Seleby, imprisoned at York for the death of John le Baggere of Snayth, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him until the first assize.

Nov. 18.
York.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Master Richard de Havering', keeper of the king's manor of Clipston, to have in the forest of Shirewode twenty oaks fit for timber, in order to repair the king's houses of the manor.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

To Master Richard de Haveryng, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause six tuns of wine to be bought for the king's use, and to cause them to be carried to the aforesaid manor and there placed in the king's cellar.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent. Order to cause Eustace de Hache, constable of Marleberge castle, to have in the king's forest of Sevenak ninety oaks fit for timber, in order to repair the king's fishpond at Marleberge and his mills and houses at La Berton.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Nov. 18.
York.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to cause William de Hache, who is setting out with Eustace de Hache for Scotland in the king's service by his order, as appears to the king by Eustace's testimony, to have respite until the quinzaine of Easter for all debts due to the king at that exchequer, unless the king shall otherwise ordain in the meantime, as the king has granted William this respite.

By K.

The like in favour of Robert Mile, who is setting out with John de Merk', addressed to the sheriff of Cumberland.

Nov. 16.
York.

The like in favour of Nicholas de Wortelewe, who is setting out with William de Cantilupo, addressed to the sheriff of York.

The like in favour of Robert de Plumton, who is setting out with the said William, addressed to the sheriff of York.

The like in favour of Fulk Lestrangle (*Extraneus*), who is setting out with William le Latimer, addressed to the sheriff of York.

Nov. 18.
York.

To J. bishop of Winchester. Request that he will grant as a courtesy (*curialitatem facere*) to the king bream and pikes in order to stock the fishpond at the castle of Marleberge, as the king has to stock it, and that

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he will deliver them to Eustace de Hacche, constable of the castle, for which the king will be thankful to him.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

The like to the following :

The abbot of Stanley in Wiltshire for bream and pikes.

By K. on the information of the said bishop.

The abbot of Reding for bream.

By K. on the information of the said bishop.

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Oct. 30.
Langley.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Maud de Bello Campo, countess of Warwick, the eldest sister and heiress of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the following knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to him, which the king has assigned to her in accordance with the partition of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches made in chancery by the assent of the heirs and parceners of Richard's inheritance: a third of a fee in Yerdele, co. Northampton, which Henry Gobion holds; a quarter and an eighth of a fee that Adam de la Rivere holds in co. Wilts; a moiety of a fee in Redmerleye, co. Worcester, which John de Redmerleye holds; a fee in Berghes, co. Essex, which John de Rocheford holds; the advowson of the hospital of Shulldham, co. Norfolk; the advowson of the church of Fambrigge, co. Essex; the advowson of the church of Stanbrigg, co. Essex; and the advowson of the church of Nategrave, co. Gloucester. The king has also assigned to her from the knights' fees that Emma, late the wife of the said Richard, holds in dower of the inheritance aforesaid a moiety of a knight's fee in Chilinton, co. Stafford, which John Giffard holds. The king has also assigned to her, Robert de Clifford and Idonia de Leyburn, co-heirs with her, from the advowsons of churches that Emma holds in dower of the said inheritance the advowson of the church of Gravele, co. Surrey, to have in their purparties after Emma's death under this form: that the countess shall present to it upon the first voidance, and Robert and Idonia upon the second, and so alternately for ever.

To the same. Like order to cause Joan la Botillere, one of the sisters and heiresses of the said Richard, to have seisin of the following knights' fees and advowsons: a fee in Benefeld, co. Sussex, which Henry de Benefeld holds: a fee in the same town that John Weps holds; a quarter of a fee in Puppesti, in the same county; a moiety of a fee in Adelworth, which moiety the prior of Lewes holds; a fee in Little Stanbrigg, co. Essex, which William de Sutton holds; the advowson of the hospital of Tillebury, co. Essex; and the advowson of the church of Shire, co. Surrey. The king has also assigned to her from the knights' fees and advowsons that the aforesaid Emma holds in dower a fifth of a fee in Botteleydon, co. Buckingham, and the advowson of the church of Attefeld, co. Surrey, to have in her purparty after Emma's death.

To the same. Like order to cause Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, kinsman and one of the heirs of the said Richard, to have seisin of the following knights' fees and advowsons that belonged to Richard: a fee in Lasham, co. Southampton, which John Dabernoun holds; a quarter of a fee in Camsyde, co. Essex, which John Butteturte holds; the advowson of the hospital of Snellesdale, co. Buckingham; and the

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advowson of the church of Morton, co. Devon. The king has also assigned to him from the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that the aforesaid Emma holds in dower of the said inheritance a fee in Northpidele, co. Worcester, which Henry de Segrave holds; and the advowson of the church of Westbury, co. Wilts.

To the same. Like order to assign to Robert de Clyfford, kinsman, and Idonia de Leyburn, the niece of the aforesaid Richard, his co-heirs, the following of the knights' fees that belonged to Richard: $1\frac{1}{4}$ fees in Lambourne, co. Essex, which William de Rym . . . holds; a fee in Lasham, co. Southampton, which the prior of Portesmueth holds; a moiety of a fee in Skelbrok, co. York, which fee Edmund le Botiller holds; the advowson of the hospital of Ivichirche; and the advowson of the church of Wyntreslawe. The king has also assigned to them from the knights' fees that the aforesaid Emma holds in dower of the said inheritance a moiety of a fee in Adynton, co. Buckingham; and two parts of a fee in Est Aston, in the same county. The king has also assigned to them and to Maud de Bello Campo, countess of Warwick, from the advowsons of churches that Emma holds in dower the advowson of the church of [Gravele], co. Surrey, to have in their purparties after Emma's death, in this form: that the countess shall present to it upon the first voidance, and Robert and Idonia upon the second, and so alternately for ever.

Nov. 16.
York.

To Master Richard de Abyndon, the king's clerk. Whereas the king has appointed Richard Siward and him to ordain and provide for the safe custody of the close [without the castle] of Lohmaban strengthened with palings, as contained in the king's letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 27 Edward I, p. 455], and it is necessary that Richard Siward shall come with the king in his present expedition: the king orders Richard de Abyndon to go in person to the said place and to ordain and provide for the said custody as shall seem fit to his discretion, so that the king ought to commend his circumspection and industry.

Robert le Bonde of Haneleye, imprisoned at Worcester for the death of Adam le Yap of Hanleye, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

Nov. 18.
York.

To Edward, the king's son. Order to cause the body of Edward, son of John de Balliolo, who is staying with the king's son, to be delivered to John de Warennia, earl of Surrey, or to his attorney bringing this letter and the earl's letters of receipt making mention of the said Edward, as the king has granted the said Edward to the earl to be kept as the king has enjoined upon him by word of mouth.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Nov. 15.
York.

To Walter de la Haye, escheator in Ireland. Order to take into the king's hands all the lands with the knights' fees and advowsons of churches and other appurtenances of John de Mohun within the county of Kildare and without it in Ireland, and to cause them to be safely kept until the king shall otherwise ordain, so that answer may be made to the exchequer of Dublin for the issues thence arising, as John has surrendered the said lands into the king's hands quit of him and his heirs. By K.

Nov. 16.
York.

To Robert de Clyfford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Minors of Grantham to have in the forest of Shirewode eight oaks fit for timber for the works of their church at Grantham, of the king's gift. By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburn.

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Nov. 16.
York.

To Eustace de Hacche, constable of Marleberge castle. Order to cause the king's fishpond at the castle and his mills and houses at Le Berton to be repaired.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

To John de London[ia], constable of Windsor castle. Order to cause the houses, tower, walls and bridges of the castle, with the stable and wall of the king's garden without the castle, the houses and ponds of the park of Windsor, with the paling round it, the houses and walls of the manor of Kenyton, with the paling and wall round the park there, and the houses and walls of the manor of Bray, to be repaired.

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Memorandum, that whereas the king granted that John de Sandale in the first place should be preferred to others to a church or prebend of the value of 100 marks, and then Master John Lovel should be preferred to others to a prebend of the value of 80 or 100 marks, pertaining to the king's collation, as soon as they should happen to be void, he granted at Newcastle-on-Tyne, on Thursday before St. Andrew, that Walter de Agmodesham shall, after the said John and John have been thus provided, be preferred to others to a church or prebend of the value of 80 or 100 marks pertaining to the king's collation.

Nov. 26.
Newcastle-on-
Tyne.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Writ of summons for an eyre for common pleas, to be holden at Cambridge on the octaves of St. Hilary before John de Berewyk and others.

To John de Metingham. Order to send to the said John de Berewyk and his fellows at Cambridge on the said octaves all pleas and suits, with the original writs and all other things concerning them, touching any persons of the said county pleading or being impleaded before him and his fellows, justices of the Bench, under his seal together with this writ, adjourning the parties therein before John de Berewyk and his fellows at the said day and place, according to custom.

Dec. 8.
Tynemouth.

Gerard Salveyn acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Master John Fraunceys, executor of William's will.

Dec. 4.
Tynemouth.

The abbot of Rievaulx acknowledges that he owes to the said William 480*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by John de Merkingfeld, one of the executors of William's will.

Thomas de la Chapele, John de Goldington of Coleby, and Robert de Middleton acknowledge that they owe to William de Thorntoft 20*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels.

Dec. 5.
Horton
Grange.

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that William de Egeelyf came before the king, on Friday the eve of St. Nicholas, and sought to replevy his land in Bradefeld, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices against Maud, daughter of Ranulph de Herteclyf.

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Enrolment of grant and surrender by Robert de Byker and Laderina, his wife, to the king of all their lands, rents and services of all their tenants from all the lands that the tenants previously held of Robert and Laderina and that Robert and Laderina previously held of the king in Pampedene in Byker within the following boundaries: beginning at the brook of Pampedene and so ascending eastwards to the windmill of Emma Thorald on the north of the meadow of Bartholomew Patoun, and so from the mill by a way leading to the south outside the walls of the house of the Carmelite Friars on Walknou, and so by a hedge (*haicium*) on the east of the way as the hedge extends southwards and eastwards to a little ditch (*sikettum*) that falls into the water of Tyne, between the land formerly belonging to Adam Gounter on the east and the land formerly belonging to John Hanyn on the west, to wit whatsoever Robert and Laderina had in Pampedene in Biker on the day when this charter was made. Witnesses: W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, Walter de Bello Campo, steward of the king's household, William le Latimer, John Tregoz, Eustace de Hacche, knights; Henry le Scot, John le Scot and Hugh de Karliolo, burgesses of Newcastle-on-Tyne. Dated at Newcastle-on-Tyne, on Thursday before St. Andrew, 27 Edward I.

Memorandum, that Robert and Laderina came into chancery at Newcastle-on-Tyne, on Friday before St. Andrew, in the presence of J. de Insula, baron of the exchequer, and rendered all the lands aforesaid to the king and acknowledged them to be his right as the things that he has of their grant. And Laderina, upon being examined by herself and being asked what right she had in the lands, says that a moiety is of her inheritance and the other of her acquisition to her, her heirs and assigns, and being asked if she is well content with the surrender and acknowledgment aforesaid, she says that she is.

Dec. 5.
Belsay
(Belsowe).

To the abbot and convent of Osolveston. Order to grant to Henry de Langeton, king's clerk, a suitable pension from their house until he shall be provided by them with a fitting ecclesiastical benefice, making to him letters patent concerning it, as the king has nominated him to receive the pension in which the abbot is bound by reason of his new creation to one of the king's clerks, to be nominated by the king, until he shall provide such clerk with a fitting ecclesiastical benefice.

Dec. 3.
Tynemouth.

To the barons and men of the port of Dover. Order to have all the service due from them and from the ships of that port before the king at Skynburneyse near Carlisle on the eve or day of Whitsuntide next, ready and prepared and well manned (*munitum*) to do the service due to the king, who makes this order by reason of certain very arduous affairs touching him and them and all the subjects of his realm and the estate of the realm. [*Fadera*].

The like to the barons and men of the following ports:

Sandwich.	Wynch[eleseye].
Hethe.	Hasting[es].
Romenhale.	La Rye. [<i>Ibid.</i>]

Dec. 4.
Tynemouth.

John son of Thomas de Pontefract acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Dec. 3.
Tynemouth.

To John de Berewyk. Notification that the king has given him power to receive in his name oath from John de Bauquell, whom the king has appointed justice to make eyre with John and other subjects of the king for common pleas in co. Cambridge, in the form in which he himself took

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the oath to the king to make the eyre there and according to the articles concerning the oath, and as has been wont to be done in the like case in times past, and order to receive the oath and to certify the king thereof under his seal.

To John de Bauquell. Order to be at Cambridge in the octaves of St. Hilary next, as the king has appointed him his justice to make eyre for common pleas in that county together with John de Berewyk and others, and order to take oath before John de Berewyk as he shall charge upon him on the king's behalf. The king has ordered John de Berewyk to receive the oath.

Dec. 3.
Tynemouth.

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Request and order to send to the king at Carlisle on the eve of Whitsunday suitable and sufficient aid of men at arms in as much force as he can, in order to set out for Scotland as shall be then ordained by the king and his men who shall be then with him, as the king intends to be at Carlisle at the said date in order to set out for Scotland against the enemies of the crown and realm of England, and the king is aware of the feebleness of the earl's body, by reason whereof he cannot come in person. *French.* [*Parl. Writs.*]

Dec. 5.
Belsay
(Belshou).

To John de Rotherfeld. Order to be at York upon sight hereof at the king's exchequer before his council on Wednesday after St. Lucy next, laying aside all other affairs, to hear and do what the king's council shall then cause to be enjoined upon him. The king makes this order by reason of certain affairs concerning him about which he wishes to confer with John (*communicare vobiscum*). [*Ibid.*]

The like to nineteen others. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 3.
Tynemouth.

To Robert de Burghesshe, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to cause proclamation to be made throughout his bailiwick, and to warn all and singular of the said ports who owe service to the king, that they shall have all the service due to the king from them and the ships of those ports before him at Skynburnessye near Carlisle on the eve or day of Whitsunday next, ready and prepared and well manned (*munitum*) to do the service due to the king, certifying the king at that day and place as to the manner in which he shall have executed this order.

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Dec. 3.
Tynemouth.

To the barons and men of the port of Sandwich. Order to have all the service due to the king from them and the ships of that port before him at Skineburneyse near Carlisle on the eve or day of Whitsunday, ready and prepared and well manned to do the service due to him.

The like to the barons and men of the following ports :

Hethe.	Dover.
Wynchelse.	Romenhale.
Hasting[es].	Rye.

Dec. 12.
Durham.

To the treasurer and chamberlains. Order to deliver the rolls of the last eyre of the king's justices in co. Cambridge, together with the inquisitions and all other things touching them, which are in the treasury in their custody, by indenture to John de Berewyk, whom the king has appointed with others his justices to make eyre for common pleas in that county.

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Durham.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Whereas the king has ordered him and the chancellor and treasurer of Ireland to make many and divers provisions of victuals for the king's use in Ireland, and to cause them to be sent to the port of Skynburneyse near Carlisle, because he needs many sorts of victuals for the maintenance of himself and his army with which he intends to set out against his Scotch rebels next summer: he orders the justiciary to cause proclamation to be made in all cities, boroughs, and other market towns where he shall think fit, prohibiting the holding in the meantime of any fairs or markets, whether belonging to the king or to others, by which such provisions may be in any way hindered so that the king's order may not be fully executed. He is also ordered to cause proclamation to be made that all merchants of whatsoever country they may be, may safely come with their things and merchandise to the king and his men in the said expedition, to trade and make their advantage of their things and merchandise there, and that the king will cause them to be satisfied for their things and goods that shall be there sold to the king or to others, provided that they ply lawful merchandise and do not communicate therewith with the king's enemies.

Dec. 20.
York.

To Master Geoffrey, the pope's chamberlain. Although the king, as he lately informed (*mandaverimus*) Geoffrey, intended to send special letters to the pope in the matter of the prebend of Massham in the church of York, which John de Columpna, son of Landulph de Columpna, contends that he has by papal provision, he has for certain reasons omitted writing at present, but he desires and requests that Geoffrey will inform the pope concerning the process of the matter and the right to the collation to the prebend that pertains to the king by reason of his royal dignity, in accordance with what the king made known to him not long ago, and that he will do this in the best way that he can, superseding wholly in the meantime the execution of any process by him, since the king does not believe that it is the pope's intention to deprive the king of his rights or to derogate from them in any way, but to keep them uninjured and, if need be, to augment them. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 801.]

Dec. 12.
Durham.

To the treasurer and chamberlains of Ireland. Whereas the king needs divers sorts of victuals for the maintenance of himself and of the army with which he intends to set out against his rebels, the Scots, and for this reason has ordered John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, Master Thomas Cantok, chancellor of Ireland, and the treasurer to cause 8,000 quarters of wheat, whereof 6,000 shall be in bouted flour so that no bran shall remain therein and shall be placed in barrels, and the remainder shall be in grain pure and dry and not in barrels, and 10,000 quarters of oats, 2,000 quarters of ground malt, 1,000 tuns of wine, 500 salted carcasses of oxen, 1,000 bacon-pigs (*baconibus*), and 20,000 dried fish to be prepared in Ireland as speedily as possible for the said expedition, and to cause them to be sent to the port of Skinburneyse near Carlisle, so that he may have them all ready on the eve of Whitsunday or at that feast at the latest in the said port: the king orders them to cause payment for the preceding and for the carriage thereof to be made from his treasury there, either in the whole or in parcels as the provisions may be acquired. In case his money now in their custody is insufficient to make such payment, they shall provide and procure money by loan to be contracted in the king's name and by other good ways and means by which the provisions may be best and most quickly got together and made ready, so that the king may have them at the said day and place by all means; for which he wills that satisfaction shall be made by them out of the first

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moneys of his that shall come to the exchequer of Dublin. They are exhorted to exert such care and diligence in executing and completing the premises that the king shall not be balked of his intention, and they are enjoined not to omit to do this in any way as they cherish the prosperous expedition of the king's affairs and as they would avoid his wrath.

Dec. 12.
York.

The following have quittance of the common summons [of the eyre] for common pleas in co. Cambridge :

The abbot of St. Mary's, York.

The prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England.

W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

The abbot of Grestein (*Gresteno*).

The abbot of St. Albans.

Reginald de Grey.

Ralph de Monte Hermeri, earl of Gloucester and Hertford.

The master of the military order of the Temple in England.

Joan, late the wife of John Engayne.

Robert son of Walter.

John Lestrangle (*Extraneus*).

The abess of Berkingg.

Dec. 20.
York.

John de Casteford, parson of the church of Brodeworth, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.—The chancellor received the acknowledgment.

John de Borham acknowledges that he owes to the said William 40*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.—The chancellor received the acknowledgment.

Dec. 20.
York.

Henry Hog of Newcastle-under-Lyme (*subtus Limam*) came before the king, on Saturday the eve of St. Thomas, and sought to replevy to Richard de Honford the latter's land in Trentham, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Richard, the prior of Trentham. This is signified to the justices.

The said Henry came before the king, on the same day, and sought to replevy to William Ruyl of Honford the latter's land in Trentham, which was taken into the king's hands as above.

Dec. 23.
Pocklington.

William de Ebor[aco] came before the king, on Tuesday after St. Thomas, and sought to replevy to Robert Cok of Retford and Agnes, his wife, their land in Retford, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Robert son of Master Adam le Clerk of Retford. This is signified to the justices.

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Jan. 12.
Peterborough.

Robert Nutehod came before the king, on Monday before St. Hilary, and sought to replevy to Walter de Stirkeland, Baldwin de Shepesheved, and Sibyl, his wife, their land in Helsington, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Agatha, late the wife of Thomas de Parys. This is signified to the justices.

Jan. 13.
Peterborough.

John de Wyminton came before the king, on Tuesday the feast of St. Hilary, and sought to replevy to John de Tany the latter's land, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Alice, late the wife of Thomas le Chay. This is signified to the justices.

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Peterborough.

Robert le Warde of Kynstan came before the king, on the said day, and sought to replevy his land in Kynstan, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Sibyl la Ostriser. This is signified to the justices.

Jan. 7.
Lincoln.

To pope B[oniface]. The king, regarding the inconveniences or even irreparable damages threatening the church of York through the long absence of the dean, is the more confidently induced to make known to the pope certain of his sentiments concerning this matter, because he thinks that the pope will provide a remedy to preserve the churches of every realm from harm. The chapter of the aforesaid church when it was lately deprived of its dean by the consecration of H[enry] as archbishop, proceeded to the election of a dean, and unanimously chose William de Hamelton, the archdeacon of the church, the king's clerk, who has served the king very faithfully for a long time without intermission; and when the matter of the election was presented to the archbishop, to whom the confirmation or rejection (*infirmatio*) pertains, he deferred admitting and confirming the elect by reason of a papal provision lately made to Sir F. cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Cosmydin of the next void parsonage or dignity in that church, wishing to consult the pope upon the matter of the election. The king desires to make known to the pope the greatness of the cure and the other various burdens incumbent upon the deanery, and that he is unable to allow the distribution of alms to cease, especially that which has to be made continuously by the deans of York by old ordinance by reason of certain parish churches, whereof the deanery consists, that were wholly conferred by the king's progenitors, which [would be] to the prejudice of his royal dignity, and requests the pope to consider the premises and to provide an opportune remedy as to remitting the matter of the said election, so that the said church shall not be exposed to irreparable charges. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 802.]

MEMBRANE 18d.

To J. cardinal priest of SS. Marcellinus and Peter. Request for the aid of his influence in obtaining the grant of the king's petition in the aforesaid matter of the deanery of York. [*Ibid.* iii., p. 803.]

The like to M. bishop of Porto and St. Ruffina.

Jan. 13.
Ogerston

William de Bosco came before the king, on Tuesday the feast of St. Hilary, and sought to replevy to John Say the latter's land in Chichester, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against John Athelard. This is signified to the justices.

Elizabeth, late the wife of William de Say, acknowledges that she owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Kent and Sussex.

Cancelled on payment.

Feb. 6.
Tuyle Bridge.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Order to be with the king at London on the first Sunday of Lent to treat of certain of the king's affairs beyond sea and to give his counsel concerning them, as the king wishes to have a parliament (*colloquium*) and treaty with him and other prelates and *procures* of the realm upon the said affairs. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to nineteen bishops. [*Ibid.*]

To the abbot of St. Albans. Like order. [*Ibid.*]

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The like to thirty-nine abbots and priors. [*Ibid.*]
 To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Like order. [*Ibid.*]
 The like to nine earls and Aymer de Valencia. [*Ibid.*]
 To Henry de Percy. Like order. [*Ibid.*]
 The like to seventy-eight 'barons.' [*Ibid.*]
 To Roger Brabazon. Like order. [*Ibid.*]
 The like to twenty others. [*Ibid.*]

Laurence de Belstede, parson of the church of Wytfeld, acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Lincoln[ia], clerk, 16*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Oxford and Suffolk.

Walter de Borham of Watford acknowledges that he owes to the said Thomas 40*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

Roger Page of Watford acknowledges that he owes to the said Thomas 40*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

Memorandum, that three deeds under the seal of Sir John Wak, one surrendering to the king the manors of Cotingham, Weveton, Kirkeby Moresheved, Aton, Hemlington, Botereram, Middelton, and Cropton, the second selling all his moveable goods in the said manors to the king, and the third for livery of the manors and moveable goods to the king, were delivered by Adam de Osgod[eby] to Sir John de Benstede, to be kept in the king's wardrobe.

Feb. 18.
Westminster.

To the barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Hethe. Whereas they and the other barons of the Cinque Ports and the bailiffs and burgesses of the town of Yarmouth have submitted themselves to the king's ordination and award concerning all the controversies and disputes between them and their co-barons and the said bailiffs and burgesses, as is contained in their letters patent in the king's hands, and the king lately caused his award to be thus commenced, to wit that good peace shall be observed between them and the bailiffs and barons: he orders them to observe the peace so far as in them lies, and not to inflict or to permit to be inflicted upon the bailiffs and burgesses or their men, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb, goods and chattels and of all that they can forfeit, any wrong, annoyance, or damage to themselves or their goods, and he orders them to be before him and his council in fifteen days from Easter next to do and receive what the king shall cause to be ordained by his council concerning these controversies and disputes.

The like to the barons, bailiffs, and men of the ports of Rumenhale, Hasting', Sandwich, Dover, Wynchelse, Rye, and Pevenese, by divers writs.

The like to the bailiffs and men of Great Yarmouth and of Little Yarmouth, by divers writs.

Memorandum, that, on 28 December, Master John de Craucumbe, Master John de Cadamo, and William de Birlaco delivered the king's great seal into his wardrobe at Cotingham, and the seal was delivered on the same day to Sir John de Drokenesford, to be carried to London to the chancellor, and he delivered it to the chancellor at London on Saturday after the Epiphany.

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MEMBRANE 17d.

Enrolment of letter to pope B[oniface], dated at Westminster, 19 February, 1298[-9], requesting him to hear and give credence to what Master Peter de Dene, king's clerk, the bearer of the presents, shall expound to him and request from him on the king's behalf concerning the expedition of the affairs of John de Langeton, the king's chancellor, elect of Ely, which matters the king has much at heart, and desiring that he will favourably hasten these matters so that the elect, who is not only useful but indispensable, may remain by the king's side at this time to aid in bringing to effect the matters between the king and the king of France. [Prynne, *Records*, iii. p. 798.]

To F. cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Cosmodin. Like letter, requesting his aid in bringing the matters to effect. [*Ibid.* p. 799.]

The like to the following :

Sir . . . , bishop of Tusculum.

Sir F. cardinal deacon of St. Lucy.

Sir P. cardinal deacon of St. Mary Nova.

Sir M. bishop of Porto and St. Ruffina.

Sir . . . , bishop of Sabina.

William de Craye, knight, and William de Goldington acknowledge that they owe to Robert de Rokesle, the younger, 5 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Essex and Kent.

Feb. 18.
Westminster.

To the master and brethren of God's House, Dover. Request that they will admit into their house Henry le Charetter, who long and faithfully served Queen Eleanor, the king's late consort, and whom the king is sending to them, and that they will grant him the necessaries of life for so long as he shall live.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Winterburn.

John de la Mare acknowledges that he owes to John de Langeton, the chancellor, 53s. 4d. ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Wilts.

John de Langeton, the younger, acknowledges that he owes to Eustace le Bret 4 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

March 2.
Windsor.

Elias de Hertford acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 12l. ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Buckingham and Hertford.

William Bysuthen of Grenewyche, Ralph de Dereham, Jordan de Dereham, and Henry Bysuthen of Grenewyche acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton 9l. ; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Cancelled on payment.

March 6.
Chertsey.

John Paynel, knight, acknowledges that he owes to James de la Plaunche 120 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Warwick, Norfolk and Suffolk.

Robert de Asshele acknowledges that he owes to John de Dene 40s. ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

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*Membrane 17d—cont.*March 6.
Chertsey.

Richard de Perers, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Leicester.

*Cancelled on payment.*March 8.
Kingston.

Robert de Clifford acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 30*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Westmoreland.

March 18.
Westminster.

Robert son of Roger, knight, John de Clavering, knight, Hugh Gubium, knight, acknowledge that they owe to William Persone, John Fulbert, and Cambinus Fulbert, merchants of Florence, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Northumberland and Essex.

Philip de Shirburn acknowledges that he owes to Master Edmund de London[ia], parson of the church of Wytesford, 60*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Kent and Essex.

Peter son of William de Hatfeld Regis acknowledges that he owes to Master John de Wyngesham, precentor of St. Paul's church, London, 12 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

March 19.
Westminster.

Nicholas de Gildeford, parson of the church of Chesterton, acknowledges that he owes to John de Langeton 55*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.—W. de Hamelton received the acknowledgment.

March 19.
Westminster.

Hugh de Mortimer, lord of Richard's Castle, acknowledges that he owes to William de Paston, clerk, 52 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Hereford, Salop, Worcester and Essex.

*Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by John de Paston of London, attorney of the executors of William's will.*March 18.
Westminster.

John de Clavering acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

March 18.
Westminster.

Robert de Malo Lacu, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Barthelby, clerk, 44*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

March 20.
Westminster.

Master Hugh Duket, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Gloucestr[ia], knight, 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

John de Ingham acknowledges that he owes to the said Walter 18*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

March 20.
Westminster.

The said John acknowledges that he owes to John son of the said Walter 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

March 28.
Westminster.

Robert de Frekebergh acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 50*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

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March 24. John de Columbariis, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Master
Westminster. Thomas de Abburbury 32 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Dorset and Somerset.

Martin Mulet of Renewell acknowledges that he owes to Peter Burre of Reylee 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

March 27. Walter de Derneford acknowledges that he owes to John de Watford,
Westminster. clerk, 7*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Southampton and Dorset.

March 26. To the sheriffs of London. The king sends to them certain articles
Westminster. contained in the Great Charter of the Forest, which articles the late king granted for the honour of God and the profit and utility of his people, and which the king accepts, and he wills and grants that they shall be held and observed throughout all the forests of his realm in the following form: Inquisition or view of the expedition of dogs within the Forest shall be made henceforth [*etc. as in the articles of the Forest in the Statute 'de Finibus Levatis,' 27 Edward 1, printed from the Statute Roll in the 'Statutes of the Realm,' i, pp. 127-8, tested 2 April, to the end of the articles*], and the king orders them to cause these articles to be read and published forthwith in cities, boroughs, market towns and other public (*solempnibus*) places throughout their bailiwick where they shall see fit as the articles that the king has granted and which he wills shall be firmly held and observed in form aforesaid. Nevertheless he wills that perambulation of the forests shall be made as quickly as he can after the affairs that he has to transact with the envoys of the Roman court who are coming to England shall have been expedited, which affairs are so arduous that they touch him and all his realm and the whole of Christianity, and for the expedition whereof it is expedient and necessary that he should have all his council with him. And he wills that the sheriffs shall make this matter with the others aforesaid known to everybody without delay. [*Prynne, Records, iii, p. 844.*]

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The like to all the sheriffs of England.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. The king sends to him the aforesaid articles, and orders him to observe all of them as the articles that the king has granted and which he wills shall be held and firmly observed, and to cause them to be observed inviolably by the foresters, verderers and all other ministers of the forests throughout his bailiwick.

The like to Robert de Clyfford, justice beyond the Trent.

Memorandum, that on Monday before St. Martin in Winter, 25 Edward I, at Ghent, in the presence of A. bishop of Durham and Sir John de Bensted, specially deputed by the king for this purpose, Sir William de Brewose acknowledged that he owed to Sir Roger de Moubray and to his executors for the marriage of John de Moubray, Roger's son and heir, 500 marks; and he granted that if he should fail in making payment at any of the specified terms, the king might levy the arrears from his lands and chattels and cause him to be distrained until he should satisfy Roger's executors. And be it known that, on 29 March, in the twenty-seventh

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year of the reign, at Westminster, John de Crepping and his fellows, executors of Roger's will, assigned to the king 100 marks of the aforesaid sum from the money to be first levied.

The king wills that the treasurer and chamberlains of the exchequer shall cause an indented roll to be made of all the parcels of money paid for the king's business without warrant to whomsoever the money may have been paid, since the commencement of the war between him and the king of France; of which roll one part shall remain with the treasurer and chamberlains in the exchequer, and the other with the chancellor for his warrant to make writs in due form thereupon to the said treasurer and chamberlains for these parcels. *French.*

March 29. Master Henry de Bray and Master Thomas de Esthalle acknowledge
Westminster. that they owe to William de Esthalle 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Northampton and Oxford.

March 30. The abbot of Bruern (*la Bruere*) acknowledges that he owes to the
Westminster. abbot of Wynchcombe 16*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

March 29. Emma, late the wife of Richard son of John, puts in her place Ralph
Westminster. de Birton and Thomas de Hayton to receive her dower in chancery of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to Richard.

Robert son of Simon de Haxheye acknowledges that he owes to William de Clendon, clerk, 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

April 1. Reginald le Clerk of Oswaldestrete, John de Lodelawe, and William de
Westminster. Lodelawe acknowledge that they owe to Henry Cosyn, Thomas Cosyn, son of Peter Cosyn, and Idonia, sister of Henry and Thomas, 85 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Salop.

Henry de Grey acknowledges that he owes to Maud, late the wife of Walter de Sturton, 100*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Nottingham.

April 7. Reginald de Clyfford acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Gloucestr[ia]
Westminster. 14 marks 3*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Devon.

John, parson of the church of Henle, acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Neuburgh 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

April 5. John de Ingham acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Gloucestr[ia],
Westminster. knight, 18*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

March 24. The said John acknowledges that he owes to John son of Walter de
Westminster. Gloucestr[ia] 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

The said John acknowledges that he owes to the said John son of Walter 5 marks of yearly pension, to be paid to John son of Walter at Easter term during his life and until he shall be provided by the said John de Ingham or his heirs with an ecclesiastical benefit of that value.

Master Hugh Duket acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Gloucestr[ia], knight, 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Leicester.

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*Membrane 16d—cont.*April 9.
Westminster.

Thomas Brun, poulterer (*poleter*), of London, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 6*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

April 10.
Westminster.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Request that he will be with the king at Westminster at the quinzaine of Easter, to treat with the king concerning certain special and arduous affairs concerning the king and his estate that have lately arisen, which the king is unwilling to expedite without the archbishop's presence. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to sixteen bishops. [*Ibid.*]

To the abbot of St. Albans. Like request. [*Ibid.*]

The like to twenty-five other abbots. [*Ibid.*]

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Summons to be with the king as above. [*Ibid.*]

The like to nine earls and Aymer de Valencia. [*Ibid.*]

To John de Hasting'. Like summons. [*Ibid.*]

The like to forty-five others. [*Ibid.*]

March 30.
Westminster

To the archbishop of Canterbury. The king during the late voidance of the church of York by the death of J. late archbishop of that church, and when the church was in the king's hands, conferred the prebend of Massam—which was lately held by Bogo de Clare, deceased, in that church, and which the king found had been divided by the archbishop into several portions after Bogo's death without his assent being asked—in its entirety with all its rights and appurtenances upon a clerk of his, as pertained to him by his full royal right, and caused the clerk to be inducted into corporal possession of the prebend by the chapter of that church, according to custom; and when the said clerk had enjoyed the prebend peacefully and quietly for two years and over, John de Columpna, son of Landulph de Columpna—subsequently suggesting to Pope B[oniface] VIII that the prebend was due to him and was void by a provision of Pope Nicholas IV, saying nothing of the king's right by suppression of the truth—obtained from Pope Boniface letters apostolic to certain executors to induct him or his proctor into possession of the prebend by himself or by others, and to defend him after induction; which, if it had succeeded, would have indeed redounded to the weakening of the king's royal right and disinheritance; and the king, being unable to tolerate this, prohibited the executors aforesaid from attempting, or from causing to be attempted, anything in this behalf in any way that should result in his disinheritance or the prejudice of his royal right, and from proceeding to the execution of this matter without consulting him. As letters apostolic are now said to have come to the archbishop, wherein it is contained that he shall admonish on the pope's behalf the king's chancellor, by whom the prebend is alleged therein to be detained contrary to justice, and any other detainer or detainers of the prebend to leave it in peace to the aforesaid John de Columpna, or to his proctor, within a certain time, or otherwise that the archbishop shall cause them to be cited to appear before the pope, nothing being therein said of the king's royal right or of his collation of his said clerk or of the possession and continuation of possession by the clerk as expressed above: the king prohibits the archbishop from attempting, or from causing to be attempted, in any way anything in this matter to the disinheritance or diminution of the king's crown, or to the prejudice of his collation aforesaid, and from proceeding to the execution of this matter, informing him that he intends sending shortly envoys to the pope concerning this matter for the excuse of the king and of the archbishop. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, p. 800.]

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Memorandum, that on Monday before St. Martin in winter, 25 Edward I, at Ghent, in the presence of A. bishop of Durham and Sir John de Bensted, specially deputed by the king for this purpose, Sir William de Brehose acknowledged that he owed to Sir Roger de Moubray and to his executors for the marriage of John de Moubray, Roger's son and heir, 500 marks; and he granted that if he should fail in making payment at any of the specified terms, the king might levy the arrears from his lands and chattels and cause him to be distrained until he should satisfy Roger's executors. And be it known that, on 29 March, in the twenty-seventh year of the reign, at Westminster, John de Crepping and his fellows, executors of Roger's will, assigned to the king 100 marks of the aforesaid sum from the money to be first levied.

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April 6. To H. archbishop of York. Request that he will promote the affairs of
Westminster. Aymo de Sabaudia, the king's kinsman, as the king desires to favour Aymo in his affairs within the realm.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

The like to the chapter of York.

The like to O. bishop of Lincoln and the chapter of Lincoln for Amadeus de Sabaudia.

April 8. To the abbot and convent of Mount St. Michael in Peril of the Sea.
Westminster. The king recollects that he wrote to them to provide Richard le Fysshu, yeoman of Edward, his son, with food during his life, and he now, as they have not obeyed his request, requests them to carry his prayer into effect, so that the yeoman may know that he has been admitted to receive his food by the king's influence, for which the king will be grateful to them. He desires them to write back by the bearer what they shall have done in this matter.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Letter desiring him to give credence to what John de Havering and Master Philip Martel, the exhibitors of the presents, shall expound to him on the king's behalf concerning certain things that the king has much at heart, and that he will fulfill them, as the king is sending John and Philip to him for this purpose.

March 18. To John de Columpna, son of Landulph de Columpna, or to his proctors.
Westminster. Order prohibiting his attempting, or causing to be attempted, anything that may result in the disinheritance of the king or the prejudice of his royal right in the matter of the prebend of Massam, in the church of York, which the king conferred upon John de Drogenesford, his clerk, and for which John de Columpna obtained letters from Pope Boniface VIII (as in the order of 30 March to the archbishop of Canterbury, p. 300, above), and prohibiting him from presuming to prosecute this matter without consulting the king, or from proceeding to execute it or procuring its execution from others, lest it shall be necessary for the king to provide a remedy in this behalf.

April 15. Gilbert de London[ia] came before the king, on Wednesday before
Westminster. St. Elphege, and sought to replevy to William Skeg of Drayton and Sibyl, his wife, their land in Drayton, which was taken into the king's hands for their default in the king's court against Robert son of Juliana Thurbern of Drayton. This is signified to the justices of the Bench,

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*Membrane 15d—cont.*April 2.
Westminster.

To J. minister-general of the Minorite order and to the other brothers of that order assembled in chapter general at Lyons. The king commends to them certain brethren of their order, who, although few in number, favoured the king during the controversy between him and the king of France in Gascony, and who are threatened with grievous annoyances and labours for this reason, and he requests them to favour the said brethren out of consideration for him, and to replace them in their accustomed offices and degrees, since he cannot bear with patience that they should be oppressed with vengeance by reason of the favour shown to him, and it would not befit the title of probity of the minister-general and his brethren if the king should dissimulate and permit the said brethren to be persecuted by their enemies for their service to him; for whom the king remembers that he requested the minister-general and his brethren by his letters on a former occasion, which he has thought fit to be repeated, so that they may recognise from this repetition how much he has at heart the peaceful state of the aforesaid brethren. He also requests them to promote to the estate of clergy a lay brother of their order whom Brother W. de Gaynesburgh shall name to them, by whom they are desired to send back their pleasure in this and other matters.

April 11.
Westminster.

Peter Drake of Youkflete acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft, clerk, 20s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

*Cancelled on payment.*April 15.
Westminster.

William son of Robert de Nevile acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Eyton 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

April 16.
Westminster.

To John de Havering', justice of North Wales, and to Walter de Pederton, justice of West Wales. Whereas the king lately appointed them, at the complaint of J. bishop of Llandaff, his justices to hear and determine certain trespasses against the king's peace that are said to have been committed in Wales upon the bishop by William de Breuose and his bailiffs of Gouher; and William afterwards appeared before the king and his council in person, and asserted that he held that land by charter of King John of the king in chief with the liberties and other appurtenances of the same, with liberty that no justices whatsoever of the king ought to enter by the king's writs to plead anything there, and that they have not been wont since the lands first came to the hands of his ancestors: the king, wishing to be certified concerning this and to do justice both to William and to the bishop, has assigned to them a day on the morrow of the Ascension before him to do and receive what his court shall consider in this behalf, and he therefore orders John and Walter to supersede entirely the execution of the said order in the meantime.

By K. and the whole C.

The like to the bishop of Llandaff, to be before the king at the said day, if he see fit.

April 16.
Westminster.

Simon de Bradenham, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 30l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

April 22.
Westminster.

Robert de Estre, parson of the church of Skypse, acknowledges that he owes to Robert le Orfevre, Hugh de Hungerford, chaplain, Roger le Horner, and John de Godithestre, executors of the will of Amice, late the wife of Hamo le Mineter, 7 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York,

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*Membrane 15d—cont.*April 23.
Westminster.

Henry le Waleys, mayor of London, and the twenty-four aldermen of the city acknowledge, for themselves and the whole community of the city, that they owe to Guy Bertaldi and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Spini, 300 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in the city.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged before William de Hamelton and John de Drokenesford.

The said mayor and aldermen acknowledge, for themselves and the whole community of the city, that they owe to Cambinus Falconarius and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Mozzi (*Mozorum*), 300 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in the city.

[Cancelled as above.]

The said mayor and aldermen acknowledge, for themselves and the whole community, that they owe to Bernard Mainfred and his fellows, merchants of the society of Circuli Nigri, 300 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in the city.

[Cancelled as above.]

The said mayor and aldermen acknowledge as above that they owe to Coppus Joseph and his fellows, merchants of the society of the White Friscombaldi, 300 marks; to be levied as above.

[Cancelled as above.]

The said mayor and aldermen acknowledge as above that they owe to James Francisci and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Amanati of Pistoja, 450 marks; to be levied as above.

[Cancelled as above.]

The said mayor and aldermen acknowledge as above that they owe to Brachius Gerardi and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Pulci (*Pullicium*), 250 marks; to be levied as above.

[Cancelled as above.]

The said mayor and aldermen acknowledge as above that they owe to James Brabanzoun and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Bonzcini, 100 marks; to be levied as above.

[Cancelled as above.]

Memorandum, that the preceding seven recognisances were made for the 2,000 marks due from the mayor, aldermen and community to the king for renewing and confirming their liberties.

April 23.
Westminster.

William de Hamelton and John de Drokenesford acknowledge that they owe to the said mayor, aldermen and community 200*l.*; to be paid in the money now current.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Richer de Rejham, one of the sheriffs of London, and Adam de Fulham, citizen of the same, for themselves, the citizens and aldermen.

April 24.
Merton.

John de Weston came before the king, on Friday after St. George, and sought to replevy his and his wife Isolda's land in Oxford, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against the prioress of Litlemor. This is signified to the justices.

Memorandum, that the king, in consideration of 20*l.* yearly of land whereof Master Henry de Bray will enfeof him in the town of Watford near Daventre by an extent to be made thereof, remitted and pardoned to Henry all debts, fines and amercements and accounts in which he is bound to the king at the exchequer for all the time during which he held the office of escheator this side Trent and during which he was the king's bailiff in any offices whatsoever, by reason of which he may or ought to be charged at the exchequer, and also all trespasses that he may have

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committed against the king during that time, until the day when he will enfeof the king of the said lands; on condition that after the king shall have had seisin thereof, and after seisin shall have been continued, and after a fine shall have been levied in the Bench between the king and Henry in form aforesaid, [the king] shall grant the said land to Henry for life, with reversion to the king, on condition that Henry shall render to the king 20*l.* yearly for it at the exchequer.—William de Hamelton ordered this memorandum to be enrolled.

April 22.
Westminster.

To M. cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Porticu. Letter commending to him Master Arnald Lupy de Tilio, king's clerk, whose services to the king have merited the king's assistance in promoting his advantage, and requesting him to further the affairs that Arnald has to promote in the Roman court, in such manner that Arnald may feel that the king's request has been fruitful. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 817.]

The like to the following:

Sir F. cardinal deacon of St. Lucy in Silice.

Sir G. cardinal bishop of Albano.

MEMBRANE 14*d.*

Be it remembered that the king ordained at Westminster, on 1 April, that those who wish to obtain new parks, and men of religion who wish to obtain in mortmain (*amorter*) land or tenement, shall have writs of the chancery to make inquisition according to the accustomed points in such matters, and that the inquisitions concerning land or tenement that is worth more than 20*s.* a year by extent shall be returned to the exchequer, and the fine for the licence in mortmain (*mortissement*) or for the park shall be there made, if the inquisitions are favourable for (*overent pur*) those who obtain them, and thereupon the chancellor or him who supplies his place shall be ordered to do what ought to be done in this matter. Concerning inquisitions made to obtain in mortmain land or tenement that does not amount to more than 20*s.* yearly by extent and of 20*s.* by increase (*en aval*), the king wills that they shall be returned to the chancellor or to him who supplies his place, and that he shall take a reasonable fine concerning it according to the quantity of the thing, and shall afterwards deliver them.

In like manner shall be done with those who wish to obtain lands or tenements that are held of the king in chief.

Also men dwelling abroad (*la outre*) who have land or rent in England shall, if they wish to obtain letters of protection or of general attorneys, be sent to the exchequer, and shall there make their fine, and thereupon the chancellor or he who supplies his place shall be ordered to do what he ought to do in this matter.

The like course shall be pursued with those who wish to obtain fairs, markets, warrens, or other franchises.

Also those who wish to obtain attermination for their debts, shall be sent to the exchequer.

Also men who are unable to labour and men of counties at great distance from the chancery who plead or shall be impleaded, shall have writs of the chancery to some sufficient man who shall receive their attorneys when need be.

And for remembrance of these matters this indenture is made in three parts, whereof one remains in chancery, the other at the exchequer, and the third in the wardrobe. *French.* [*Statutes of the Realm*, i. p. 181.]

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Memorandum, that the king granted that Master John de Borham, whom he lately presented to the church of Felmersham, which is of the value of 80 marks, and who resigned that church by the king's order, shall be preferred before others to another church of that value or of the value of 60 marks pertaining to the king's gift as soon as one shall be void.

April 27.
Banstead.

The prior of Wenlok and the prior of Bermundeseye acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, clerk, 390 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their land and chattels in cos. Salop and Surrey.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Thomas de Knaresburgh and Robert de Sprotley, clerks, attorneys of Martin de Grymeston, one of the executors of William's will.

April 27.
Merton.

Robert son of Adam Jargun came before the king, on Monday after St. Mark, and sought to replevy his and Roger son of Adam Jargun's land in the town of Newcastle-on-Tyne, which was taken into the king's hands for their default in the king's court against Thomas Alwyteuwa and Isabel, his wife. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

April 27.
Merton.

Peter de Marines acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 14*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

April 29.
Banstead.

William de Brewose came before the king, on Wednesday after St. Vitalis, and sought to replevy his land in Offinton, which was taken into the king's hands for his default in the king's court against Joan, late the wife of William de Lyçhepol. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

To Pope B[oniface]. The king has heard and understood the things that Brother James de Arul' and his fellow, of the order of Friars Preachers, the bearers of the presents, who were sent to him on behalf of the king of Armenia, have expounded to him concerning the miserable state of the Holy Land. The king has given an answer to them to be carried back by them to the pope. [*Fœdera*; Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 816.]

To the king of Armenia. Like letter, stating that the king's answer is to be carried back to the king of Armenia. [*Fœdera*.]

To Ralph, patriarch of Jerusalem. Like letter, stating that the king's answer is to be carried back to the patriarch. [*Ibid.*]

May 4.
Stepney.

William la Zousche acknowledges that he owes to A. bishop of Durham 500*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Rutland and Northampton.

Cancelled on payment.

The abbot of Vaudey (*de Valle Dei*) acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 35 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

*Note that the abbot paid 10*l.* thereof to the king by the will of William, as William acknowledged.*

Joan, late the wife of Bartholomew de Briauunzon, acknowledges that she owes to the said William 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of her lands and chattels in co. Kent.

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*Membrane 14d—cont.*May 4.
Stepney.

Thomas de Monte Acuto came before the king, on Monday after SS. Philip and Jude, and sought to replevy to Thomas le Hopere the latter's land in Hundon, which was taken into the king's hands for his default in the king's court against William Kayner. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, one of the heirs and parceners of the inheritance of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, puts in his place Nigel le Brun and Roger de Assheburn to demand and receive his purparty of the lands, knights' fees, and advowsons of churches that belonged to the said Richard son of John.

May 7.
Stepney.

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Order to be with the king at Carlisle on 2 August (*lendemayn de la Gule Aust*) with horses and arms in as much force as possible, to proceed against the king's enemies of Scotland, according to what shall be then ordained by the earl and by other men of the king who shall come thither, as the king lately ordered him to be at Carlisle at Whitsuntide next for this purpose, and he has shortly to send envoys to the pope's envoy, to whom he and the king of France have submitted themselves concerning the disputes, riots and wars between them, and a day has been taken until the morrow of the Ascension at Mostroille by the men of the king of France in his name and for him and by the king's men who were there in like manner, by the assent of the pope's envoy sent specially for this purpose, in order to treat before the said envoy to appease the said disputes, riots and wars and to make and affirm good peace hereupon according to the form and the ordinance that the pope has pronounced in this matter; and the king has assented to this day, after having treaty and counsel with the archbishop of Canterbury and with the other bishops, the earls, barons and others of his council, and has ordained to send certain envoys thither; for which reason it is advised to the king and all those who were at his council that he cannot now depart from the south parts, where he now is, by reason of any debates that may arise in this matter, concerning which his envoys would have need to be advised and counselled speedily; for which reasons he has, with the common assent of his council, deferred the said day at Whitsuntide until 2 August, on which latter day he intends to be at Carlisle without further delay. *French.* [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to eleven earls and one hundred and four 'barons and knights.' [*Ibid.*]

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause proclamation to be made throughout his bailiwick that all the men at arms summoned to be at Carlisle on the eve of Whitsuntide shall be there on 2 August, as in the preceding. [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

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Letter from [William de Hamelton⁹] to his master A. de Osgotby (Suo domino A. de Osgotby, salutem quam sibi), asking him to annul the recognizance in the rolls made in chancery to the writer about four years ago by the priors of Wenlok and Bermundeseye for 400 marks. Written at Sabricheurth, on the day of St. Edmund.

* This refers to the recognisance for 390 marks made to William by the priors (printed on the preceding page), against which it is sewed.

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To the barons and men of the port of Wynchelse. Whereas the king lately ordered them by his letters to have all the service due to him from them and their ships of that port at Skynburnese near Carlisle at Whitsuntide next, to set out against his enemies of Scotland: the king orders them to be with him at Skynburnese with their service on 2 August (*a lendemayn de la Gule Aust*), to do in the said matter what shall be then ordained by the king and by them and by the king's other good men who shall then come thither. This they are enjoined not to neglect in any way, as the king trusts in them and as they love the honour and profit of the king and of his realm and of themselves. *French.*

The like to the barons and men of the following ports:

Hastyng[es].

Sandwyz.

Rye.

Hethe.

Romeneye.

May 7.
Stepney.

To Robert de Burgherssh, constable of Dover and warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to cause proclamation to be made, in all such places within his bailiwick and at such times as he shall see fit, that all those of his bailiwick who owe the king service shall be with the king as above, the king having lately ordered him to cause proclamation to be made that all such should be with him at Whitsuntide. *French.*

May 12.
Stepney.

Alan le Pestur and Maud, his wife, came before the king on Thursday after St. John ante Portam Latinam, and sought to replevy their land in Knyghtebrigge, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Agnes, late the wife of Nicholas le Keu of Westminster. This is signified to the said justices.

May 14.
Stepney.

William de Turribus, parson of the church of Neuton, diocese of Worcester, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 165 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

May 15.
Stepney.

John de Praers, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham, clerk, 198 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Cancelled on payment.

William de la Warde, parson of the church of Torteworth, diocese of Worcester, acknowledges that he owes to Adam de Weston 20l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

Adam de Weston, parson of the churches of SS. Lucian and Leonard, Wallingford, in the diocese of Salisbury, acknowledges that he owes to Robert de London[ia], parson of the church of Wykewarre, 20l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Berks.

May 16.
Stepney.

Margery, late the wife of William Belost, came before the king, on Saturday before St. Dunstan, and sought to replevy the land of herself and of Marcelina and Agnes, her daughters, in Totenham, which was taken into the king's hands for their default in his court against John son of John de Totenham. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

Memorandum, that Ralph de Burton, attorney of Eva, late the wife of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, with Robert de Norwico, attorney of Maud, countess of Warwick, Robert de Belinges, attorney of Joan la Botillere, Ralph de Medburn, attorney of Idonia de Leyburn, William de Neuton, clerk, attorney of Robert de Clyfford, and Roger de Assheburn,

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attorney of Richard, earl of Ulster, the heirs and parceners of the inheritance of the aforesaid Richard son of John, came into the chancery and granted that partition of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to Richard son of John shall be made in chancery between them on the morrow of Holy Trinity.

May 24.
Canterbury.

Geoffrey de Mortuo Mari came before the king, on Sunday after St. Dunstan, and sought to replevy to Henry Blome and Alice, his wife, their land in the suburbs of Oxford, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Nicholas le Muner of Oxford. This is signified to the said justices.

The said Geoffrey came before the king, on Sunday after St. Dunstan, and sought to replevy to Thomas de Beland and of Alina, his wife, their land in the suburbs of Oxford, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Nicholas le Muner of Oxford. This is signified to the justices.

May 23.
Canterbury.

To the abbot and convent of Cogeshale. Request that they will admit into their house Richard de Ry, the king's serjeant, who has faithfully served the king and whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find the necessaries of life for so long as he shall live, unless they are at present charged with another at the king's request.

By K.

Memorandum, that Otto de Grandi Sono came into chancery at St. Augustine's abbey, Canterbury, on Wednesday the eve of the Ascension, and acknowledged that Aymer de Valencia had satisfied him for the 200 marks that he acknowledged in the exchequer that he owed to him, and he willed that the recognisance shall be withdrawn (*traheretur*).

May 26.
Canterbury.

To John de Bac[kewell] and R. de Hegham, justices appointed to take assizes in co. Surrey. Whereas it is contained in the statute lately issued at Westminster that fines concerning tenements levied in the late king's court and in the king's court shall not be voided or annulled in any way by the exceptions or answers of those between whom such fines were levied or by their heirs, or by inquisitions of the country to be taken concerning such exceptions or answers: the king orders the justices to inspect the tenor of the statute, and not to attempt anything contrary to it by the taking of any assize arramed or to be arramed before them or by any other means. [Ryley, *Placita*, p. 477.]

May 28.
Canterbury.

Richard le Hunt of Bereford St. John came before the king, on Friday after St. Augustine the Apostle of the English, and sought to replevy his land in Bereford St. John, which was taken into the king's hands for his default in his court against William Allot. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

April 11.
Canterbury.

To the archbishop of Canterbury. The king is incited by the request and monition of the pope to hold recommended to him the monastery of St. Augustine, Canterbury, which pertains immediately to the church of Rome, out of reverence for the apostolic see, and not to injure it in any way in its things or men at the petition of anyone, and not to permit it, so far as lies in his power, to be injured by others. The abbot of the said monastery has expounded before the king a grievous complaint that the archbishop, prosecuting his monastery, which pertains immediately to the Roman church, the abbot and his convent and their goods, molests and aggrieves them concerning certain parish churches that they hold to their

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own use and concerning the hospital of St. Leonard without the city of Canterbury, contrary to the tenor of their privileges and their legitimate appeal to the pope, and proceeds otherwise against them. The king, wishing to show promptitude in executing the papal mandates specially directed to him for the abbot and convent and their monastery, has caused the archbishop to be requested to desist wholly from the aforesaid grievances and each of them, and not to molest or disturb [them] in any way concerning the rights and possessions pertaining to the said churches or their fruits or appurtenances or their other benefices contrary to the papal grants, but to await with befitting reverence the papal decision in this matter. The king wishes him to know that if he do otherwise, the king will aid the abbot and convent with a suitable remedy, so that their goods shall remain safe, and that he will cherish them with the support of his royal favour so far as justice permits. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 823. Cf. Thorne's *Chronicle*, in Twysden, *Decem Scriptores*, col. 1978.]

May 31.
Womens-
would
(*Wymeling-
welde*).

William de Newenham came before the king, on Sunday the feast of St. Petronilla, and sought to replevy his land in Wykham, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Beatrice, late the wife of John de Havekeslond. This is signified to the justices.

Westminster.

To Pope Boniface. The king, considering the character for equity and justice of the Roman church and its preservation of the rights of others not less than its own, explains to the pope why John, the son of Landulph de Columpna, has not obtained, according to the pope's order, the prebend of Massam in the church of York, which he contends that he has by the provision of Pope Nicholas IV. The obstacle is that the king had conferred upon a clerk of his the prebend in its entirety, which he found upon the late voidance of the church of York by the death of J[ohn], the late archbishop, had been divided into several portions without his royal assent, the collation whereof pertained to the king by the full right that his progenitors used in their times in the like case and that he afterwards used. When the said clerk had been in peaceful and quiet possession of the prebend for some time, the said J. de Columpna, suggesting to the pope, as the king learns, that the prebend was due to him by reason of the aforesaid provision as being void, suppressing any mention of the king's royal right and the collation and possession aforesaid, obtained from the pope letters by which the pope is said to have given orders to certain executors to put John or his proctor in possession of the prebend and to defend him after induction thereto. As such an order and its execution, if it should be proceeded with, would result in the weakening of the king's royal right and his disinheritance and the serious injury of his crown and dignity, and as it is not the pope's intention to deprive the king of his right or to derogate from it, as the king firmly believes and holds, he beseeches the pope to provide a remedy by the revocation of the aforesaid provision and its effect as to the prebend, so that the king's right and the collation and possession aforesaid shall not be injured, but shall be rather preserved intact. Even if the king would submit (*deprecere*) to this deed or to permit it to pass with dissimulation, the magnates and *proceres* of his realm, who are bound by their homage and fealty to defend his dignity and crown, would not allow his right thus to perish. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 802.]

To the same. Request that he will excuse William de Hamelton, arch-deacon of York, the king's confidential clerk (*secretarius*), whom the pope

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caused to be summoned to appear in person before him, as the king, when John de Langeton, his chancellor, went to the pope in the matter of his election to the church of Ely, committed to William the custody of his seal and the office of his chancery, and the king has not permitted William to lay down that office, since there is no one else in his realm so expert in the laws and customs of the realm, and who is considered so useful to the king and his people and so fit and able for the said office. The king does not believe that the pope would wish to deprive him of the services of a person so necessary to him. Dated at Canterbury, 25 May, 1299. [*Ibid.* p. 803.]

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June 8. William de la Den came before the king, on Monday in Whitsun week, Dover. and sought to replevy to John de Wenderton, William de Wenderton, Geoffrey de Havekeslond, William de Havekeslond, Walter de Welles, Adam Eynulf, Robert Eynulf, John Eynulf, William Eynulf, Peter Eynulf, Thomas Eynulf, Henry Baye, William Baye, Alexander Baye, John Baye, William Person, Richard Batyn, Richard Peny, Robert Palmer, and Luke de la Funteyn their land in Preston, Wengham, Wicham Brewos', and Sturmthe near Sandwich, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Beatrice, late the wife of John de Havekeslond. This is signified to the justices.

June 10. Peter de Horton came before the king, on Wednesday the eve of Dover. St. Barnabas, and sought to replevy to William Burnel and Alice, his wife, their land in Netherestaweye, which was taken into the king's hands for their default against William Twarre and Christiana his wife. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

June 11. John son of Jordan de Yockeflete acknowledges that he owes to William Dover. de Thorntoft, clerk, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

June 12. Geoffrey Blakeman came before the king, on Friday the morrow of Dover. St. Barnabas, and sought to replevy his and his wife Margery's land in Southampton, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Robert le Bark[er]. This is signified to the justices.

Margery, late the wife of Thomas de Merton, tenant in chief, puts in her place Thomas de Cornubia and Henry de Thorp, clerks, to demand and receive her dower of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to Thomas.

Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, kinsman and one of the heirs and parceners of the inheritance of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, puts in his place John de Bentele and William le Blund to demand and receive his purparty of the lands, knights' fees and advowsons that belonged to Richard.

June 19. John de Godelegh came before the king, on Saturday after St. Botolph, Cranbrook. and sought to replevy to Reginald de Brandon the latter's land, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Maud, late the wife of William Charles of La Doune. This is signified to the justices.

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Cranbrook.

Memorandum, that the attorneys of the heirs and parceners of the inheritance of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, came into chancery at Dover, on the morrow of Holy Trinity, which day had been previously assigned to them to receive their purparties in chancery, and, as the attorneys could not then agree as to the partition to be made between them, it was granted to them at their request that they should make by themselves partitions of the inheritance before the quinzaine of Michaelmas, on condition that they shall be in chancery at the said quinzaine whether they have or have not made the partition, to do and receive what the king's court shall cause to be ordained concerning the partition.

The attorney of Emma, late the wife of Richard, has the same quinzaine to come into chancery and to receive her dower of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to Richard.

June 27.
Arundel.

William de Mortuo Mari, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

John Durant of Donestaple acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham, clerk, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Bedford.

Assignment of dower to Joan, late the wife of Roger de Nodariis, from the lands that belonged to Roger in the manor of Chircheshull, made in the presence of Master Thomas de Abberbury, who has the custody of the body and lands of Roger, son and heir of the said Roger, together with the marriage of the heir, by demise of the king, on Monday after St. John ante Portam Latinam, 27 Edward, by the oath of Richard Dovyle, Henry de Dychelegh, John de Crokeslegh, Nicholas Brun, the elder, Robert de Estcote, John de Northlegh, John son of Gilbert, John son of Simon de Somerton, Robert le Mazun, William Stacy, John de Honynton, and Godfrey de Grymestede.

First there are assigned to her for the hall and other houses within the enclosure of the chief messuage the following houses without the enclosure: to wit the great barn (*grangia*) with a house adjoining it on the north, with all the plot of land (*placea*) round about the barn, and a sheepcot (*bercaria*), whereof one end extends northwards, with all the other houses between the sheepcot and a house adjoining the cart-house opposite the belfry (*cloarii*) of the church.

There is also assigned to her a third of the garden measured on both sides, which extends from the sheepcot to the ditch of the garden on the west and lies between the ditch of the garden on the north and the houses and walls there on the south and extends from the corner of a house called 'Hachus' in a line through the middle of the garden to an ashtree in the said ditch on the west, as the bounds define (*proporant*).

There are also assigned to her from the arable land in the east field 63½ acres and a perch on the south, as they are set out by bounds (*sicut bundantur*). There are also assigned to her in the west field 66½ acres and a perch, as they are set out by bounds. There are also assigned to her from the mowable meadow 12 acres and a third of a perch, to wit in the meadow of Shyttenham 10½ acres, in the meadow of Mullecroftes an acre and a rood, and in the meadow of Smythemers a third of an acre. There is also assigned to her an acre of several pasture 'Bynuthe Merethornes.' There is also assigned to her a third of the common pasture in all the places within the manor by the heads of the beasts pasturing therein. There is also assigned to her a third of the

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wood, to wit $4\frac{3}{4}$ acres as the bounds (*divise*) extend. There is also assigned to her a third of the toll of the water mill, with a third of the fishery. There is also assigned to her the smallest fishpond in the field outside the enclosure of the court.

There are also assigned to her from the rents of free tenants 17s. 10d., a pound of pepper and a grain (*granum*) and a rose yearly, to be received at the usual terms, to wit from Robert de la Gate 5s., Henry de la Putte 18d., William Bugge 18d., William Fouke 2s., Richard Runcy $3\frac{3}{4}$ d., Nicholas de Molendino 2s., John Byot $14\frac{3}{4}$ d., William de la Gate 12d., Robert Saiz 1d., Robert Alvred 3s., William le Blunt 1d., Elias Wigein 1d., Robert son of Ralph Byot $\frac{1}{2}$ d., Richard de la Putte a pound of pepper, Thomas le Mazun a grain (*granum*) of pepper, Nicholas Brun, the elder, a rose.

There are also assigned to her from the rents of customary tenants there 6l. 5s. 0d. yearly, at the usual terms, to wit from Simon de la Funteyn 15s., from Thomas de Teynton 15s., from Thomas Laweman 15s., from John Laweman 15s., from John Gigan 15s., from Nicholas de Westcote 15s., from Juliana Maheu 15s., from Richard Beene 15s., and from Maud Kynges 5s. with a third of all their service and customs.

There is also assigned to her a yard (*virga*) of meadow containing an acre, which is extended at 5s. yearly, lying among the common meadow of the whole town, in allowance for what she lacks of the house beyond (*ultra*) the gate of the court and of the malt-kiln (*turalli*) and bake-house in the same manor, and for other lack of land and rent in divers places, whereof she is dowered less than she ought to be.

Memorandum, that the crop of corn, both winter and lent, that was sown there in the king's seisin before assignment of this dower was made shall remain wholly to the king without any claim, contradiction, or hindrance.

In witness whereof the seal of the escheator and the seal of Master Thomas de Abberbury are appended alternately to this indenture. Dated as above.

Total of all the acres of arable land in the manor $361\frac{1}{2}$ acres : whereof for dower $120\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

Total of all the acres of mowable meadow there 36 acres - 1 perch : whereof in dower 12 acres and a third of a perch.

Total of all the acres of several pasture 3 acres : whereof for dower 1 acre.

Total of the acres of the wood there 14 acres : whereof for dower $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres and a third of half an acre.

Sum of all the rents both of freemen and of villeins 21l. 8s. $7\frac{1}{2}$ d., 3 lbs. and three grains of pepper, half a pound of cumin, a needle, and two roses : whereof for dower 7l. 2s. 10d., a lb. and a grain of pepper and a rose.

It is to be known that nothing is assigned to her in dower from the meadow of Mulleham because she claims it as her right and marriage-portion (*maritagium*) of the gift of Roger de Nodariis, her late husband's father.

July 12.
Canterbury

John son and heir of John de Heriz, tenant in chief, puts in his place Nicholas de Burbach and Robert Torneharee of Beesthorp to be present at the assignment of dower to Maud, late the wife of the said John, to be made in chancery on the morrow of St. Laurence next.

J. bishop of Llandaff puts in his place John Dacle to be before the king for him at the quinzaine of Michaelmas next to stand to the award (*dicto*) and ordinance of the king concerning divers liberties that the bishop and his men claim to have in the lands of William de Brewosa in the parts of Gower.

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*Membrane 12d—cont.*July 16.
Canterbury.

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Notification that the king will be unable to be at Carlisle on 2 August, to which day he had prorogued the day for Edmund to come to him with horses and arms to set out against the Scots, on account of certain arduous affairs that the king must attend to, and that it will not be necessary for Edmund to be there then. The king nevertheless requests him to be always ready to come to the place that he shall cause to be made known to him within forty days of his being warned by the king, to proceed further in the said matter with the king. [*Fadera; Parl. Writs.*]

The like to eleven earls and one hundred and one 'barons.' [*Ibid.*]

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July 16.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause proclamation to be made that all men-at-arms of his bailiwick, who were ordered to be at Carlisle on the said 2 August, shall be ready to come to the king at a place that he shall cause to be made known to them by the sheriff within forty days of their being warned, as above, and to cause this prorogation to be proclaimed, as the king is unable to be at Carlisle on the said day, as above. [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

To Robert de Burghersshe, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to cause proclamation to be made that all those of his bailiwick who owe service to the king who were ordered to be at Skynburnesse near Carlisle on 2 August, shall be always ready to come to the king with all their service within forty days of their being warned, as above.

To the barons and men of the port of Wynchelse. Order to be always ready to come to the king with the service due from them and with their ships within forty days, as in preceding order.

The like to the barons and men of the following ports :

Hastingg[es].

Sandwich.

La Rye.

Hethe.

Romeneye.

July 30.
Westminster

John de Boudon acknowledges that he owes to Master Roger de Boudon 40s. ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

July 30.
Westminster

Nicholas de Audytheleye, who married Katharine, one of the daughters and heirs of Maud Lungespey, tenant in chief, puts in his place William de Weston and William de Betteleye, and Katharine puts in her place Simon Cotyn and William de Bitteleye, and Eleanor and Maud, daughters of John Gyffard and sisters of Katharine, put in their place Roger de Lye and Adam de la Penne to demand and receive in chancery their purparties of the inheritance that belonged to Maud ; and they have a day on the morrow of St. Bartholomew to receive their purparties.

The king sent to the sheriff of Oxford, his writ to assign dower to Joan, late the wife of Adam le Despenser, tenant in chief, as she had taken oath not to marry without the king's licence. Upon receipt of which writ the sheriff assigned to Joan a third of the manor of Rollendrith in dower in the following form : a third of the chief messuage, wherein there is an old broken barn (*grangia*) and a broken cow house, and a third of the garden of the chief messuage, which third of the chief messuage is worth 12*d.* yearly. There is also assigned to her a fishpond

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called 'Wayer,' worth 6*d.* yearly. Also there are assigned to her the rents and services of Walter Everard, John son of William le Barator, and William le Bakere, free tenants, whose rents are worth 8*s.* 7½*d.* yearly. Also there is assigned to her the rents of William le Baretur, who holds a virgate of land for life for 10*s.* yearly, and also the virgate when it falls in is assigned to her. There are also assigned to her John de Furno, John son of Robert, Ralph son of Simon, and John son of Hugh, each of whom holds in villeinage a virgate of land, and each virgate is worth yearly in services and customs 8*s.* 6*d.* And there are assigned to her Hugh le Rutherherde and Alice, daughter of Robert, each of whom holds half a virgate of land, and each half virgate is worth 4*s.* 3*d.* yearly. There are also assigned to her the rents of Maud, daughter of Robert atte Welle, who holds a cottage for 2*s.* yearly, and of Robert atte Welle, Alice de Wydihull, Cicely, daughter of Robert the reeve, of the cottages, whose rents are worth 6*s.* 0½*d.* yearly. There are also assigned to her from the arable land in each field a third of each *cultura*, and 140 acres of land in number are assigned to her, each acre being worth 2½*d.* yearly. There are also assigned to her 7 acres of mowable meadow, each acre being worth 3*s.* 6*d.* yearly. There is also assigned to her a third of all the pasture or the third head of the beasts, if she wish to have them, in the pasture of the manor, and it is worth 4*s.* 6*d.* yearly. Also the pleas and perquisites of the court of the dower assigned to her is worth 4*s.* 6*d.* yearly. Total of the dower : 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

Aug. 11.
Kempton
(Kenyton).

Thomas de Chauecombe acknowledges that he owes to John son of William de Fauleore of Kyngton 40*s.* ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Surrey.

To the abbot of Cîteaux and to the other abbots about to assemble in the Cistercian chapter-general. The king wills that they shall hold the abbots and monks of their order in England excused from attending the chapter-general, other than the abbot of Geroudon, as he wills for certain reasons that no abbot other than the abbot of Geroudon and no monk of their order of what estate or condition soever he may be shall leave the realm for their chapter-general on this occasion.

Aug. 12.
Kempton.

To the warden of the Cinque Ports. As the king has caused all the abbots of the Cistercian order of his realm to be inhibited from leaving the realm at this time, he orders the warden not to permit any abbot or monk of that order to cross from any of those ports without the king's special licence, except only the abbot of Gerudon, to whom the king has granted licence to cross with one of the monks of his order.

Aug. 12.
Kempton.

Master John Cantok acknowledges that he owes to James Brabanzon and Merlin de Senis and their fellows, merchants of the society of the sons of Bonseignor de Senis, 100 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in England and Ireland.—The chancellor received the acknowledgment.

Aug. 23.
Guildford.

William de Wythinton, parson of the church of Cystern, acknowledges that he owes to James de Dalylegh 26*l.* ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

Aug. 23.
Guildford.

To William de Vilaret, master of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem. Request that he will promote Brother Fortanerius de Casa Nova, a knight of that order, to a higher degree, in so far as the regulations (*honestas*)

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of the order will permit, and that he will provide him with a suitable house, bailiwick, or administration, so that it may redound to his advantage and the master's honour, in consideration whereof the king will be the more specially bound to do those things that he shall know to fall in with the master's wishes. The king wishes to favour Fortanerius in consideration of his proved devotion to the king and in gratitude for the services rendered to him by Amaneus, lord of Lebret (*de Lebreto*), kinsman of Fortanerius, and Oto de Casa Nova, his brother, and other kinsmen of his.

Margaret de Lacy, countess of Lincoln, eldest daughter and co-heiress of Maud Lungespeye, tenant in chief, puts in her place Richard de Stanton to demand and receive in chancery her purparty of the inheritance that belonged to Maud, together with the co-heirs and parceners of the said inheritance.

MEMBRANE 10d.

Aug. 23.
Guildford.

To the sheriff of Somerset and Dorset. Whereas it was lately ordained by the king and his council that wool, hides, wool-fells, lead and tin should not be demised or sold in any way except for good sterlings or other lawful merchandise, as is contained in the statute, for which reason the king ordered him at another time to depute certain and lawful keepers in every place in his bailiwick to observe the statute in all its articles, and the king now understands that the wool and other merchandises are commonly demised and sold for pollards and crockards and other like money, contrary to the form of the statute: the king orders him to provide cautiously and circumspectly that the keepers thus deputed by him shall well and faithfully hold and keep the statute in all its articles, so that the king shall not have matter or occasion to punish the sheriff for their or his default in this behalf. The king orders him to cause all wool and other things forfeited to the king in his bailiwick according to the form of the statute aforesaid to be carried to Weymuth, and to cause them to be delivered to the collectors of the custom of wool there by indentures. It is provided that the sheriff shall execute this matter so faithfully and circumspectly that no one shall be unduly aggrieved by him and that no one shall be spared by grace or favour who has offended against the statute. The king has ordered the collectors to receive from the sheriff the goods and things aforesaid and to make indentures concerning them. The sheriff shall provide so that he shall have the indentures at his profer at the exchequer on the morrow of Michaelmas to certify the treasurer and barons of what he has done in the premises.

The like to all the sheriffs of England.

To the collectors of the custom at Newcastle-on-Tyne. Order to receive from the sheriffs of Northumberland, Cumberland and Westmoreland all the wool and other things forfeited to the king in their bailiwicks, and to make indentures with them concerning the wool and things, as the king has ordered the sheriffs to deliver to the collectors the wool and other things forfeited to him, as in preceding order. The collectors are to provide so that they shall have the indentures at the exchequer on the morrow of Michaelmas next to certify the treasurer and barons of what they have done in the premises.

The like to the collectors of the custom at the following places:

Kyngeston-on-Hull, to receive the wool, etc. from the sheriffs of York and Lancaster.

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Boston, to receive the wool, etc. from Reginald de Grey, justice of Chester, and from the sheriffs of Nottingham, Lincoln, and Derby.
 Lynn, to receive the wool, etc. from the sheriffs of Warwick, Leicester, Rutland, Northampton, Cambridge, and Huntingdon.
 Yarmouth, to receive the wool, etc. from the sheriff of Norfolk.
 Gippewyz, to receive the wool from the sheriff of Suffolk.
 London, to receive the wool, etc. from the sheriffs of Essex, Hertford, Buckingham, Bedford, Middlesex, and Surrey.
 Sandwyz, to receive the wool, etc. from the sheriff of Kent.
 Wynchelse, to receive the wool, etc. from the sheriff of Sussex.
 Southampton, to receive the wool, etc. from the sheriffs of Southampton, Wilts, Oxford, and Berks.
 Weymuth, to receive the wools, etc. from the sheriff of Dorset, Somerset, Devon, and Cornwall.
 Bristol, to receive the wool, etc. from the sheriffs of Gloucester, Salop, Stafford, Hereford, and Worcester.

To Geoffrey Russel. Whereas the king has appointed Geoffrey and the collectors of his custom at Boston by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 27 *Edw. I.*, p. 432] to make inquisition in co. Lincoln, or to receive proofs or evidence as they shall see fit, in the presence of the sheriff of Lincoln when he can attend, or in the presence of a fit man of his sworn for this purpose when the sheriff shall be absent, whether or not the wool, wool-fells, hides, lead, and tin now at Boston and that shall afterwards be brought to that port were sold or demised contrary to the form of the ordinance lately made by the king by the common council of his realm, and to release from arrest and restore the wool and merchandise aforesaid that they shall find to have been sold or demised without fraud of the ordinance aforesaid, saving to the king the custom thereupon due, and to take into the king's hands the wool and merchandise that they shall find to have been sold or demised contrary to the form of the said ordinance: the king orders him to intend the doing and completion of the premises with the said collectors, in accordance with the said letters patent.

The like to the following:

Thomas de Metham, with the collectors at Kyngeston-on-Hull, in co. York.

Guycard de Charron, with the collectors at Newcastle-on-Tyne, in co. Northumberland.

Robert de Malteby, with the collectors at Yarmouth, in co. Norfolk.

James de Beauvoir, with the collectors at Lynn, in co. Norfolk.

Robert de Reydon, with the collectors at Ipswich, co. Suffolk.

Elias Russell, with the collectors at London, in co. Middlesex.

Thomas de Insula with the collectors at Sandwich, co. Kent.

William de Echingham, with the collectors at Wynchelse, co. Sussex.

John le Faukener, with the collectors at Southampton, in co. Southampton.

Nicholas Fermbaud, with the collectors at Bristol, co. Gloucester.

Hugh de Strode, with the collectors at Weymuth, co. Dorset.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Whereas the king has appointed a knight and the collectors of his custom in each port where his cocket (*cokettus*) is to make inquisitions, etc., as in the preceding enrolment: the king orders the sheriff to obey and be intendent to the knights and collectors in doing the premises, and to do and fulfil all and singular that the collectors or any of them shall cause to be enjoined upon him on the king's behalf.

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The like to the sheriffs of the following counties :

Westmoreland.	Huntingdon.
Lancaster.	Middlesex.
Essex.	Surrey.
Nottingham.	Wilts.
Derby.	Oxford.
Hertford.	Berks.
Warwick.	Somerset.
Leicester.	Devon.
Buckingham.	Cornwall.
Rutland.	Salop.
Northampton.	Stafford.
Bedford.	Hereford.
Cambridge.	Worcester.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Whereas the king has appointed Guychard Charron and the collectors of his custom at Newcastle-on-Tyne to make inquisitions, etc. in the sheriff's presence, or in the presence of one of his men, as above: the king orders him to intend the execution of the premises with Guychard and the collectors, according to the tenor of his letters patent to Guychard and the collectors, and to cause to come before Guychard and the collectors at certain days to be made known to the sheriff by them men of his bailwick by whom the truth of the matter may be best known and enquired. He is ordered to certify the treasurer and barons of the exchequer at his next profer on the morrow of Michaelmas next of the wool and merchandise taken into the king's hands by Guychard and the collectors, by the indentures to be made between them and him or one of his men concerning the wool and merchandise, as provided in the said letters patent.

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties :

York.	Kent.
Lincoln.	Sussex.
Norfolk.	Southampton.
Norfolk (<i>sic</i>).	Dorset.
Suffolk.	Gloucester.
London.	

MEMBRANE 9d.

Enrolment of release by Edward Fromund to the king of his right in all the lands that he had in Beseby, Gunreby, Hawardeby, and Briggesle, co. Lincoln, which lands the king's escheator this side Trent lately took into the king's hands and which are still in the king's hands. Witnesses : Walter, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, then treasurer, Philip de Wilughby, chancellor of the exchequer; Peter de Leyc[estria] and John de Insula, barons of the exchequer; John Byroun, then sheriff of York; and John de Crepping. Dated at York, on Friday the eve of the Assumption, 27 Edward.

Aug. 25.
Waverley.

Thomas de Ebroicis acknowledges that he owes to Alexander de Norton 50 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Note of payment of 20 marks to Hugh de Bruges for the use of Alexander, wherewith Hugh charges himself.

Cancelled on payment.

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- Sept. 12. John de Clynton, knight, and William de Sutton acknowledge that they owe to Henry de Craystock, clerk, 20s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Warwick.
Canterbury.
- Sept. 17. William Person of Florence acknowledges that he owes to the king 80 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in London.
Canterbury.
- Sept. 15. To the sheriff of Salop and Stafford. Order to cause proclamation to be made prohibiting any one, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb, lands, and of everything that he holds in the realm, from tourneying, tilting (*bordeare*) or jousting, or making assemblies, or otherwise going armed within the realm without the king's special licence.
Canterbury. The like to all the sheriffs of England.
- Sept. 18. William Peny came before the king, on Friday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, and sought to replevy to William Coket and Alice, his wife, Roger Urry, William Bacham, John de (*sic*) Sumeter, William de Vyncestr[e], and Richard le Ismongere their land in Orcheston and Maydeneton, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Joan, late the wife of Gilbert Giffard. This is signified to the justices.
Canterbury.
- To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John de Lancastr[ia], who is staying in the king's service in the Marches of Scotland for the defence of those parts, as the king learns by the testimony of Ralph son of William, the captain (*capitanei*) of his garrison (*municionis*) there, to have respite during the king's pleasure for all debts due to the exchequer, as the king has granted him such respite.
- The like to the sheriffs of Northumberland, Westmoreland, and Essex.
- Sept. 21. To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Order to be at the New Temple, London, at St. Luke's next, to deliberate and have council with the other subjects of the king who will be there present upon certain arduous affairs urgently concerning the king and the estate of his realm, which will be there expounded to him on the king's behalf. [*Parl. Writs.*]
Leeds. The like to four bishops, four earls and five others. [*Ibid.*]
- Sept. 17. To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Order to be with the king at York with horses and arms on the morrow of Martinmas next as well armed as possible, in order to set out with the king against the Scotch rebels, against whom it is necessary for the king to go in force, the king having already warned the earl to be ready to come to him within forty days of being summoned. [*Fadera; Parl. Writs.*]
Canterbury. The like to eleven earls and ninety-seven others. [*Ibid.*]
- Sept. 17. To the sheriff of York. Order to cause proclamation to be made that all men at arms shall be ready to come to the king as above, the king having already ordered him to cause proclamation to be made that they should be ready to come to him within forty days of being summoned.
Canterbury. [*Ibid.*]
- Sept. 25. To the justices of the Bench. Notification that Simon de Sprotton came before the king, on Friday after St. Matthew, and sought to replevy to Roger son of William de Sprotton and William de Sprotton and Joan, his wife, their land in Thorp near Charwell, which was taken into the king's hands for Roger's default before the justices against Jul[iana], daughter of Fulk de Thorp.
Leeds.

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*Membrane 9d—cont.*Sept. 27.
Leeds.

To the abbot and convent of Croyland. Request that they will admit into their house Adam de Skyrewyth, who has long and faithfully served the king, and whom the king is sending to them, and that they will find him for life the necessities of life, making to him letters patent under the seal of their chapter granting the same to him.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

Oct. 4.
Thurrock.

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that Richard de Frekebergh came before the king, on Monday after Michaelmas, and sought to replevy to Alice de Frekebergh, William Attehulle, Richard de Frekebergh, and Robert de Lyuns their land in Wyvelesfeld, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices against Dionisia, late the wife of William de Frekebergh.

MEMBRANE 8d.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to cause a regard to be made in the forest of La Sauce before the coming of the justices of the Forest, so that the regard shall be made before Martinmas.

[*Capitula.*]

Oct. 5.
Thurrock.

John de Boudon acknowledges that he owes to Martin le Convers 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Somerset.

Oct. 6.
Thurrock.

John de Tresil acknowledges that he owes to John de Benstede, clerk, 200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Stafford.

John de Benstede, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to John de Tresil 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

Assignment of dower to Margaret, late the wife of John Giffard of Brymmesfeld, tenant in chief, made by Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent, on 5 August, 27 Edward, in accordance with the king's writ.

There are assigned to her the manor of Stonhouse, co. Gloucester, which is extended at 24*l.* 12*s.* 3*d.* yearly; the manor of Stok Giffard, in the same county, which is extended at 20*l.* 14*s.* 11½*d.* yearly; the rents and services of John de Brughampton in the manor of Roghampton, in the same county, which are extended at 12*s.* yearly; the rents and services of William atte Withie in the said manor, which are extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly. There are also assigned to her the manor of Wynterborne Eliston, co. Wilts, which is extended at 10*l.* 2*s.* 10*d.* yearly; the manor of Bro3ton, in the same county, which is extended at 15*l.* 2*s.* 7¾*d.* yearly.

Oct. 12.
Westminster.

Robert Sorel of Swafham acknowledges that he owes to Theobald Sorel, chaplain, 200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Suffolk.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Andrew de Botekesham, executor of Theobald's will, in the presence of William de Melton for himself and his co-executors.

Oct. 16.
Westminster.

Henry Youngman of Basingham acknowledges that he owes to Nicholas Makerel of Carleton 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

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John Gerlaund of London acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Barthelby, clerk, 46s. 8d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

Oct. 18.
Westminster.

Peter de Chadelington came before the king, on Sunday the feast of St. Luke, and sought to replevy the lands of himself and Margery, late the wife of William de Chadelington, in Waleton-on-Thames, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Richard de Stok. This is signified to the justices.

The prior of Berdene acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Oct. 18.
Westminster.

Thomas son of Thomas de Wythinton acknowledges that he owes to James de Dalilegh, parson of the church of Cranelegh, 12l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

John de Reda acknowledges that he owes to Roger Brabazoun, knight, 40l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

Oct. 21.
Westminster.

Adam de Biddik and Joan, his wife, acknowledge that they owe to Walter de Langeton, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, 100l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Sussex.

Cancelled on payment.

John de Reda acknowledges that he owes to Roger Brabazoun, knight, 100l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

John Hastang' acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, and to the other executors of the will of Robert Burnel, late bishop of Bath and Wells, 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

Nov. 25.
Beverley.

Robert le Chaumburleyn, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Elias Corbel and John, his brother, merchants, 11l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

MEMBRANE 7d.

Oct. 20.
Westminster.

Joan de Vivon[ia], one of the heirs and parceners of the inheritance of Maud de Kyme, tenant in chief, puts in her place William de Hoveden, clerk, and John le Walays to demand and receive in chancery her purparty of the inheritance.

Oct. 18.
Westminster.

The king has granted, at the instance of Amadeus, count of Savoy, to William de Ros that he may receive amends from those [convicted] before William de Sutton and John de Thorp, the king's justices appointed by writ of oyer and terminer, concerning certain trespasses inflicted upon William by them, so that William shall not be molested before justices in eyre or other bailiffs or ministers for such receipt, saving to the king his suit in this behalf.

By K.

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*Membrane 7d—cont.*Oct. 22.
Westminster.

Serlo de Elmedon, Hugh de Breteville, and John le Jovene of Eyworth acknowledge that they owe to Blanche, late the wife of Edmund, the king's late brother, executrix of Edmund's will, and to her co-executors 25*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Bedford and Cambridge.

Oct. 21.
Westminster.

William Servate, merchant, acknowledges that he owes to the executors of the will of William de Valenc[ia] 200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

Robert del Netherwent, tailor, acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

Oct. 26.
Westminster.

John Bluet acknowledges that he owes to John de Tyting, merchant, 8 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

*Cancelled on payment.*Oct. 16.
Westminster.

The abbot of Flaxeleye acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

John Bacoun acknowledges that he owes to the said William 13*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk.

The abbot of Sybeton acknowledges that he owes to the said William 20*l.*; to be levied in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Suffolk.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Thomas de Kneresburgh, attorney of the executors of William's will.

Fulk son of Warin acknowledges that he owes to Hugh le Despenser 500 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

Simon de Malverne acknowledges that he owes to John de Hibernia, clerk, 10*l.* 3*s.* 7½*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in Ireland.

Oct. 29.
Langley.

Robert de Melkele, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Langeton, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, 100*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

Oct. 31.
Langley.

To the abbot and convent of St. Ossyth. Request that they will admit into their house John Gomage, the king's serjeant, whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will minister to him during his life the necessaries of life with a horse and a groom, according to the requirements of his estate.

Robert le Mareschal of Smythefeld acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Barthelby, clerk, 6 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in London.

Oct. 27.
Westminster.

Martin de Dullingham, butcher (*carnifex*), and Philip de Hundesdich, tanner, of London, acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, archdeacon of York, 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in London.

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Oct. 28.
Watford.

Thomas Balravene came before the king, on Wednesday the feast of SS. Simon and Jude, and sought to replevy William de Norwico, vicar of St. Peter's church, Oxford, his land in Oxford, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against William de Croxford. This is signified to the justices.

Nov. 8.
Grantham.

Ralph son of Ralph de Merston came before the king, on Sunday after St. Leonard, and sought to replevy the land of himself and of his wife Agnes in Treynges, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Robert de la Sale and Alice, his wife. This is signified to the justices.

Guy de Rupe Cawardi and Sibyl, his wife, put in their places William de Mertok and Nicholas de Cruket to receive the purparty falling to them in England and Ireland of the inheritance of Maud de Kyme, Sibyl's mother.
By K. and C.

Oct. 31.
Langley.

To the prior provincial of the order of Friars Preachers in England. Request that he will give orders to all the brethren of their house to pray for divine assistance for the king in his expedition to Scotland. [*Fœdera*; Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 805.]

The like to the minister general of the Friars Minors in England. [*Ibid.*]

Oct. 20.
Westminster.

John, prior of Ely, acknowledges, for himself and his house, that he owes to the king 1,000 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cambridge.

Nov. 17.
York.

Thomas de Verdun acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, archdeacon of York, 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

Nov. 17.
York.

To R. bishop of Vicenza. The king has received his letters sent to him by the bearers of the presents, and understands their contents. As to his request that the king should certify him where and when he would wish the bishop's fellows returning from the Roman court to come to him, he signifies to him that he is going to Scotland, where he may be found. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 807.]

John, elect of Norwich, acknowledges, for himself and church, that he owes to the king 1,000 marks; to be paid at the king's pleasure for the corn sown in the lands of the bishopric of Norwich at the time of its voidance by the translation of Ralph, late bishop of that place, to the bishopric of Ely; provided that John satisfy Ralph for his costs and expenses in the said lands after his translation. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 804.]

Nov. 16.
York.

To Richard de Harlegh. Whereas the king appointed him to choose 500 footmen in that county and to bring them to him at Newcastle-on-Tyne, by the eve of St. Katherine next, in order to set out with the king at his wages against the Scots, and he has now ordained that they shall be at Berwick-on-Tweed on Sunday the feast of St. Lucy: the king orders him to cause the said footmen to be assembled without delay, and to bring them to him at the said place, laying aside all other things. The king is sending to him William de Ebor[aco], his clerk, to pay their wages until they come to the said place. He is enjoined to execute this order so diligently and speedily that this matter shall not be delayed through his fault, for which reason the king would have to punish (*graviter capere*) him as a transgressor of his urgent order. [*Parl. Writs.*]

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The like to the following knights :

William de Stafford for 500 men in co. Stafford, with William de Ebor[aco], clerk.

Henry de Braylesford for 1,000 men in co. Derby, with Roger de Sutton, clerk.

Richard de Byngham for 500 men in co. Nottingham, with Roger de Sutton, clerk.

Thomas Banastre for 2,000 men in co. Lancaster, with Henry de Craystok, clerk.

William Vavasur, John de Creppyng, and John Byrun for 4,000 men in co. York, with Ralph de Dalton, clerk.

Robert Tilliol for 2,000 men in co. Cumberland, with Hugh de Burgo, clerk.

Hugh de Multon for 1,500 men in co. Westmoreland, with Hugh de Burgo, clerk.

Walter de Huntercumbe for 4,000 men in co. Northumberland, with Robert de Barton, clerk. [*Parl. Writs.*]

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Nov. 16.
York.

To A. bishop of Durham. Request that he will cause 5,000 or 6,000 footmen to be chosen from the strongest men in the bishopric, so that the king may have them at Berwick-on-Tweed on Sunday the feast of St. Lucy, prepared to set out thence with the king at his wages against the Scots. The king has appointed John de Seleby, his clerk, whom he is sending to the bishop, to supervise the choice of the men and to pay them their wages until they come to him. [*Ibid.*]

Nov. 17.
York.

To Thomas de Furnivall. Whereas the king is setting out for Scotland to repress the rebellion of the Scots, and the men of cos. Nottingham and Derby assessed for arms (*ad arma sessi*) promised and granted to the king that they would be ready whenever he should set out for Scotland to set out with him ; the king orders Thomas to cause the said men assessed for arms to be requested and warned on the king's behalf to be with him at the latest on Sunday the feast of St. Lucy at Berwick-on-Tweed with horses and arms, well armed and prepared to set out with him against the Scots. This he is enjoined to do and complete as he tenders the king's honour and the advantage of the realm. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the following knights :

Walter de Huntercumbe for co. Northumberland.

John de Crepping for co. York. [*Ibid.*]

Nov. 16.
York.

To the mayor and bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne. Whereas the king has enjoined Philip de Vernay and John Burdon to take all vessels (*rasa*) suitable for carrying victuals and other necessities to be found in the port of that town and to cause them to come to the king at Berwick-on-Tweed by Sunday the feast of St. Lucy at the latest : the king orders the mayor and bailiff to aid and counsel Philip and John in the execution of the premises in such manner as they or one of them shall make known to the mayor and bailiffs. This they are enjoined not to neglect in any way as they tender the king, his and their own honour and advantage.

The king to his faithful and well-beloved—[*Incomplete*].

Enrolment of grant by John de Mohun to the king of all his lands, with the knights' fees, advowsons of churches, and other appurtenances, within and without the county of Kildar' in Ireland, which he has surrendered

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into the king's hands, in exchange for the manor of Long Cumpton, co. Warwick, which is extended at 40*l.* 18*s.* 6½*d.* yearly, which the king has granted to John and Ada, his wife, and to John's heirs. Witnesses: A. bishop of Durham and W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield; John de Warennia, earl of Surrey; Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex; Guy de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick; Robert son of Roger, Robert de Clifford, Roger la Warre. Dated at York, 16 November, 27 Edward.

Assignment of dower to Christiana, late the wife of Nicholas de Meynill, from the lands whereof he was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death, to wit the manors of Wherlton, Eston, Semer, and Aldewerk, and also of the lands in Pottehow, made by Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent, by virtue of the king's writ directed to him, in the presence of Nicholas son and heir of Nicholas, who is of full age and consenting to the assignment.

There are assigned to her the manor of Eston, which is extended at 22*l.* yearly, and all the lands in Pottehow that belonged to Nicholas, which are extended at 20*s.* yearly.

No dower is assigned to her from the manor of Bonyngeton, which belonged to Nicholas, the extent whereof is contained among the extents of the other lands, because Hamo de Gruscy, who had possession of the manor on the day of Nicholas's death and long before, claimed that he was enfeoffed thereof by charter of Nicholas, which he showed in the presence of the heir.

Enrolment of release by Amadeus, count of Savoy, to the king of his right in the barony and honour of L'Aigle (*Aquila*) and in the manor of Costeseya, and in all other lands in England that belonged at any time to his ancestors in England. Witnesses: Sir Robert, archbishop of Canterbury; Richard, bishop of London, Ralph, bishop of Ely, and Walter, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield; Edmund, earl of Cornwall; John de Warennia, earl of Surrey and Sussex; Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford, constable of England; Roger Bigod, earl of Norfolk, marshal of England; Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln; Thomas, earl of Lancaster; Guy de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick; Robert de Ver, earl of Oxford; Aymer de Valencia and Henry de Lancastria, the king's kinsmen; John Wak, John de Hasting', Hugh le Despenser, and John de Sancto Johanne, knights. Dated at St. Albans, on the morrow of All Souls, 1299, in the 27th year of the said king's reign.

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Nov. 21.
Weighton.

To Richard de Masey, justice of Chester. Order to pay to John son of Richard Syward, who was delivered as hostage for the said Richard by the king's order, and to Hugh de Longhore, Thomas de Mountref, Patrick de Monte Alto, Matthew de Eyton, and Alan le Mareschal, prisoners, enemies of the king who were taken in the castle of Dumbar in Scotland in the conflict there, and who are in the castle of Chester, and to their two keepers the arrears of their wages from the time when the office of justiciary was committed to Richard, and to pay to them their wages henceforth, to wit 3*d.* a day each.

Nov. 21.
Weighton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king granted by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 11 Edward I, p. 80] to Richard de Bosco the 24 marks that the men of Brideport were wont to render to the exchequer yearly for the ferm of that town, to wit 20 marks for the custody of the king's castle of Corf and the remaining 4 marks to be paid [by him] to the exchequer, for so long as he should have the custody of the castle: the king orders the treasurer and barons to inspect the said letters and also the acquittances that the men have from Richard for the money, and to cause them to be acquitted of the said 24 marks thus paid to Richard by them.

Nov. 21.
Weighton.

To Robert de Clyfford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Robert Ughtred, sheriff of York, to have in the forest of Galtres twenty oaks fit for timber, in order to repair the king's houses of Colton therewith.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Nov. 21.
Weighton.

To Walter de Pederton, justice of West Wales. Whereas the king has committed to Angarath, daughter of Owen ap Meurich, and to Eve and Thlangustel, her sisters, certain lands that belonged to Owen in the parts of Buelt, which were taken into the king's hands for certain reasons by Roger Lestrangle (*Extraneum*), then the king's bailiff of Buelt, and which Angarath and her sisters assert pertain to them in hereditary right according to the law and custom of those parts, to be held during the king's will, so that they may answer to him for the issues thereof if they ought of right to pertain to him: the king orders him to deliver the lands to Angharath, Eve, and Thanglustel (*sic*), to be held in form aforesaid, upon their finding him surety to answer to the king for the issues.

To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause John de Sarnesfeld to have seisin of two acres of land and an acre of meadow in Sheineston (*sic*), as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said land, which Philip le Petit, who abjured the realm for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Philip held them of John de Sarnesfeld, and that the township of Sweyneston now holds them, and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

Nov. 21.
Weighton

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the prior and brethren of the order of Preachers at York to have in the forest of Galtres twelve leafless oak-stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K.

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Nov. 23.
Bishop Burton
(*Bourton*
Archiepiscopi)

To John de Crappying. Whereas it was lately ordained and granted by the common assent of the clergy of the archbishopric of York that the said clergy (*clericus*) should find the king for the custody of the marches of Scotland a certain number of armed men, and the king has now need that the said men then assessed (*cessi*) at arms in the name of the clergy shall go with him to Scotland, for which reason he has ordered the guardian of the spirituality of the archbishopric, the see being void, to order the said clergy and to induce them by all means in his power to send the said men to the king at Berwick-on-Tweed, so that they shall be there on Sunday the feast of St. Lucy at the latest, prepared to set out with the king for Scotland at his wages: the king orders John to aid and counsel the guardian in this matter, when required by him. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 861.]

Nov. 22.
Bishop
Burton.

To the guardian of the spirituality of the archbishop of York. Order to order and induce the said clergy to send the aforesaid men to Berwick as above. The king has ordered John de Creppinggk to aid and counsel him herein. [*Ibid.*]

Nov. 24.
Beverley.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to permit John de Fulham, the king's yeoman, to take five live bucks and five live does in the forest of Galtres, and five live bucks and five live does in the forest of Shirewode, in order to stock the park of Burton near Beverley, which belongs to the archbishopric of York, now void and in the king's hands, for which purpose the king is sending John, and to aid and counsel John in this affair.

Nov. 21.
Weighton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit William Malore of 10 (*sic*) marks yearly exacted from him for the custody of the lands that belonged to Anketin Salveyn, tenant in chief, which were in the king's hands by reason of the minority of Anketin's heir, which custody the king granted to William on 12 May, in the twentieth year of his reign, during the minority of the heir, rendering therefor 9 marks yearly to the exchequer, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of the exchequer, from 10 June, in the said year, when the king granted to William by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 20 Edw. I, p. 495] the custody aforesaid without rendering anything therefor to the exchequer.

Nov. 16.
York.

To the prior and convent of Brydlyngton. The king is sending to them Ingelram de Colonia, canon of the house of Jeddeworth in Scotland, which is of their order, the bearer of the presents, in which house he is unable to stay nowadays because of the incursions of enemies and because the house is so fallen and destroyed in its revenues by the frequent wars in Scotland that its revenues are insufficient for the maintenance of the canons: and the king requests the prior and convent to admit Ingelram into their house to serve God under their habit amongst them, and to treat him with brotherly charity until the house of Jeddeworth be relieved and re-established in better form. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 864.]

Nov. 24.
York.

To Geoffrey Russel and Lambert de Trikingham, guardians of the archbishopric of York, the see being void. Order to cause the Hay of Langwath to be delivered to the chapter of York, together with everything received from it since it was taken into the king's hands by the guardians by reason of the death of Henry, the late archbishop, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the guardians that the dean and chapter of St. Peter's, York, formerly acquired the Hay to themselves and their successors, and that William de Wykewan, John le Romeyn, and Henry de Newerk, formerly archbishops, had nothing in the Hay except tenancy

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for life successively of the demise of the chapter, and that the dean and chapter had seisin of the Hay in the voidances of the archbishopric after the death of the said William and John.

Nov. 24.
Beverley.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to permit W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, master of St. Leonard's Hospital, York, to receive in the forest of Galtres timber for preparing his houses and buildings and wood for his fire, as it is shown to the king by the said master that whereas he ought to have such timber and wood by the charters of the king's progenitors and by the king's confirmation, and that he and his predecessors, masters of the hospital, have always heretofore been wont to have such timber and wood, the justice now hinders his having such timber and wood.

Nov. 21.
Weighton.

To Richard de Masey, justice of Chester. Order to pay out of the ferm of his justiceship to Trahern ap Howell ap Res, Llewelyn ap Groneth ap Heylyn, Welshmen, hostages imprisoned in Chester castle, the arrears of their wages from the time when the office of the justiceship was committed to Richard, and to pay them the same henceforth, to wit each of them *2d.* a day.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. [*Incomplete.*]

Nov. 25.
Beverley.

To Walter de la Haye, escheator in Ireland. Order to deliver to Emma, late the wife of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, thirteen townships and a third of a township in the cantred called 'the cantred of the islands' (*cantredum insularum*) in Thomonia, which the king has assigned to her as her dower of Richard's lands in Ireland.

Nov. 24.
Beverley.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the prior of Boulton-in-Craven to be acquitted of 50 marks of the 100 marks at which he was amerced before Gilbert de Thornton and his fellows, [justices] appointed to hold pleas before the king, for a trespass that he was said to have made, as the king has pardoned him 50 marks and has granted him respite for the remainder until he shall give other orders to the treasurer and barons by word of mouth or under his privy seal, as appears by him by inspection of the rolls of chancery.

MEMBRANE 15.

Dec. 1.
Northallerton.

To the sheriffs of London. Whereas Vitalis del Cos, merchant of Gascony, granted respite until a month after Easter at the king's instance to his debtors, for their debts due to him by reason of the loans received by the king's men lately in Gascony: the king, wishing that Vitalis should enjoy a similar privilege as to his creditors, orders the sheriffs not to compel him in any way to pay any debts to any creditors until the term aforesaid, and to release any distress that they may have levied in this behalf.

Nov. 25.
Beverley.

To the sheriff of Leicester. Order to acquit Clemencia, late the wife of John de Vescy, son of William de Vescy, who holds in dower certain lands of William's inheritance, of the debts of William or of John de Vescy, his brother, or of any other his ancestors for any reason for the king's use, as the king pardoned William, now deceased, by his letters patent, in consideration of the grant and surrender made by him to the king of the castle, manor and county of Kyldar[e], with all appurtenances and liberties,

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and of the grant of the manor of Sprouton, whereof the aforesaid Clemencia holds two thirds and Isabel, late the wife of John de Vesey, William's brother, holds a third in dower, all debts due to the king for fines and amercements into which he fell and for other debts of his own and of John, his brother, and of other his ancestors.

Dec. 1. To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his place.
Northallerton. Order to restore to Richard Costantyn, kinsman and heir of Geoffrey Costantyn of Ireland, the lands that Geoffrey held at his death of the king in chief, which lands the justiciary has taken into the king's hands because Richard had not done homage therefor, as Richard has given the king to understand, as the king has taken his homage. By p.s.

Dec. 3. To the keepers of the passage of Dover. As the king has granted to
Woodham William de Garlande and Bor de la Roke, knights, that they may send
(*Wodum*). 40*l.* that they received at the exchequer to parts beyond sea from the port of Dover by Vitalis Brane, their attorney, in whatsoever coin (*moneta*) they wish without hindrance; the king orders the keepers to permit Vitalis to cross with the said money from that port.

Dec. 4. To the sheriff of York. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Durham. to be elected in place of William Maletak, whom the king has caused to be amoved from office because it is testified before him by John de Cobeham and John de Lythegraines that William is incapacitated by bodily infirmity.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause John de Scaffol to have seisin of nine acres of land in Kirkeosewald, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said land, which John son of William le Taillur, who was outlawed for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that John held it of John de Scaffol, and that William de Molecastre, sheriff of Cumberland, has had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

Dec. 14. Thomas de Skelton, imprisoned at Beverle for the death of Nicholas
Berwick. del Werk, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him until the coming of the justices at the first assize.

Richard son of Richard Basset of Wodeford, imprisoned at Bedeford for the death of Roger le Colyere of Wyliton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Bedford to bail him until the coming of the justices at the first assize.

Nov. 25. To the sheriff of York. Order to cause a verderer for the forest of
Beverley. Thomas, earl of Lancaster, at Pykering to be elected in place of Bernard de Bergh, whom the king has amoved from office because he is insufficiently qualified, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony.

To the sheriff of Lancaster. Order to cause a verderer for the said earl's forest of Lancaster to be elected in place of Richard de Holand, deceased.

To the sheriff of Lancaster. Order to cause a verderer for the said earl's forest to be elected in place of Robert de Singelton, whom the king has amoved from office because he learns upon trustworthy testimony that Robert is incapacitated by age.

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Dec. 25.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To the sheriff of York. Order, issued at the instance of Henry de Percy, to deliver in mainprise Adam le Chapelein of Spoford, Alan Cutte, John le Sureys, Walter de Clethope, Henry Drenche, Ivo de Folifayt, Robert de Wygeton, and Robert le Forester, who were indicted of certain trespasses against the king's peace in the chace and parks of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, at Knaresburgh, before William de Bereford and Gilbert de Roubury, the king's justices appointed to hear and determine those trespasses, and who were imprisoned at York for this reason by order of William and Gilbert, upon their finding mainpernors to have them before William and Gilbert when they next come to those parts to execute this matter.

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Dec. 29.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

William son of Robert Abelot of Pokelinton, imprisoned at York for the death of Thomas son of William de Creppinge, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

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Jan. 8.
Gateshead.

Walter Coteman of Terring, imprisoned at Maydenstan for the death of Ralph le Tacchere, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Sussex to bail him until the first assize.

Jan. 8.
Gateshead.

To John de London[ia], keeper of the forest of Wyndesore. Order to cause Walter de Agmodesham to have in the king's covert of Ascroft and in le Frith of Bray, within that forest, twelve oaks fit for timber, with all their strippings (*escaetis*), of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Jan. 14.
Wetherby.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas the king learns upon trustworthy testimony that John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, has incurred great costs and expense in the king's service in those parts about the expedition of the king's affairs beyond the fee granted to him for that office, and that he has received money from divers sheriffs and other receivers and debtors of the king there for the expedition of the said affairs: the king, wishing to show him favour, orders the said treasurer and barons to see and understand John's receipts for the time that he has occupied the office of justiciary wherewith he is charged beyond his said fee by the aforesaid sheriffs, receivers and debtors, and to cause him to be acquitted of 500*l.* in that view, which the king has granted to him beyond his fee in aid of the said expenses. It is provided that the sheriffs, receivers, and other debtors from whom John has received the said money shall be discharged of the said 500*l.* at the exchequer.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Jan. 14.
Wetherby.

To the justices next in eyre for pleas of the Forest in co. Cumberland. Order not to molest or aggrieve J. bishop of Carlisle and his men for taking a buck without the king's licence in the forest of Ingelwode, in the twenty-seventh year of his reign, as the king has pardoned the bishop and his men the trespass committed by them in thus taking the buck.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Jan. 14.
Wetherby.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to release and restore to Dominic de Tynloc his ship called '*navis Sancte Katherine*' of Bayonne and her crew, which ship they caused to be arrested with the men in her for the loss of six tuns of wine of the thirty tuns of the king delivered by them to Dominic to be carried thence to Scardeburgh Nesse, without taking from him any security until the king shall otherwise ordain, provided that the ship and men were arrested solely for this reason.

By C. at York.

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- Jan. 17. To the justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause William Blyth. de Eston to have in the king's wood of Derleye, which is within the bounds of the forest of Wich (*de Wichio*), six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.
- Jan. 14. To the prior and convent of Lewes. Order to pay to Pascasius de Wetherby. Villa, son of Peter Arnaldi de Villa, late citizen of Bordeaux, the 2,000 marks sterling that they owe to the king by their letters patents, at terms to be agreed upon between them and Paschasius, as the king has granted this debt to Pascasius in acquittance of his debt of 5,305*l.* 4*s.* 0*d.* of black *Tournois* to Peter, and he has delivered to Pascasius the prior and convent's letters aforesaid, together with his letters patent of acquittance of the debt.
- Jan. 15. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Notification Pontefract. that the king has granted to the citizens of Waterford that they may pay the 200 marks due to him for the arrears of the ferm of their city by 50 marks yearly, and order to cause them to have these terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

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- Jan. 17. To the proctors of the abbot of Cluny in England. The king is given Blyth. to understand that the abbot has sent them into England specially to demand and levy for his use in the name of a subsidy a great sum of money from the priors of the Cluniac order in England and from all ecclesiastical persons upon whom the priors have conferred ecclesiastical benefices. As at no time heretofore has such a subsidy been exacted or levied without the special licence and assent of the king or of his progenitors, and as such an inordinate subsidy may easily redound to the prejudice of the king and of the aforesaid priors and of his whole realm, the king prohibits the proctors from exacting, levying or receiving [anything] for the abbot under the name of subvention, aid, loan or gift, or other colour. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 858].
- To Robert de Burghersh, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order not to permit any monk of the aforesaid order, yeoman or other envoys whatsoever bearing money, to cross to parts beyond sea without the king's special licence, as the king is given to understand that the abbot of Cluny has sent certain of his monks into England to demand and levy money (*as in preceding order*).
- Jan. 17. To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, Master Thomas Cantok, chancellor, Blyth. and to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to pay to Adam de Brom and William de Swindon, king's clerks, whom the king is sending to Ireland to supervise certain provisions of victuals that he has ordered to be made there for the war of Scotland, 2*s.* a day each for so long as they shall be engaged upon these affairs.
- Jan. 17. Simon Dun of Lounesdale, imprisoned at Lancaster for the death of Blyth. Alan del Syche, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.
- Nicholas, parson of the church of Sutheriket, imprisoned at Sumerton for the death of Brother William Cliper has letters to bail him.
- John Hanel of Muchelneye, imprisoned at Sumerton for the death of Peter le Colthrid, has letters to bail him.

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William Faderman of Staunford, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of Stephen de Poynton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him.

Jan. 20.
Grantham,

To the sheriff of Oxford and Berks. Whereas it was lately ordained by the king and his council, for the common profit of him and his realm, that the bad money called 'crokardz' and 'pollardz' and other such bad money should not be current (*ne cursist*) in the realm as it had been before; and it was also agreed that from Christmas day last a penny of such sort of money should be current for a halfpenny only, that is to say two for a sterling, provided however that debts that were due by contracts and agreements made before that day should be paid in such money and with such number of pennies as the contract, agreement and purchase had been made for, and in like manner concerning all sort of pennyworths (*darrees*) taken, or purchased at that time; wherefor the king commanded the sheriff to cause all these matters to be proclaimed and published point by point distinctly and openly, and to cause them to be observed firmly within and without franchises throughout all his bailiwick; and the king has had many complaints concerning this matter from divers parts of his realm that these things are not held or kept in the sheriff's bailiwick in accordance with the form of the king's commandment aforesaid, to the great damage of the king's people, whereat he is much surprised: he therefore orders and charges the sheriff, under pain of forfeiture, to cause all the things aforesaid to be firmly kept and held throughout all his bailiwick, as well within franchises as without, according to the form of the commandment aforesaid; and, if the sheriff find anyone disobeying or withstanding in this matter, to cause them to be arrested and kept safely until they shall have found him mainprise to answer to the king at his will for this before the king or before those who shall be appointed for this purpose, and to cause their names and the names of their mainperners to be enrolled, so that the sheriff may have them ready before the king or before those who shall be appointed for this purpose as aforesaid. He shall cause the merchandise to be delivered speedily to those who have bargained for it by the sum (*feer*) made or at a reasonable price. The king wills and orders, in order to keep and observe these things better, that the sheriff shall cause two men to be elected in each market town in his bailiwick and also in other towns where the sheriff shall see fit without delay from the most loyal and wisest (*plus arisetz*) of each town, and to cause them to be sworn openly in the presence of the people that they will cause these things and each of them to be kept well and loyally in their towns, both in regard to making arrests, taking and enrolling mainprise and in regard to delivering merchandise in the same manner as above. *French.*

The like to all the sheriffs of England.

The like to Richard Macy, justice of Chester.

Jan. 20.
Grantham.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Gilbert de Wynn, deceased.

Feb. 4.
Windsor.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of Edmund de Kemeseke, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

Feb. 1.
Windsor.

Isabel, wife of Edmund le Taillur of Basingestoke, and Maud, her sister, imprisoned at Winchester for the death of Richard de London[ia], whereof they are appealed out of hatred and malice, have letters to bail them until the coming of the justices in co. Southampton.

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Feb. 15. To the sheriff of Essex. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be
Westminster. elected in place of James de Stenyngton, who is incapacitated by age and infirmity, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to William son of Warin, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that William at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

Feb. 15. To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margaret, late
Westminster. the wife of Gilbert Urry of Wykeford, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

Feb. 15. To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to
Westminster. cause Robert de Harewedon, clerk, to have in the king's wood of Gotesle, which is within the bounds of the forest of Rokingham, six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift. By K. on the information of J. Butteturte.

Feb. 16. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause
Lessness. Thomas, kinsman and heir of Hugh Peverel, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands whereof Hugh was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death, as Thomas has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage. By p.s. [2048.]

Feb. 14. To John de Drogenesford, keeper of the king's wardrobe, and to John
Westminster. de Sandale, the king's clerks. Order to cause Roger le Ware to have restitution of his goods and chattels specified below, as the king lately ordered the mayor and sheriffs of London to hear Roger's complaint concerning certain goods and chattels of his to the value of 100*l.* that were lately found at London and carried away by William Tupyn, a Toulousan, and that were afterwards arrested there by the mayor and sheriffs, and that if they should find the truth was as stated, to cause the remedy to be provided for Roger that ought to be done according to the law and custom of the city in this behalf, and that they should certify the king if they should find any cause why they could not make such remedy to Roger, and they have returned that it is found by the inquisition that they have caused to be made by virtue of the said order that the said William took and carried away goods and chattels of Roger found in the custody of John de Northampton, clerk, at London to the value of 74*l.* 19*s.* 8*d.*, to wit 56*l.* 13*s.* 0*d.* of pollards, 4*l.* sterling, 10 silver dishes, price 12 marks, 6 silver salt-cellars, price 40*s.*, and three silver cups, price 60*s.*, and two gold brooches (*firmacula*), price 2 marks, and that the said money and goods were arrested by the keepers of the water of Thames and by Richer de Refham and Thomas Sely, late sheriffs of the city, with the said William, with other goods and chattels found with him, because he wished to take them to parts beyond sea contrary to the king's ordinance against the carrying of sterlings out of the realm, and that the said money, dishes, etc. were delivered by order of John de Drogenesford and by an ordinance made concerning it to John de Sandale, keeper of the king's exchange at London, by an indenture made between them and the said Richer, for which reason the mayor and sheriff could not provide Roger with a remedy in this matter, according to the king's order.

Feb. 21. To Thomas de Cantebrigg. Order to deliver to Lupus Burgundi de
Canterbury. Burdegala, merchant of Morlane, the letter obligatory of Didacus Lupi de Haro, lord of Biscaye, to the king for 600 marks, as the king has

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assigned this debt to Lupus in recompence for the 600 marks due to him from the king by the letters of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, lately supplying the king's place in the duchy of Aquitaine, which letters Lupus has delivered to the treasurer and chamberlains at the exchequer for custody in the king's treasury.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Feb. 21.
Ospringe.

To the mayor and sheriffs of London. Order to cause Ralph Rechel to be released from prison in Newegate, wherein he is detained for the recognisance of a debt made to John Coldelle in accordance with the form of the king's statute for recognisances of debts of merchants, if he be detained solely for this reason, as the king lately ordered them to release him if he be a clerk and ought to enjoy the privilege of the clergy, and they signified to the king that they had not delivered Ralph because they could not know whether he is a clerk or not without the bishop, his diocesan, and the king afterwards understood by the testimony of John de Wytham, his chaplain, dean of his free chapel of Shrewsbury, that Ralph is a clerk and is a canon of that chapel, wherefore he ought to enjoy the privilege of the clergy.

Feb. 23.
Canterbury.

To Didacus Lupi de Haro, lord of Biscay (*Byscaye*). Request that he will pay to Lupus Burgundi de Burdegala, the king's merchant and servitor, or to his son Lupus, the 1,000*l.* of Morlan in which he is indebted to the king by his letters patent for a loan made to him in the king's name by John de Sancto Johanne, the king's late seneschal in the duchy of Aquitaine, as the king has assigned this debt to Lupus in recompence for a debt due to him from the king and has caused the said letters patent to be delivered to him, and the king has appointed Lupus or his said son by his letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 28 Edw. I, p. 491] his proctors or attorneys to receive the money in his name.

Feb. 29.
Greenwich.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause John, son and heir of Guy de Crockeford, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

By p.s.

MEMBRANE 13.

March 1.
Greenwich.

To John de Seint Johan. The king understands all the articles that John has sent by Walter de Bedewynd, king's clerk, and has given credence to what the clerk has told him on John's behalf. In regard to what John has shown by the clerk as to the refusal of the men of the counties of Cumberland, Westmoreland, and Lancaster to proceed to the Marches of Scotland or against the king's enemies, for which John has prayed the king to provide a remedy, the king sends to him his open letters whereby he gives power to John and to Master Richard de Abyndon, his clerk, to amerce, punish and distrain at their discretion all those of the said parts who would not come for the defence of the Marches at John's order, as is more fully contained in the king's said letters. The king wills that they shall cause the amercements that they shall cause to be levied from those whom they shall find to have been rebels and contrariant to his order in this respect, to be divided wholly or in part between those men of those parts who shall come voluntarily and without distress, of the king's gift, or that John shall cause others to be raised therewith if he find them good to go with him for the execution of the king's affairs in those parts, or he shall retain the amercements for the king's use until

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otherwise ordered. He is enjoined not to be astonished because the king has joined Master Richard with him to amerce, punish and distrain the said men, for the king's intention is that when John shall have passed the marches of Carlisle and Lughmaban against his enemies, Richard, who is a baron of the exchequer, shall there act (*entendre*) according to John's injunctions, and the king is sending his letters to the sheriffs of the aforesaid counties commanding them to be intendent and answering to John or to Richard, or to those whom John shall appoint there, in levying the said ameracements and making the distresses, as is contained in the king's letters, of which he sends transcripts to John.

In regard to John's request that in case a castle be surrendered to him for the king's use, or if he take it by force, and if he shall deem it profitable for the king that such castle shall be garrisoned, that he may do so and that the king shall order Richard or him who supplies his place to cause the castle to be victualled and to pay wages to those garrisoning it, the king informs him that he has ordered Richard or him who supplies his place to cause castles that shall thus come into John's hands to be garrisoned with men and victuals according to John's ordinance, and that the king will cause allowance to be made to him in his account for what he shall thus expend by John's testimony, as is more fully contained in the king's letters, of which the king sends John transcripts. In regard to the castles, it is the king's will that, if they are castles that he has not given, they shall be garrisoned in the manner aforesaid, if John deem such to be profitable and advantageous to the king, but if they are castles that John knows the king has given and that they may be profitable and serviceable to the king, the king wills that John shall receive or take them by force, and that after he shall have received or taken them, he shall make them known to those to whom the king has given them, and that he shall deliver them to the grantees in such manner that they shall cause them to be kept and garrisoned at their own costs.

In regard to the power that John wishes to have to retain twenty or thirty men-at-arms if he can find them suitable and as many hobelers, the king informs him that he has already sent him letters empowering him to do so by John's own envoy, and that he now sends him other letters in case they have not yet reached him.

In regard to retaining John le Skyrmissur and his companions with his galley at the king's wages in order to victual the castle of Dumfreys, as to which John wishes to know the king's will, the king informs him that he wills that whenever it is desirable to garrison the said castles, John le Skyrmissur or another sufficient man for this purpose shall be retained at the king's wages, or for a certain salary (*soucheaux*) for so long a time as shall be agreed upon to garrison the said castle at the beginning and no more; and the king prays John, if he cause it to be garrisoned, to cause it to be garrisoned sufficiently for a long space (*piece*).

In regard to the knights and esquires of Annandale (*Wal Danand*) concerning whom he has sent to the king, the king informs him that after John and other good men of the realm and of the inhabitants of those parts in aid of them and of their marches as well as for the king,^a it seems to him that they ought to suffer themselves to make such requests to him, wherefore he wills that nothing shall accrue to them beyond what was at first ordained for them.

As Sir John de Claverigg⁷ has given the king to understand that there is a great number of Scots at the Nak⁸ watching John de Seint Johan's

* Something appears to have been omitted in the enrolment.

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coming into Galloway (*Gaweie*), so that when he shall have advanced into the land, they will take pains to surround (*forclore*) him, the king makes this known to him and orders him to be guarded against it, and that when he shall have made any expedition (*chivache*), he shall inform the king of it as speedily as possible and as plainly as he can, with all the other news that he shall deem ought to be sent to the king. *French*. [*Parl. Writs.*]

To Master Richard de Abyndon, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause such castles to be garrisoned and provided with victuals as Sir John de Seint Johan shall take by force from the king's enemies in Scotland or that shall be surrendered to John (*as in preceding*). *French*. [*Ibid.*]

March 1.
Greenwich.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of Staunford to have in the king's forest of Clyve seven leafless oak-stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburn.

To the same. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of Cantebrigg to have in the forest of Wauberge twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburn.

March 1.
Southwark

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Recital of the king's order [of 20 January, *page 331 above*] regarding the circulation of bad money, and statement that the king understands that the things therein contained are not held or kept in the sheriff's bailiwick according to the form aforesaid, in despite of the king and his orders and to the great damage of his people, at which he is much annoyed. He again orders the sheriff, as he has many times ordered him, under pain of forfeiture of all that he can forfeit, to cause all the said things and each of them to be held and kept throughout his whole bailiwick, both within franchises and without, as in the said order, because, if he do not do so, the king has ordered Sir Robert le fuiz Roger, his captain (*cheretain*) and supplying his place at Berewyk, to cause these things to be executed in the sheriff's bailiwick. *French*.

The like '*de most en mot*' are sent in the form of patent to Sir Robert with clause ordering him to cause these things to be done in the sheriff's bailiwick in default of the latter.

March 1.
Greenwich.

Richard Colle, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of Richard Page, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Stafford to bail him until the first assize.

March 7.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order to cause Benedict de Shireford to have seisin of two acres of land in Aulescombe, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said land, which John le Taylur, who was hanged for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that John held it of Benedict, and that the tithingmen (*decennar*) of the tithing of Aulescombe have had the king's year and day thereof, for which they ought to answer to the king.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause Thomas son of Geoffrey le Fraunceys of Kirkeoswald to have seisin of a toft and an acre of land in Leysenby, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the toft and land, which John son of William le Taillur, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that John held them of the said Thomas, and that William de Mulecastre has had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

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March 8. Roger Nutehach, imprisoned at Lancaster for the death of Richard de Westminster. Crokehurst, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the coming of the justices.

March 8. To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to cause Master John de Solers of Westminster. Poteslepe to have seisin of a virgate of land in Poteslepe, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the land, which William de Poteslepe, who abjured the realm for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that William held it of John, and that the township of Poteslepe has had the king's year, day and waste thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

March 15. To Richard Oysel, the king's bailiff of Barton-on-Humbre. Order to Westminster. cause the king's smaller barge (*bargiam*) for the ferry (*passagio*) over the water of the Humbre between that town and the town of Hesel to be repaired.

MEMBRANE 12.

March 9. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause G. now Westminster. bishop of Chichester and the executors of the will of S. the late bishop to be acquitted of 100 marks, by which the late bishop made fine with the king for the service of two and a half knights' fees, which he acknowledged to the king for his army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as the late bishop paid this money into the wardrobe to Master Thomas Bek, then keeper of the wardrobe, on the morrow of St. Swithin, in the said year, as appears by the king's letters patent of acquittance.

To the same. Like order to acquit the said bishop and executors of 100 marks by which S. the late bishop made fine with the king for the service of two and a half knights' fees, which he acknowledged to the king in his army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as the late bishop paid this sum to the king by the hands of Bonruncini Gaulteri, merchant of Lucca, in the said year.

March 12. To the sheriff of Berks. Order to cause a coroner for that county to Westminster. be elected in place of Roger Gymel, deceased.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Robert le Burgilun, who is insufficient for the office for certain reasons, as the king learns upon trustworthy authority.

March 11. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Westminster. John, son and heir of Thomas de Stocton, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his fealty.

March 11. To Robert de Clyfford, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him Westminster. who supplies his place in the forest of Shirewode. Order to cause Hugh de Notingham, clerk, to have in the king's wood of Beskwode, which is within the said forest, six oaks fit for timber of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of J. Butteturte.

March 11. To Philip Aphowel, constable of Buelt castle. Order to cause the Westminster. houses of that castle to be repaired. The king will cause allowance to be made to him for the cost thereof by the view and testimony of Walter de Pederton, justice of West Wales.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

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To the prior of Kermerdyn, treasurer of West Wales. Order to cause the houses of the king's castles in West Wales in the custody of Walter de Pederton, justice of those parts, to be repaired.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

March 12.
Westminster.

To the same. As the king wills that the castles of Lampader, Cardigan, Emelyn, Drosselan, Dynnewor, and Kermerdyn shall be provided with dead stores (*mortua garnestura*), and it is expedient, as he learns, that the stores now in the castles shall be renewed, he orders the prior to receive the latter from Walter de Pederton, justice of West Wales, by indenture, and to cause them to be renewed, and to cause the castles to be provided with dead stores according to Walter's ordinance.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

March 13.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John de Bradefeld, as the king learns upon the testimony of William de Mortuo Mari and Miles Pychard that he is staying continuously in Wales, so that he cannot attend to the office of coroner in that county.

To the same. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Simon Deveraus, as it is testified before the king by the aforesaid William and Miles that Simon is incapacitated by grievous infirmity.

To the same. Order to cause a verderer (*coronatore*) for the king's forest of La Haye to be elected in place of John de Cruket, verderer (*viridarius*), as it is testified before the king by the said William and Miles that he is suffering from grievous infirmity, so that he is insufficient for the execution of the office.

March 14.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Joan, late the wife of Roger del Gardyn, to have seisin of the lands whereof she and Roger were jointly enfeoffed and seised on the day of Roger's death, by reason of whose death the escheator has taken them into the king's hands, as the king has taken her fealty for the lands and restored them to her.

March 15.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to cause Thomas, son and heir of Thomas de Stodham, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

March 11.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to restore to Alexander, vicar of the church of St. Vigor, Fuleburn, his goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged with suspected homicide before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. Cambridge, as he has purged his innocence before Richard de Oteringham, late guardian of the bishopric of Ely, to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy.

The like to the sheriff of Cambridge.

March 14.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to permit the burgesses of Overton to be acquitted of the rents due to the king for their messuages within the borough for ten years from Michaelmas in the nineteenth year of the reign, as the king lately granted by his charter that his town of Overton should be a free borough, and that his men

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thereof should be free burgesses, and that they and their heirs should have and hold for ever their messuages within the borough of the king by the services therefor due and accustomed, and he afterwards granted to them by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 20 Edward I, p. 476] that they should be quit of the rents due to him for ten years from the said Michaelmas, in accordance with the form by which he made grant to his other burgesses in those parts concerning their rents.

March 14. To the same. Order to cause the abbot of Winchecombe to be acquitted
Westminster. of 10*l.* that are exacted from him for a fine that he made with the king for licence to enter certain tenements in Corneden of the gift of the abbot of Bruern, as William de Thorntoft, keeper of the king's hanaper, received this sum from the abbot for the king's use by order of William de Hamelton, then supplying the place of the chancellor, as William de Thorntoft has acknowledged before the king. It is provided that William de Thorntoft shall be charged with this sum in his account.

March 18. Robert del Evese of Eccleston, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of
Westminster. Adam de Pynynton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

March 18. To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order not to compel the citizens of
Westminster. Bayonne—to whom the king has assigned by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 27 Edward I, p. 414] the issues pertaining to him of all the custom of wool, hides, and fells in the realm of England and in his lands of Ireland and Scotland after he should have the latter in peace, to be received by them in crowned sterlings until they should be satisfied from the said issues for divers debts in which the king was bound to them by the letters patent of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, lately supplying the king's place in the duchy of Aquitaine—to receive the aforesaid custom in pollards or crockards contrary to the assignment aforesaid, as although the king lately ordained that two pollards or crockards should be current in the realm for one sterling and ordered this ordinance to be observed throughout his realm under pain of grievous forfeiture, it was not and is not his intention that the said citizens should be compelled to receive the said custom in pollards or crockards.

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties :

York.	London.
Lincoln.	Kent.
Norfolk.	Sussex.
Suffolk.	Southampton.

The like to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland.

March 16. John Merewyn, imprisoned at Worcester for the death of Nicholas
Westminster. Gilding, slain in co. Gloucester, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Gloucester to bail him until the first assize, so that the sheriff shall certify the king of the names of the mainpernors in order that he may cause John to be delivered from the said prison.

March 20. To the barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Ralph de Gorges, son
Westminster. and heir of Ralph le (*sic*) Gorges, to be acquitted of 200 marks, by which his father made fine with the king for divers trespasses committed by him in the king's forests, as the king has pardoned Ralph this sum in consideration of his father's good service to him.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

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Westminster.

To the barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king, on 26 February, in the third year of his reign, granted by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 3 Edward I, p. 81] to Queen Eleanor, his mother, for her life all the fines and amercements of her men in the lands that she held in dower of the king's realm before any justices whomsoever, and the barons exact 80 marks, by which Master John son of Peter de Wygornia, now deceased, one of the said Queen's men, made fine to have a good inquisition with the king before Nicholas de Stapelton and his fellows, justices in eyre in co. Worcester, from Agnes de Pydele, sister and heiress of John, and from the executors of his will, of which sum John paid 20 marks to Walter de Castello, keeper of the [queen] gold of the said Queen, for the said Queen's use by a tally; the king orders the barons to inspect the tally, and if they ascertain that John was the said Queen's man and that the said 20 marks were paid to Walter, to cause the aforesaid heiress and executors to be acquitted of the 20 marks. It is provided that the executors of Walter's will shall be charged with this sum.

MEMBRANE 11.

March 22.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to restore to John de Tyngewyk certain lands in Wappenham and the advowson of the church of that town, and the issues received thence by the escheator, who took the lands and advowson into the king's hands because Henry de Pynkeny alienated them to the said John without the king's licence, under the belief that Hugh held them of the king, as the king now learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Henry did not hold them of the king in chief but of the heirs of Godfrey de Lucy, ancestor of Geoffrey de Lucy, together with the rest of the town of Wappenham by the service of a moiety of a knight's fee, and that Godfrey gave the lands and advowson with the remainder of the town to one Henry de Pynkeny, ancestor of the said Henry, in free marriage with Letitia, Godfrey's daughter, and that they descended by right of inheritance from Henry to the said Henry, who enfeoffed John of the land and advowson.

To the same. Order to go in person to the manor of Corston, which is of the inheritance of Edward, son and heir of Philip Burnel, tenant in chief, and of which the king has committed the custody to Guncelin de Badlesmere during the heir's minority, and to make an inquisition there concerning the manor, and if he find that waste or destruction has been committed in it by Guncelin, to resume it into the king's hands, and to cause it to be kept safely until further orders, as the king understands that Guncelin has committed waste and destruction of the houses, woods and gardens of the manor, and the king is bound to restore to heirs in his wardships when they come of age all their lands in his hands in name of wardship as fully and without diminution as they came to his hands.

Margery la Russe, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of John Paynel and Robert Gladewyne, wherewith she is charged, has letters to bail her until the first assize.

Thomas le Lorimer, imprisoned at Beverley for the death of Nicholas del Werk, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

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*Membrane 11—cont.*March 24.
Westminster.

To the king's chamberlain of Middelton. Order to cause John de Northwode, sheriff of Kent and constable of Ledes castle, to have in the king's wood of Merdene six oaks fit for timber in order to repair the king's mill of the castle.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield. Mandate in pursuance to the said John to repair the mill.

By K. on the information aforesaid.

March 25.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to restore to Robert de la Warde the 40s. (*sic*) yearly of land in Duston that he has for life of the gift of Reginald de Grey, who held it of the king in chief by serjeanty, which land the escheator took into the king's hands by reason of Robert's trespass in entering it without the king's licence, as the king has granted to Robert, for a fine of 60s., that he may hold the said 60s. (*sic*) yearly of land for his life, in accordance with the said grant.

March 10.
Westminster.

To the same. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Walter Abovetoun, Robert the miller, Alexander le Porter, Walter le Eyr, and Roesia la Veye held in villeinage seven messuages and five virgates and fifteen acres and a half of land in the town of Grafton of Hugh de Braundeston, lately deceased, to wit Walter three messuages three bovates and $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land, rendering therefor to Hugh 24s. 7d. yearly, Robert the miller a messuage and half a virgate and $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land, rendering therefor 8s. 7d. yearly, and the aforesaid Alexander, Walter, and Roesia each holds a messuage and half a virgate and $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land, rendering 7s. 5d. yearly, and that Walter, Robert, Alexander, Walter, and Roesia were wont to render yearly to Henry 20 hens, which are extended at 20d. yearly, and that Hugh held the aforesaid tenements of William le Butiller of Wemme by the service of a quarter of a knight's fee and by doing scutage when it happens, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition that Hugh held anything of him in chief at his death, except the manor of Redenhale, co. Norfolk, whereof he and Margaret, his wife, were jointly enfeoffed by Bartholomew de Yatindon, Margaret's father, to hold to them and the heirs begotten upon her body, or to her other heirs in case she had no heirs by Hugh, of the king by the service of two knights' fees: the king orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the said rent, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of Hugh's death.

March 26.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margery, late the wife of Thomas de Mereton, tenant in chief, of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to Thomas, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

March 18.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Bogo de Knovill to have in the forest of Chippeham ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

March 28.
Westminster.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause John de Cretyng, son and heir of Adam de Cretyng, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father at his death was seised in his demesne as of fee, together with the issues thereof received since they were taken into the king's hands, as the king has taken his homage for all the lands that his father held of him in England and Ireland.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause William Martyn, son and heir of Nicholas son of Martin, to be acquitted of the

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scutage exacted from him for the service of three knights' fees for the army of Wales in the fifth year of the king's reign, as Nicholas was with the king by his order in the said army for the said service, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his Marshalsea for that army.

To the same. Order to cause Geoffrey Luterel, son and heir of Robert Luterel, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the service of two knights' fees for the army aforesaid, as Robert was with the king by his order in the said army for the said service, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his Marshalsea for that army.

March 27. To the keeper of the manor of Fekeham. Order to repair the king's
Westminster. houses and mill in that manor. By K.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the aforesaid keeper to have in the king's Hay called 'le Park' within the forest of Fekeham five oaks fit for timber, in order to repair the houses and mill aforesaid. By K.

March 28. To John de London[ia], constable of Windsor castle. Order to expend
Westminster. up to 100s. in repairing the king's weir of Old Windsor, which is broken down. By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the keeper of the manor of Old Windsor to have in the forest of Windsor six oaks fit for timber and six beeches, where they can be taken to the least damage of the king, for the repair of the aforesaid weir.

By K.

March 31. To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to
Westminster. cause Mary de Ingham to have in the king's wood of Melchet, which is within the bounds of the forest of Clarendon, forty oaks fit for timber, where they can be taken with the least damage to the king, of the king's gift. By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburn.

March 28. To Robert de Bures, keeper of the forest of Canek. Order to cause John
Westminster. de Segrave to have in that forest twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

Vacated, because the writ was restored.

March 30. To Eustace de Hacche, constable of Marlebergh castle. Order to
Westminster. cause the king's great chapel and three great chambers within the castle, together with the gutters (*guteris*) and passages (*tresanciis*) of the same to be repaired. By K.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Eustace de Hacche, constable of Marlebergh castle and keeper of the king's barton (*bertona*) there, to have in the king's forest of Savernak ten cartloads of wood for piles and sixty cartloads of underwood, in order to enclose the barton, to be taken where the least damage can be done to the king. By K.

To the same. Order to cause Thomas, earl of Lancaster, to have in the forest of Whitlewode twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Otto de Grandisono.

William Graunta and William Galyot, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Nicholas de Kylminand, wherewith they are charged, have letters to bail them until the first assize.

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Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with a yearly rent of 9 marks in Pleydenn, Bolynton, Peblesham, and Staunde, and to restore anything that he may have received thence to the abbot of Robertsbridge (*de Ponte Roberti*), as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that William de Sancto Noeto, sometime abbot of Robertsbridge, acquired the said rent before the publication of the statute of mortmain from the abbot and convent of Tréport (*Uterioris Pontis*) in Normandy, and that the said abbot of Robertsbridge and his successors continued his seisin of the rent from the time of the purchase until Wednesday in Whitsun week, in the twenty-seventh year of the king's reign, upon which day William de la Legh, sub-escheator in co. Sussex, took the rent into the king's hands because he believed that it had been acquired after the publication of the said statute.

April 1.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the prioress and nuns of Aumbresbur[y] to have in the forest of Chuet forty oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift. By K.

April 1.
Westminster.

To Richard Oysel, the king's bailiff of Holdernessee. The king learned at another time from the complaint of Master William de Blida, parson of the church of Preston in Holdernessee, that the king's men, his parishioners of Preston, detained the tithe of their hay due of right to his church, and refused to render it to him; for which reason the king ordered Thomas de Weston, then bailiff of Holdernessee, to cause the men to pay the tithe of their hay to the church, if it were as stated; and Thomas, who is now dead, deferred executing the said order in favour of the king's men aforesaid, at which the king wonders, especially as he himself and the other free men, parishioners of that church, give such tithes yearly to the said church, as he learns from William: he therefore orders Richard, if he ascertain that the premises are true, to cause the said tithe to be paid to William, so that it shall not be necessary for the king to be again solicited in this matter through Richard's default.

MEMBRANE 10.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the bailiff of the king's manor of Brustwyk. Order to cause the canons of the church of St. John, Beverley, to have out of the ferm of that manor for Michaelmas next 30*l.*, in part payment of the arrears of 40*l.* yearly, which sum the king granted to them by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 24 Edward I, p. 204] to be received at his exchequer of Berwick-on-Tweed, to be distributed to 3,000 poor men, to find a priest to celebrate the mass of the said saint in the aforesaid church at the great altar before the shrine of the saint daily, and to perform other divine services in honour of the saint. By K.

To the mayor and bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne. Order to cause the prior of Durham to have out of the ferm of that town for Michaelmas next 10*l.*, in part payment of the arrears of 40*l.* yearly that the king granted to the prior and convent by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 24 Edward I, pp. 203, 204], to be received at his exchequer of Berwick-on-Tweed, to be distributed to 3,000 poor men and to find a priest to celebrate the mass of St. Cuthbert in the church of Durham in the place called 'La Galyleye' each day, and to perform other divine services in honour of the saint. By K.

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Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the executors of the will of W. late bishop of Ely to have in the king's forest of Wauberge twenty-four oaks fit for timber, where this can be done with least damage to the king, for the works of the bridge of Huntingdon, of the king's gift.
By K.

To the said Hugh. Order to cause Maud de Mortuo Mari to have in the park of Pederton ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of R. de Mortuo Mari.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to deliver to the archbishop of Rouen, or to his attorney, the manor of Bynteworth, with the advowson of the church and other appurtenances, which the king caused to be taken into his hands by reason of the war between him and the king of France, as the king has rendered the manor to the archbishop at the instance of Queen Margaret, his consort, to be held in the same way as he held it before it was taken into the king's hands.

By K. on the information of Otto de Grandisono.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king appointed Geoffrey de Picheford, then constable of Windsor Castle, to let out on rent (*arentanda*) his wastes in the forest of Windsor, and to demise them to tenants by rents to be rendered to the exchequer yearly, and Geoffrey demised 30 acres of the waste aforesaid in Pukemere, in the parish of Bray, within the forest, to Master [Henry] Wade, now deceased, to hold to him and his heirs for 14s. 8d. yearly; and the king afterwards, accepting the demise, granted to Henry by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 11 Edward I, p. 70] the said land for 15s. yearly, to wit the aforesaid 14s. 8d. with 4d. of increment, for all service and demand pertaining to the king; and the treasurer and barons cause 29s. 8d. yearly to be exacted from John, son and heir of Henry, for the said land from the time of the grant, to wit the said 14s. 8d., at which the land was let out on rent as aforesaid by reason of the demise made to Henry by Geoffrey, and 15s. by reason of the king's grant, as if the demise and grant had been made for different tenements and different arrentations, which they were not: the king orders them to inspect the arrentation aforesaid, and if they find thereby or by other means that the 30 acres were let out on rent to Henry by Geoffrey at 14s. 8d. and no more and by the king's letters patent at the same arrentation with 4d. increment, and that the said arrentation and grant relate to one and the same tenement, to cause John to be acquitted of the aforesaid 14s. 8d. exacted from him beyond the said 15s. from the time of the king's grant aforesaid.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the same. Whereas the king granted to Master William Burnel certain lands in Oxford that belonged to certain Jews of that town, which came to the king's hands by their exile from his realm as his escheats, to hold to William and his heirs, or to whomsoever he should give or assign them, according to the custom of that town, rendering therefor 6d. yearly to the king by the hands of the bailiffs of that town, and doing to the other lords of the fee the other services therefor due and accustomed, as contained in the king's letters patent; and the treasurer and barons exact from William 2½ marks yearly for a house that belonged to Sarah, late the wife of Benedict le Evesk, a late Jew of that town, which Jocus son of Moses (*Mossey*), a late Jew of that town, held, which is one of the aforesaid houses, which 2½ marks were wont to be rendered to the king yearly before that grant, and they exact from William certain arrears of the said

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2½ marks, contrary to the form of the king's grant aforesaid, as the king learns from his complaint: the king has pardoned William the said 2½ marks yearly and the arrears of the same, and therefore orders them to cause him to be acquitted thereof, and to permit him to hold all the houses aforesaid in accordance with the tenor of the king's grant.

To Walter de Glou[cestria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause William, son and heir of Geoffrey Laurence of Edelmeton, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

To the same. Like order in favour of Thomas, son and heir of William de Wodeham.

To the same. Like order in favour of John, son and heir of John de Totesham.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to deliver Geoffrey Shakelok, Thomas le Taylur, John de Lynham, Cecily de Cesterfeld, and Agnes, her daughter, and John Cecilesman, who are of the jurisdiction of Boniface de Saluciis, parson of the king's free chapel of Tykhull, who were arrested by the sheriff and imprisoned at Nottingham by the king's writ at the denunciation of the chapter of St. Peter's church, York, in bail to six mainpernors each, who shall undertake to have them before the king and his council in his next parliament to do and receive what he shall then cause to be ordained by his council.

By K. on the information of the earl of Lincoln.

April 1. To Richard de Mascy, justice of Chester. Order to cause Amaneus de Westminster. Lebreto, or his attorney, to have in the forest of La Mare twelve oaks fit for timber, in order to repair the houses of the manor of Frodesham.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

April 1. To John de Havering, justice of Wales. Order to cause Edmund son of Griffin to have 40s. yearly of land in the king's lands of Ayrannos, to hold during the king's pleasure, retaining in the king's hands the king's other lands there, as the king makes this order as he wishes to recompence Edmund for his good service in his lands in the parts of Coneueye and for the place of bailiff of the forestry of the forest of Arlegh, Weth, and Arnon, which forest the king lately caused to be disafforested at the request of men of that country, whereby Edmund lost his bailiwick.

To John de Sandale and Thomas de Cantebrigg, his clerks appointed to pay to the merchants of Bayonne the debts in which the king is bound to them out of the issues of the custom of wool and hides of the realm of England. Whereas the said merchants have granted at the king's request to Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, that 27*l.* 18*s.* 3*d.* sterling due from the earl to certain citizens of Bayonne, to wit 21*l.* 19*s.* 0*d.* to Peter Palasyn and Peter Janyyn, 22*l.* to Gracia de Savenayk, 22*l.* 19*s.* 3*d.* to Pascasius de Saument, and 19*l.* to Peter Arnaldi de Bergny, shall be paid to them among other merchants of Bayonne out of the issues of the said custom by pounds and by shillings: the king orders the said clerks to cause the aforesaid sums to be paid to the merchants, charging the earl with them as in the case of other debts in which he is bound to the king for the time when he was in his service in the parts of Gascony.

April 1. To Robert de Burghersshe, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Westminister. Cinque Ports. Order to cause Robert Capel of Sandwich to be released from prison at Dover, and to restore to him his goods and chattels, which

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were taken into the king's hands for his trespasses, as the king lately ordered the constable to cause Robert to be taken and imprisoned for the trespasses committed by him upon certain of the king's ministers in the king's presence, and the king understands that Robert has been sufficiently punished by the imprisonment for the quality and quantity of his offence.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the executors of the will of William de Brewosa to be acquitted of 52*l.* for which his manor of La Knap was mortgaged (*invadiatum*) in the Jewry, which sum is exacted from them for the king's use by summons of the exchequer, as the king has pardoned them this sum. By K.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted to the prior of Okeburn that he may pay one mark sterling to the exchequer for each pound of the 762*l.* in pollards due from him to the king for terms past of the fine that he made with the king for having administration of the possessions, goods and things pertaining to that priory, which the king lately caused to be taken into his hands by reason of the war between him and the king of France, and that the king has pardoned him the remainder of the debt, to wit 254*l.* in pollards, and order to receive one mark for each pound of the 762*l.* and to cause the prior to be acquitted of the remainder. By roll of the C.

The like for the following :

The prior of Goldeclive, for each pound of 79*l.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 26*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* [in pollards].

The prior of St. Neots, for each pound of 210*l.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 70*l.* in pollards.

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[The like for the following :]

April 1.
Westminster.

The prior of Stok, for each pound of 300*l.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 100*l.* in pollards. By the roll of C.

The prior of Cowyk, for each pound of 58*l.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 19*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* in pollards.

The prior of Wylesford, for each pound of 60*l.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 20*l.* in pollards.

The prior of Alverton Mauleverer, for each of 14*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 4*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* [in pollards].

The prior of Holy Trinity, York, for each pound of 180*l.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 60*l.* in pollards.

The prior of Mortayn, for 45*l.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 15*l.* in pollards.

The prior of Tykeford, for each of 90*l.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 30*l.* in pollards.

The abbot of Marmoutier, for each of 25*l.* in pollards, the king pardoning him 8*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* [in pollards].

April 10.
St. Albans.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Agnes, late the wife of Henry le Sumenur, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

Vacated, because she did not have the writ.

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St. Albans.

To the sheriff of Oxford and Berks. Order to respite until futher orders the demand upon Hugh Daudeleye by summons of the exchequer for 50*l.*, as the king paid this sum to Hugh from the wardrobe in order that he might equip himself (*se muniendum*) in going in the king's service to Gascony.

The like in favour of the following :

John de Mohun for 100 marks, addressed to the sheriff of Somerset.

June 13.
York.

John de Fuleburn for 20*l.*, addressed to the sheriff of Cambridge.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the mayor and sheriffs of London. Order to cause William de Gyldeford, imprisoned at Ludgate for a trespass that he is said to have committed in the company (*comitiva*) of Walter de Maydenstan, to be delivered in mainprise, if he be detained solely for this reason.

By pet. of C.

April 5.
Tottenham.

To the chamberlain of Middelton. Order to cause the constable of Ledes castle to have in the king's woods of Meredenn and Spayhull ten oaks fit for timber, in order to repair therewith the king's mill of the castle aforesaid.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

April 1.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of York. Order to deliver to Emma, late the wife of William le Mareschal of Wylghetoft, a toft and a bovate of land in Wylghetoft, to be held saving the right of others, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that William and Emma demised the toft and bovate to Osbert de Spaldington for a term of ten years, and that that term has now elapsed, and that the toft and bovate are of Emma's inheritance, which toft and bovate the sheriff took into the king's hands by reason of his order to take into his hands Osbert's lands for a certain reason.

By C.

April 1.
Westminster

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king has granted to Stephen de Chyendut respite until further orders for the 50 marks for which Stephen Chyendut, his father, of whom he is the heir, made a recognisance to Adam de Stratton before them in the exchequer, which were to be paid at terms long past, and which are exacted from him for the king's use in the same manner as the other debts of Adam, which are in the king's hands by his forfeiture: the king orders them to cause Stephen to have this respite, and to cause the distraint made upon him in this behalf to be released to him.

By pet. of C.

March 28.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Berks. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William Jordan, lately elected, as he holds all his lands in the manors of Cokham and Braye, which are of the ancient demesne of the crown of England, according to the customs of those manors, and he does not hold other lands elsewhere by reason whereof he ought to be subject to the common law (*ad legem communem adesse*).

March 14.
Westminster.

To Nicholas Fermbaud, constable of Bristol castle. Order to cause, immediately upon sight of these letters, suitable and sufficient houses within the castle to be repaired according to the ordinance of John Porcher, master of the mint (*de moneta*) of England, for the workmen of the king's mint and for holding his exchange therein.

The like to the following :

Richard Oysel, bailiff of Kyngeston-on-Hull, to cause houses to be repaired in that town according to the ordinance of Taldus Janiani and Coppus Cotenn and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Frisconbaldi of Florence, or of one of them, or of their attorney.

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The sheriff of Northumberland, to cause houses in the town of Newcastle-on-Tyne to be repaired according to the ordinance of the aforesaid merchants.

The sheriff of Devon, to cause houses in the town of Exeter to be repaired according to the ordinance of the said merchants.

March 14.
Westminster.

To John de Sandale, keeper of the king's exchange in England. As he lately sent to parts beyond sea for workmen and moneyers to come to the king's exchange in England, whereby many such workmen have now come to these parts, and the king still needs many more, he orders John to cause to come without delay as many and such workmen and moneyers as he shall deem sufficient for the maintenance of the king's exchange in England and Ireland. The king will cause full allowance to be made to him for his costs and expenses in this matter, and for the costs and expenses that it will be necessary for him to incur hereafter in sending the said workmen and moneyers to divers places in England and in Ireland according to the ordinance of the king's treasurer, and also in buying and sending to the said places other things whatsoever that shall be necessary for the said exchange.

To the aforesaid John. Whereas the king lately ordered Master Guy de Turvenire to come to him in England in order to instruct him and certify him as to certain articles concerning his money, and Guy, who stayed with the king in England for this reason, is now going to parts beyond sea by the king's licence: the king orders John to pay to Guy 60*l.* sterling for his expenses in coming to the king in England, staying and working there, and in returning thence.

To the aforesaid John. As the king understands that John has hitherto bought all kinds of pieces of silver as pieces of silver from parts beyond sea, and it was not and is not the king's intention that pieces of the affinity of pollards or of other counterfeit money and pieces of silver carried from parts beyond sea shall be bought in the same manner: the king orders him to cause all pieces of silver brought to his exchange that are not from parts beyond sea to be bought hereafter as silver of bullion (*de billone*), until further orders.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas the king has committed to Taldus Janian and Coppus Cotenn and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Friscumbaldi of Florence, the custody of the king's exchange in Ireland by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 28 Ed. I, p. 504] during pleasure, with provision that they shall render account of the issues thereof before the said treasurer and barons by the view and testimony of a clerk controller (*contrarotulatoris*) to be appointed by the treasurer and barons: the king orders them to appoint a fitting clerk for this purpose, and to cause suitable and sufficient houses for the workers of the king's mint and for holding his exchange in the said houses to be repaired out of the issues of the exchange, and to cause other things necessary for the exchange to be provided.

April 5.
Tottenham.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to cause Robert le Beel, Robert de Blida, and William de Gildeford, imprisoned at Neugate for counterfeiting bulls and certain other letters found with Walter de Maydenstan, wherewith they were charged before the treasurer and barons of the exchequer, to be released from prison, if they be detained solely for this reason, as they have been imprisoned for three years and more, and the king does not wish to keep them longer in prison for this reason.

By pet. of C.

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April 1.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the bailiff of Fécamp, who was bound to the king in 200*l.* in pollards for certain terms past for a fine that he made with him in order to have administration of the possessions, goods and things pertaining to the abbey of Fécamp in England, which the king caused to be taken into his hands by reason of the late war between him and the king of France, offered himself before Christmas last, upon which day the king caused proclamation to be made that two pollards should be current throughout the realm for one sterling, to the sheriff of Sussex as ready to pay, which 200*l.* the bailiff paid into the king's wardrobe after the proclamation: the king wills that the 200*l.* in pollards shall be allowed to the bailiff as 100*l.* sterling, and he has pardoned him the remaining 100*l.*, and he orders them to allow the bailiff the 200*l.* in pollards as 100*l.* sterling, and to cause him to be acquitted of the remaining 100*l.*

April 1.
Westminster.

To Robert de Burghersshe, warden of the Cinque Ports. Notification that the king has granted to the barons of the Cinque Ports that they shall have on this occasion in his service that he has now caused to be summoned by reason of the war in Scotland their service of half the ships due to the king from them by a certain number, on condition that in the ships of the moiety there shall be contained as many proved and fencible men as ought to be contained in the certain number of ships in their full service due to him in such case, and he orders the warden not to distrain them for their service aforesaid to do anything beyond the king's grant as above.

By K.

April 7
Stratford.

To the bailiffs and burgesses of Kyngeston-on-Hull. Order to cause the barons of the port of Wynchelese to be acquitted of the 4*s.* upon each tun of wine of Bergerac (*de Bregeriaco*) and St. Emilion shipped at Pierrefite (*apud Petram Fixam*) or Leyburn and brought by them to that port, and to be brought hereafter, as the king lately pardoned his barons of the Cinque Ports and others of the maritime parts (*de maritima*) of England the said 4*s.* a tun during his pleasure.

April 13.
St. Albans.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of Oxford to have in the forest of Bernnewode ten leafless oak-stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother Walter de Wynterburne.

To the same. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of Salisbury to have in the forest of Clarindon seven leafless oak-stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother Walter de Wynterburne.

April 13.
St. Albans.

To the keepers of the port of Dover. Order to permit the abbot of Chercamp (*de Caricampo*) to take with him to parts beyond sea two silver cups (*ciphos*) with silver feet, four silver cups without feet, a silver *languetta* and twelve silver spoons, notwithstanding the king's late order to the keepers not to permit any silver money or any other money of the coinage (*de cunco*) of the king or any one else or any silver vessels or any silver in mass or in any other shape to be taken to parts beyond sea without his special licence, as he wishes to show favour to the abbot, who lately came to him in England for certain affairs of his house and who is returning by the king's licence.

To the same. Order to permit abbots of the Cistercian order wishing to go to their chapter-general at Cîteaux to cross from that port, notwithstanding the king's order to them and other keepers of ports not to

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permit any abbots of that order to cross from that port without the king's special licence. It is provided that they shall not permit any silver money or other white money of the coinage (*de cuneo*) of the king or of others or any silver vessels or any silver in mass or in any other form to be carried to parts beyond sea by the said abbots, contrary to the form of the king's ordinance in this behalf. By K.

April 11.
St. Albans.

To Richard de Macy, justice of Chester. As the king learns by inquisition taken by Reginald de Grey, late justice of Chester, that it would be to the advantage of the king and of his burgesses of Overton if a reasonable exchange were made to the Welshmen who hold lands contiguous to his town of Overton for the said lands out of the king's demesne lands in Bangor, Herbestok, and Bodedideris, and if the king should grant to his burgesses of that town the lands contiguous to it thus obtained in exchange, to hold for a fixed yearly rent; the king orders the justice to cause this exchange to be made, if it will be to the king's profit and if the Welshmen will consent to it, and to deliver the said lands contiguous to the town to the burgesses to be held in form aforesaid, certifying the king of the exchange under his seal.

To the same. As the king learns by an inquisition taken by the justice that the boundaries round his town of Overton ought to be, and were wont to be in times past, on the south up to the bounds (*divisas*) of Richard son of Alan, earl of Arundel, at Oswaldestre and the bounds of Roger Lestrange (*Extranei*) at Ellesmere, on the east up to the bounds of the town of Pendele, on the north up to the bounds of Worthenbur[y] and Bangor, and on the west up to the water of De; the king orders the justice to cause these bounds to be observed henceforth.

April 14.
St. Albans.

To John Buteturte, keeper of the forest of Dene. Order to cause Walter de Bello Campo, constable of Gloucester castle, to have in that forest six oaks for shingles to roof the king's houses within the castle that were uncovered by the force of the wind. By K.

April 15.
St. Albans

To the keepers of the passage in the port of Dover. Order to permit John, bishop of Winchester, who is setting out for the Roman court for certain affairs specially touching the king and his realm, to cross from that port with all his household and equipment and things without search being made thereof, although the king lately ordered the keepers not to permit any silver money, silver vessels, or silver, etc., to be carried to parts beyond sea from that port without his special license. By K.

The like in favour of the following :

April 21.
Northampton.

Master Peter Aymerici, with all his equipment and things.
Master Reymund Arnaldi de Rama, and all his equipment and things.

April 25.
Rockingham.

To the mayor and bailiffs of the port of Dover. Order to cause Master Peter Aymerici, the king's clerk, who is going to the Roman court with other envoys of the king for the expedition of certain of the king's arduous affairs, to have prompt and safe passage with two yeomen, four grooms, and four horses at the king's cost.

April 15.
St. Albans.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Roger de Covert, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of Roger's death, or with the issues thereof, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by Malcolm de Harlegh, the late escheator, that Roger at his death held nothing of the king by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king. By C.

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St. Albans.

To the justiciary of Ireland and to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to cause Nicholas de Clere, imprisoned in Dublin castle for divers debts due to the king for the arrears of his account of the time when he was treasurer of Ireland, to be released upon his finding them security to pay to the king at that exchequer 200 marks yearly during his life until the debts shall be paid in full. By pet. of C.

To the keeper of the forest of Essex. Order to cause John de la Lee, constable of Colchester castle, to have in the king's wood of Kynggeswode twenty-four oaks fit for timber, in order to repair the gate and mill of the castle.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

April 1.
Westminster.

To Richard Oysel, keeper of the king's manor of the Barton. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands whereof Henry de Gascrik and Gilbert Crispyn of Ba[rton] were seised in their demesne as of fee, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of their death, or with the bodies of their heirs, and to restore the issues received from the lands, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the keeper that Henry and Gilbert at their death held nothing of him in chief, but that they held of Juliana de Gandavo by knight service by the gift of Gilbert de Gandavo to Juliana of certain lands in Barton and of all the services of Henry and Gilbert Crispyn for all the lands in that town that they previously held of the donor, to have to her for life, with wardships, reliefs, suits of court, escheats, and all other profits thereof, and that Henry and Gilbert Crispyn attorned themselves fully to Juliana for all their services for her life, according to the form of the grant aforesaid, and that the aforesaid services of Henry and Gilbert Crispyn ought to revert to the king at her death by the grant that the said Gilbert de Gandavo made to him of the said manor, because Juliana attorned herself to the king in this behalf after the said grant by Gilbert's assignment.

April 30.
Stamford.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Roger le Warre is indebted to the king at the exchequer in divers sums of money, and Roger, in the twenty-sixth year of the reign, when he was captain of the king's garrison (*municionis*) in the town of Bourg-sur-Mer (*de Burgo super Mare*) in Gascony, paid, by the order of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, then supplying the king's place in Gascony, to Guy Ferre, then staying in those parts in the king's service, 80*l.* for Guy's wages, as the king learns by the earl's letters patent testifying the payment: the king orders the treasurer and barons to examine the said letters and to search the rolls of the exchequer concerning Roger's debts, and to allow to him the aforesaid 80*l.* in the same, causing him to be acquitted of that sum. It is provided that Nicholas Baret, clerk, who was then the receiver of the king's money at the said town and the paymaster (*solutor*) of the wages of his men, shall be charged with the aforesaid 80*l.* By pet. of C.

April 30.
Stamford.

To Richard de Masey, justice of Chester. Order to pay to Robert de Crevequer 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* from the issues of the mills and bridge of Chester for Easter term, in accordance with the king's grant to him, in recompence for his surrender to the king and Queen Eleanor, his late consort, of a moiety of the manor of Saham, of the custody of the castle of Bestan, co. Chester, and of 100*s.* yearly for the custody thereof and also of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the mills and bridge for his life, one moiety at the quinzaine of Easter and the other at the quinzaine of Michaelmas.

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To the bailiffs of the Hundred without the North Gate of Oxford. Order to pay to the said Robert 10*l.* for Easter term last of the 20*l.* that the king granted to him yearly for life from the ferm of that Hundred for the quit-claim that he made to the king and Queen Eleanor, his late consort, of his manor of Ditton.

May 3.
Stamford

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John de Heton, whom the king has caused to be amoved from office because he is incapacitated by age and infirmity, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony.

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May 4.
Stamford.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Thomas de Gardino, sheriff of Cambridge, to be acquitted of 4*l.* 14*s.* 3*d.* at which the goods and chattels of Alexander, vicar of the church of St. Vigor, Fulburne, were appraised, as the king lately ordered the sheriff to restore to Alexander his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. Cambridge, with suspicion of homicide, because he had purged his innocence before Richard de Oteringham, late guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric of Ely, the see being void, to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy.

To the same. Order to cause the said Thomas to be discharged of 6 marks 12*s.* 8*d.*, at which the goods that Wyot le Keu stole from William de Ros, the king's fiddler (*viellatore*), and which were taken with Wyot when he was arrested at Cambridge for this robbery and for other felonies, whereof he was convicted before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre at Cambridge, and for which he was hanged by consideration of the court, as the king ordered Thomas to deliver to William de Ros the goods thus stolen from him.

May 13.
Hilborough
(Hildeburgh-
worth).

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to Christiana, late the wife of Thomas de Weston, the following lands that are held of the king, and not to intermeddle with the following lands that are held of Thomas de Lucy and of the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem to England, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Thomas de Weston, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Thomas de Weston and Christiana held on the day of his death of her inheritance three messuages in Cokermuth and a messuage and 24 acres of land in Papecastre of the king as of the manor of Cokermuth, which is in his hands by reason of the death of Isabel de Fortibus, late countess of Albemarle, rendering for the three messuages 12*d.* yearly and doing suit thrice a year to the king's court of Cokermuth and for the messuage and land a pound of cumin at Christmas for all service, and that Thomas and Christiana were jointly enfeofed by divers feoffors as follows: by Thomas de Ireby of a messuage and 25 acres of land in Little Clyfton, by Joan, daughter and heiress of Geoffrey le Harpur of six bovates and seven acres of land in the same town, by Thomas de Langetoft, chaplain, of 72 acres and 29 falls (*fall'*) of land in the same town, by Alan de Brakaynthwait of 13 acres of land in Cokermuth in the place called 'Leycheld,' by Thomas Ruggebag, son and heir of Robert Ruggebag, of nine acres of land in the same town, by

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Walter Hardheved of $3\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in the same town, by Richard del Fit of 3 acres of land in the same town, by John son of Hugh de Halstede of $1\frac{1}{4}$ tofts in the same town, by Henry the clerk of a $1\frac{1}{2}$ tofts in the same town, by Henry son of Serlo of three parts of a toft in the same town, by Richard the farrier (*marescall*) of a toft in the same town, by Patrick son of Patrick son of Martin de Wirkinton of a quarter of a toft in the same town, and by Adam le Taillur of three parts of a toft and a stone chamber, to have and to hold to them and to the heirs and assigns of Thomas of the king as of the aforesaid manor; and by Henry Underwode of a messuage and 40 acres of land in Wirdeley, whereof Agnes, late the wife of Henry, holds in dower the said messuage and 9 acres of land, by Adam le Hunte of 18 acres of land in the same town, by Henry son of John the clerk of Wirdeley of 18 acres of land in the same town, by William son of Richard de Wiggedon of an acre and a rood of land and a moiety of a toft in the same town, by Robert son of Robert Underwode of 5 acres and a rood of land in the same town, by Richard le Suur and Alice, his wife, of a messuage and $3\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in the same town, by William Wolpak of a moiety of an acre in the same town, by Robert de Hoperton of two messuages and 12 acres of land in the same town, by John de Holm of $3\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in the same town, by Robert de Lofthus and Juliana, his wife, of seven selions of land in the same town, by Robert de Stokton and Margaret, his wife, of three selions of land in the same town, and by Robert de Broghton of two tofts and two bovates of land in Wytheton, to have and to hold to them and to the heirs and assigns of Thomas of the king as of the manor of Harewode, which is in the king's hands by the death of the said countess; and by John de Plumlaund of the lordship of the town of Great Clyfton, with the homage of Benedict son of Thomas de Clyfton, Thorald de Wirkinton, Master Robert de Braunthwait,* Maud, daughter of William de Ulvelaik, and Gunnilda, daughter of Margaret, late the wife of Patrick de Lonswatre, and by Benedict de Clyfton of a fulling mill, a toft and an acre of land in the same town, to hold to them and to the heirs and assigns of Thomas of Thomas de Lucy; and also by the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England of the manor of Breithstanes in the parish of St. Bees (*Bege*) in Coupland, and by the said prior of 14 acres of land in Punsunby, with twelve dozens (*duodenis*) of the iron-mine, to be received yearly from the mine (*minera*) of Thomas de Multon in Coupland, to hold to them and the heirs of Thomas's body of the prior; and that Thomas and Christiana were jointly seised of the lands aforesaid on the day of his death, and the king has taken her fealty for the said lands that are of her inheritance and for the lands held of him whereof she and Thomas were jointly enfeoffed.

May 14. Walter de Tregavene, imprisoned at Lanceveton for the death of Jocelyn Walsingham. Dollyng, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him.

May 21. To the sheriff of Lancaster. Order to cause Nicholas le Butiller to have Barlings. seisin of a messuage and three bovates of land in Longeton, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which Michael son of John de Hole, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Michael held them of Nicholas, and that Ralph de Munjoye and Thomas Banastre, late sheriffs of Lancaster, have had the king's year and day thereof, for which they ought to answer to the king.

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*Membrane 7—cont.*May 21.
Spalding.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with three messuages and 27 acres of land in Northperton, and to restore the issues thereof, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Adam de Bagetripe held the said messuages and land at his death of John de Erleye by knight service, and not of Hugh Lovel, deceased, tenant in chief, which messuages and land were taken into the king's hands by reason of the minority of Hugh's heir, and that Adam held nothing in co. Somerset or elsewhere this side Trent by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

By C.

June 2.
Sherborne.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to admit Robert le Dubber of Askeby, the bearer of the presents, who is suffering from leprosy, into the hospital of the Holy Innocents without Lincoln, in place of Dionisia de Tokesford, late sister of the hospital, whose death the sheriff has signified to the chancellor, and to cause him to be found with the necessities of life, as the king has caused Robert to be admitted to the hospital out of consideration for his poverty and miserable state, as the hospital was founded by the king's predecessors for the maintenance of lepers, and he lately ordained that the sheriffs of Lincoln, to whom he had caused the custody of the hospital to be committed during pleasure, should not cause it to be charged with a chaplain, brother, sister, or any other without special order from him or his chancellor, but that the sheriffs should signify to him or his chancellor whenever a brother or a sister should die in the hospital, so that he might cause a leper to be instituted in place of the deceased, in accordance with the ancient constitution made by his progenitors.

June 6.
Pontefract.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause to be released the distraint levied upon John, son and heir of John de Mares, for his homage for the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief and for which he did fealty to the king when the latter was in Flanders, as the king has taken his homage.

June 6.
Pontefract.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to search the rolls of the exchequer and to certify the king under the seal of the exchequer what debts the abbot of Westminster owes to the exchequer, and what debts are clear and what are not.

June 8.
Pontefract.

To the keeper of the forest of Clarindon. Order to cause Master Roger de Martivall[e], canon of St. Mary's church, Salisbury, to have in that forest outside the king's laund (*landam*) there six bucks, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

June 6.
Pontefract.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause William, son and heir of William Ernis of Skipton, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

June 8.
Pontefract.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to release the distraint levied upon Joan, late the wife of John Wake, for her fealty for the lands that she and John held in chief jointly of the king by his grant, and to restore to her any issues thereof, as the king has taken her fealty.

June 8.
Pontefract.

To John Butetourte, John de Insula, and Roger de Hegham, appointed to make inquisition concerning the exchange of money and certain other trespasses. Order to leave in peace James Francisci, Melior Pistoresii, and

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their fellows, merchants of the society of the Amanati of Pistoia dwelling in the king's realm, until otherwise ordered by the security that the king has from them, if they or any of them shall be indicted before John, John and Roger for the permutacion or changing of money or any such trespass after 8 April last, and to release any of them that they may have caused to be arrested for this reason, as they have conducted themselves faithfully towards the king and his subjects and others in plying their wares and merchandise, and have not offended by themselves or others in carrying or sending money or silver out of the realm, or bringing bad money into the realm, or permuting or exchanging money, or buying any wares with bad or forbidden money, contrary to the form of the ordinance made by the king and his council, or otherwise in these or other matters against the king or his subjects or by doing aught against his statutes, ordinance or inhibition, for which reasons the king has pardoned them any excess that they may have committed in the premises, granting that they shall be acquitted of everything charged against them in this behalf up to 8 April last, as contained in his letters patent to them [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 28 Ed. I, p. 504].

The like in favour of the following:

Abrachius Gerardi, Reiner Belincionis, and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Pulci and Rembertini of Florence.

Bernard Manfredi, Bettus Juncte, Simon Guidonis, and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Black Circles of Florence.

Dardanus Consilii, Michael Marky, and their fellows, merchants of the society of the White Circles of Florence.

Cambinus Falconar', Philip Borgii, and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Mori of Florence.

John Ballard, John Galeys, C[o]louchius Ballard, and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Ballardi of Lucca.

Rictus Salvaterre, Thadeus Orlandi, Francis Cose, and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Bardi of Florence.

MEMBRANE 6.

June 7. To the keeper of the king's Hay of Hereford. Order to cause Miles Pontefract. Pychard to have in that Hay six oaks fit for timber, for certain works in the castle of Hereford.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

June 7. To Sir Richard de Mascy, justice of Chester. Whereas the men of Pontefract. North Wales have granted to the king 2,000 marks in aid of his war in Scotland, and the king understands that the men of Englefeud, Flynt, and Rothelan will aid him voluntarily in like manner on this occasion, for which reason he sends to Richard his open letters of credence to the commonalty of those parts, ordering them to do what shall be required of them by Richard on the king's behalf: the king orders Richard to be intendent in doing this, and to apply pains and diligence to obtain for him good and suitable aid from those parts upon this occasion by all means in his power. *French.*

The like to Philip Aphowel, constable of Buelt, for the parts of Buelt.

The like to Sir Bogo (*Boeges*) de Knovill, with Sir John de Havering, justice of Wales, for the parts of South Wales.

The like to Sir John de Havering, justice of Wales, for the parts of Munt Gomer and Buelt and elsewhere.

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June 8.
Pontefract.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Master John de Cadamo, king's clerk, to be acquitted of the ferm of a messuage, a mill and a virgate of land in Pencrich, which belonged to William de la More, deceased, against whom the king recovered them in his court before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices then in eyre in co. Stafford, and which John held at will by the king's commission, from 17 March, in the 26th year of his reign, when the king at Canterbury granted them to William, then archbishop of Dublin, dean of his free chapel of St. Michael, Pencrich [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 26 Ed. I, p. 336], which messuage, mill and land John held at ferm during the king's pleasure.

June 12.
Brotherton.

To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William de la Mare, whom the king has caused to be moved from office because he learns upon trustworthy testimony that he is incapacitated by bodily infirmity.

June 8.
Pontefract.

To Richard de Mascy, justice of Chester. Order to pay to the king's serjeant Master Richard the Engineer (*ingeniator*) 12*d.* a day from the exchequer of Chester, and the arrears of the same, as the king has granted this sum to him to be received by the hands of the chamberlain of that exchequer, for his good and praiseworthy service, as contained in his letters patent.

June 7.
Pontefract.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause John son of Peter de Clyve to have seisin of a messuage, three virgates of land and 35 arces of meadow in Basingestok, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Walter Oliver held them at his death of the king, to wit a messuage and 1½ virgates of land by the service of rendering 15*s.* yearly to the exchequer, and half a virgate of land by the service of 13*s.* 4*d.*, a virgate of land and 35 acres of meadow by the service of rendering 20*s.* yearly to the ferm of the town of Basingestok, for all service, and it appears to the king by inspection of a fine levied in the late king's court before William de Burnton and Roger de Leyce[estria], justices, between Walter de Merton and Richard Oliver, brother of the aforesaid Walter Oliver, that the lands ought to remain after the said Walter's death to the said John son of Peter de Clyve, the nephew (*nepoti*) of the said Walter, and to the heirs of his body, and the king has taken John's fealty for the said lands.

June 13.
York.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the forest of Galtres. Order to cause Gilbert, vicar of the church of Shireburn in Elmete, to have in that forest sixteen oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift. By K.

To the keeper of the forest of Galtres. Order to cause the prior and brethren of the Carmelite order at York to have eight oaks fit for timber, in order to build their church, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Otto de Grandisono.

June 14.
York.

To the keepers of the passage at Dover. Order to permit Brother William Prepositi, of the Minorite order, who was sent to the king as an envoy by the king of Cyprus, and who is now returning by the king's licence, to cross from the port of Dover with 250 white *Tournois* for his expenses.

To Walter le Draper and Stephen le Fauconer, keepers of the port of Sandwich. Order to deliver to the said Brother William 250 white *Tournois*, which he brought with him for his expenses and which they arrested, as he asserts.

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*Membrane 6—cont.*June 13.
York.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the forest of Whicchewode. Order to cause Master Richard Ing to have in that forest six bucks, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Walter de Bello Campo, steward of the king's household.

June 13.
York.

To the sheriff of Worcester. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John Pichesens, deceased.

June 13.
York.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to restore to the abbot of Cruland the liberty of his markets of Quappelade and Baston and his mills of Spaldyng and Baston, as the king has pardoned the abbot the trespass charged against him by Richard de Brimmesgrave, keeper of the king's market, for which trespass the king caused the premises to be taken into his hands by the sheriff.

June 13.
York.

To the bailiffs of Southampton. Order, at the instance of Margaret, queen of England, to pay from the ferm of that town to James de Neubur[y], yeoman of the queen, 300*l.* in part payment of 500*l.* in which the king is indebted to him for divers causes.

The like to the bailiffs of Andevere for 100*l.*

The like to the bailiffs of Basingstok for 100*l.*

June 16.
Temple
Cowton.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to aid John de Fulham and John Lovel, the king's yeomen, whom the king is sending to his forests of Shirewode and Galtres to take venison therein for the expenses of the household of Queen Margaret, his consort, as enjoined upon them by the king by word of mouth.

By p.s.

The like to Richard Oysel, bailiff of Brustwyk, or to him who supplies his place, to take venison in the parks of Brustwyk.

To the keeper of the King's Hay of Lythe. Order to cause the sheriff of Salop to have in that Hay seven oaks fit for timber, for the repair of the king's houses within Shrewsbury castle.

By K.

June 13.
York.

Richard del Bothe, imprisoned at Lancaster for the death of Almarica, his late wife, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

June 16.
Temple
Cowton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Hugh de Veer to be acquitted of 100 marks, which the king caused to be delivered to him in the twenty-second year of his reign as an imprest in the wardrobe in aid of his outfit (*apparatus*) for Gascony in the king's service, as the king has pardoned him this sum in consideration of his good and praiseworthy service.

By K.

June 13.
York.

Richard le Carpenter, imprisoned at York for the death of Robert Everard, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him.

Robert de Askham, imprisoned at York for the death of the aforesaid Robert, has like letters to bail him.

Adam Freman, imprisoned at York for the death of the aforesaid Robert, has like letters to bail him.

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*Membrane 6—cont.*June 13.
York.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Whereas the king lately ordered him by letters under the privy seal to certify him concerning the money arrested of the tenth of his land of Ireland granted for the Holy Land, and the justiciary certified him that the said money to the amount of 95*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.* sterling and 874*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.* in pollards is arrested in that land, of which sums 400*l.* sterling had been expended in merchandise of wool and leather before the justiciary's arrival in those parts: the king, not wishing that the merchandise shall perish or deteriorate, orders the justiciary to deliver the merchandise and any other that may have been bought beyond the said sum to the society of the merchants of the Spyni dwelling in Ireland, upon receiving from them security to answer for the merchandise to the pope or to any other to whom the money ought to pertain. It is provided that all the residue of the said money shall still remain under arrest until further orders.

June 16.
Temple
Cowton.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to Amadeus, count of Savoy, the custody of an iron-mine in the manor of Tunstall, saving to Katharine, late the wife of Nicholas de Aldithelegh, tenant in chief, a third of the profit thereof as dower, together with the issues thereof from the time when the manor was taken into the king's hands falling to them according to their portions, as the king, at the count's suggestion that the iron-mine in the said manor, which manor belonged to the said Nicholas and which the king had granted to the count with other lands that belonged to Nicholas during the minority of the latter's heir, had been assigned in dower to Katharine, contrary to the custom hitherto obtaining in the chancery in such assignments, ordered the escheator to take the mine into the king's hands and to cause it to be kept safely until the octaves of Holy Trinity last, in order that he might then cause to be done to the parties what his court shall consider in this matter, and the king makes this order with the assent of the parties by their attorneys in chancery.

June 13.
York.

To the sheriff of York. Order to deliver to Simon de Cressewill all his lands, goods and chattels that have been taken into the king's hands by reason of any trespasses whatsoever, as the king, on 7. October, in the twenty-sixth year of his reign, granted, when he was before the castle of Jedeworth, to John de Pencatland and to all others who then held the said castle against him on behalf of his enemies of Scotland their lands in England or Scotland and also their own goods and chattels, and that they should be acquitted of imprisonment and of all trespasses previously committed by them in England and in Scotland, provided that they rendered the castle to him by the sixteenth day of the said month, as appears by his letters patent under his privy seal made and indented between him and them, and Simon, who was one of those who held the castle and whom the king, after the surrender thereof within the time aforesaid, received into his protection and defence, as appears by his letters patent under his privy seal in Simon's hands, has besought the king to cause his lands, goods and chattels to be restored to him.

June 24.
Skelton.

To John de Tyngewyk, keeper of the forest of Whyttelwode. Order to cause John de Segrave to have in the king's wood of Alrewas, which is within the bounds of that forest, ten oaks fit for timber, for the construction of a chapel in his manor of Chaucumbe, of the king's gift. By K.

June 24.
Skelton.

To Walter de Gloucest[ria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of John de Solariis, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

*Membrane 6—Schedule.**Brevia de Warantia Dierum.*

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Jan. 13.
Wetherby.

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put William de Molcastre in default for not appearing on Tuesday the quinzaine of Michaelmas last in the suit before them between Master William de Pikering and him for a debt of 21*l.* that William exacts from him, as he was in the king's service on that day by his order.

By p.s.

March 18.
Westminster.

To the bailiffs of Blanche, queen of Navarre, late the wife of Edmund, the king's brother, for the Hundred of Appeltre. Order not to put John Shenche in default for not appearing before them on Tuesday after St. Gregory in the suit before them in that Hundred [court] without the king's writ between John de Basinges and him concerning a trespass committed upon John de Basinges by him, as he was in the king's service on that day by his order.

March 25.
Westminster.

To the bailiffs of La Berton near Gloucester. Order not to put the abbot of Flaxle in default for not appearing before them on Thursday after St. Gregory in the suit in the king's court of Berton near Gloucester without the king's writ between John de Toucester and the abbot, of this that the abbot should render to him a load (*summan*) of iron, price 30*s.*, as the abbot was in the king's service on that day by his order.

March 25.
Westminster.

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Robert de Clyfford in default for not appearing on Wednesday the octaves of Holy Trinity last in the suit before them by the king's writ between him and John Wake concerning the unjust taking and detention of Robert's beasts, as he was in the king's service on that day by his order.

By K.

As William de Sutton was in the king's service by his order on Wednesday the quinzaine of St. Hilary, so that he could not appear on that day in the suit before the king by his writ between Hugh de Clopton and William concerning a trespass committed upon Hugh by William, the king wills that William shall not be placed in default by reason of his absence on that day.

July 4.
Carlisle.

To the bailiffs of Aymo de Quarto, provost of Beverley, at Beverley. Order not to put Richard Oysel in default for not appearing on Tuesday after Holy Trinity in the suit before them by the king's writ between Henry son of John Quynzemars of Beverley, demandant, and the said Richard, tenant, concerning a messuage in Beverley, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Aug. 24.
Sweetheart
(*Douzquoer*).

To Adam de Crokedayk and Lambert de Thrikingham. Order not to place Urian de Sancto Petro in default because he did not appear on Monday the octave of the Assumption at the taking of an assize of novel disseisin that he arramed before them against William de Monte Gomeri and others named in the original writ concerning a tenement in Eyton in Douvesdale, as he was in the king's service on that day by his order.

By p.s. [2123.]

Sept. 18.
Rose Castle
(*La Rose*).

To the same. Order not to put William Wycher in default for not appearing on Wednesday the feast of St. Margaret last at the assize of novel disseisin arramed by him before them against Henry de Mapelton and others named in the original writ concerning a tenement in Thorp near Esseburn, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

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Membrane 6—Schedule—cont.

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put William Pacy in default for not appearing on Friday the quinzaine of St. John the Baptist in the suit before them between the prior of St. Oswald's, demandant, and the said William, deforciant, concerning the advowson of the church of Neubold Pacy, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By the testimony of Richard de Hastang', constable of Jedde-worth castle.

Oct. 4.
Holme
Cultram.

To the same. Order not to put John de la Mare in default for not appearing on Monday the morrow of the quinzaine of Easter in the suit before them between William son of Richard le Sheresman of Huthe, demandant, and Hawisia, late the wife of Peter de la Mare, tenant, concerning 13 acres and a rood of land in Huthe, concerning which Hawisia vouched John to warranty, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By p.s. [2157.]

Oct. 15.
Carlisle.

To the same. Order not to put William de Pacy in default because he did not appear on Wednesday the octave of St. Martin in the suit before them between the prior of St. Oswald's, demandant, and William, deforciant, concerning the advowson of the church of Neuboldpacy, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By p.s. [2170.]

Nov. 6.
Carlisle.

To the same. Order not to put Robert Ferebraz of Wylynton in default for not appearing on Saturday the morrow of St. John the Baptist in the suit before them between Nicholas son of John de Hullecrombe, demandant, and Robert, tenant, concerning a messuage, 5 bovates and 15 acres of land in Wylynton, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By p.s.

Nov. 3.
Carlisle.

To the justice of Chester. Order not to put Hamo son of Geoffrey de Chedle in default for not appearing on Wednesday after St. Denis in the suit before the justice between Roger son of Geoffrey de Chedle, demandant, and Hamo, tenant, concerning the manor of Asshleghe and four messuages, two carucates and 18 acres of land, 3 acres of wood, 24 acres of waste, 13 acres of heath, and 13 acres of pasture in Tymperle and Hale, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By p.s.

MEMBRANE 5.

June 28.
Carlisle.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Thomas, archbishop of York, to have possession of two stamps (*cuneorum*) with appurtenances to exchange in the city of York, as it is testified by the treasurer and by John de Langeton, the chancellor, before the king that it was agreed by his council at York in Trinity term last that Thomas should have possession of the stamps aforesaid to exchange in that city in the same manner as his predecessors have hitherto had them by the king's grant, saving to the king and others their action and right. It is provided that oath shall be received from the ministers of the stamps, as was wont to be done in other exchanges.

The king has pardoned Brother Geoffrey de Burdon, monk of Durham, the suit of his peace for larceny and other trespasses whereof Geoffrey was appealed by Reginald de Castro Bernardi, which appeal the king caused to come before him, from which appeal Reginald withdrew, on condition that Geoffrey shall stand to right in the king's court if anyone wish to speak against him, and the king wills that Geoffrey shall be released from prison at York, if he be detained therein solely for this appeal.

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*Membrane 5—cont.*June 28.
Carlisle.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to discharge Adam de la Forde of 20 marks yearly from 29 December, in the twenty-seventh year of the reign, as the king on 28 June, in the twenty-second year of his reign, committed to him by letters patent under the exchequer seal the custody of the lands that belonged to John de Horsy, tenant in chief, during the minority of William, his son and heir, rendering the said sum yearly to the exchequer, and the king took William's homage for the lands on the said 29 December.

June 30.
Carlisle.

To Ralph de Sandwico, constable of the Tower of London. Order to cause Philip Gerardini, fellow of Guy Bertaldi, merchant of the society of the Spini of Florence, to be delivered from the Tower, wherein he is imprisoned for certain trespasses, as Guy has found the king security to be before John de Insula and William Haward, his justices, at Boston on the eve of St. Laurence next to answer concerning the aforesaid trespasses charged against him and his fellows.

By K. on the information of John Butteturte.

June 28.
Carlisle.

To Richard Oysel, keeper of the manor of Barton. As the king learned by an inquisition taken by Richard that Henry de Gastrik and Gilbert Crispyn of Barton held nothing of him in chief at their death, but that they held of Juliana de Gandavo by knight service, by the gift that Gilbert de Gandavo made to her of certain lands in Barton and of all the services of Henry and Gilbert and their heirs for all the tenements that they previously held of him in the said town, to have to her for life, with wardships, reliefs, suits of court, escheats and all profits thence arising in any way, and that Henry and Gilbert Crispyn attorned themselves to Juliana for all their services for her life, in accordance with the form of the gift, and that the aforesaid services of Henry and Gilbert and their heirs ought to revert to the king after Juliana's death by the grant that Gilbert de Gandavo afterwards made to him of the manor of Barton, because Juliana after the grant aforesaid attorned herself to the king by the assignment of the said Gilbert de Gandavo, the king lately ordered Richard not to intermeddle further with the lands whereof Henry and Gilbert Crispyn were seised in their demesne as of fee at their death, which he had taken into the king's hands by reason of their death, or with the bodies of their heirs, and to restore the issues received from the said lands; and it is now shown to the king on behalf of Juliana, to whom the wardship of the lands that belonged to Henry and Gilbert Crispyn pertains, as is found by the said inquisition, that although Richard does not intermeddle with the lands or the bodies of the heirs, she is nevertheless still hindered from having the custody of the lands with the bodies of the heirs and the issues aforesaid, because Richard had committed the lands with the bodies of the heirs to certain men of Barton, to answer to the king for the issues of the lands, before he received the king's writ not to intermeddle with the lands, which men detain the lands from Juliana: the king again orders him not to intermeddle with the lands or the bodies of the heirs, contrary to the tenor of his previous order, and if he have thus committed the lands, not to permit those to whom he has thus committed them to intermeddle further therewith or with the bodies of the heirs, causing the issues received in the meantime to be restored to Juliana, so conducting himself in this matter that renewed complaint shall not come to the king for lack of justice.

July 1.
Carlisle.

To Robert de Clyfford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Master Adam de Levynnton, parson of the church of Skelton, to have

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in the forest of Ingelwode twelve oaks fit for timber in order to build his houses there that were burned by the king's enemies and rebels, of the king's gift. By K. on the information of Ralph de Stanford.

July 3.
Carlisle.

To Ralph de Sandwico, constable of the Tower of London. Order to cause Gerard Maniani to be delivered from the Tower, wherein he is imprisoned for forging the king's money, of which he was convicted, as the king has pardoned him at the instance of Charles, king of Sicily. It is provided that he shall leave the realm before Michaelmas next. By K.

July 1.
Carlisle.

To Robert de Bures, keeper of the forest of Canok. Order to cause John de Segrave to have twelve oaks fit for timber in the king's wood of Alrewas, which is within the bounds of that forest, unless he have already had them by the king's other writ, which made no mention of the wood of Alrewas. By K.

July 4.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to restore to Walter Aliquid of Wivelingham, chaplain, his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre in that county, with receiving Thomas, his brother, who was convicted of theft, as he has purged his innocence before Richard de Oteringham, late guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric of Ely, the see being then void, to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy, as R. bishop of Ely has testified to the king by his letters patent, and the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff and the coroners of that county that Walter is of good fame and was never a public or notorious malefactor.

July 4.
Carlisle.

To Master Richard de Havering', escheator this side Trent. Order to resume into the king's hands and to deliver to Ralph de Kirketon the forestry of Hovyngham, to hold in accordance with the charter of Roger de Moubray, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Roger before his death granted by his charter to Ralph the said forestry, with appurtenances, together with wind-fallen trees and branches and the bark of all trees there given, and with a quarter of wheat every ten weeks from Roger's manor of Hovyngham, and also a robe of the suit of Roger's esquires or 20s. for it, to be received at Christmas yearly from the said manor, for life, rendering therefor 1*d.* at Christmas yearly, and that Ralph was in full and peaceful seisin of the forestry and appurtenances for seven years before Roger's death, and that John de Lythegrayns, late escheator this side Trent, took the forestry into the king's hands upon Roger's death with his other lands, and delivered them to Edmund, earl of Cornwall, among the wardships of lands of heirs under age and in the king's wardship granted to the earl by the king in part payment of a debt in which the king was bound to the earl by his letters patent.

July 10.
Caerlaverock.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause William Gerlaund to have [seisin] of a messuage, 8 acres of wood and 20*l.* yearly of rent in Beseby, Askeby near Fenneby, Gunneby, Hawardeby, Alwodeby, Briggesle, Wodle Neuton, and Northcotes, within the soke of Wautham, co. Lincoln, in accordance with the king's former order, as the king has granted the premises to William for life, which lands, etc. William quit-claimed to the king, and the king thereupon ordered the escheator to cause William to have seisin thereof, and he has not yet done so, as the king learns from William's complaint.

July 15.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Thomas de Mundeford, deceased.

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To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause John, son and heir of Walter de Trailly, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the king, and the king has taken his homage.

To the sheriff of Berks. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Ralph de Knyveton, who is insufficiently qualified, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony.

July 10.
Caerlaverock.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to resume into the king's hands the manor of Chalvedon, co. Surrey, and, after such resumption, not to intermeddle further with it, as the king, because he learned by an inquisition taken by Malcolm de Harlegh, late escheator beyond Trent, that Roger de Covert held at his death nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king, ordered Walter not to intermeddle further with the lands, which he had taken into the king's hands by reason of Roger's death, or with the issues thereof, and Walter signified to the king that no lands that belonged to Roger had been taken by him into the king's hands, but that the lands that belonged to him are in the hands of Mary de Brewos[a] by reason of the minority of John, son and heir of the said Roger, with the exception of the said manor, which was delivered by the said Malcolm to Edmund, earl of Cornwall, who still holds it.

By C.

July 14.
Caerlaverock.

To Master Richard de Havering', escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Thomas de Lungevilers, brother and heir of John de Lungevilers, to have seisin of the lands that John held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the king and the king has taken his homage.

By p.s. [2100.]

July 15.
Caerlaverock.

To the coroners and whole community of the counties of Oxford and Berks. Whereas the king has granted among other things to the people of his realm that they may have, if they wish, the election of sheriffs in each county of the realm when it is necessary to make sheriffs, where there are no sheriffs of fee: the king orders them to elect one who can best know and execute the office of sheriff of those counties, if they wish, and to present him by some lawful and circumspect man on their behalf with their letters patent under the seals of six of the more discreet and upright knights of the county to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer on the morrow of Michaelmas next, in order that he may there do what pertains to the office of sheriff in that county after taking the usual oath. They are informed that if they do not thus present such a person, the treasurer and barons will provide another sheriff to be set over them.

July 16.
Dumfries.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Agatha, late the wife of John de Marisco, to have seisin of the lands that John and she held jointly of the king by the feoffment of John de Marisco on the day of John's death, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of John's death, as the king has taken her fealty for the said lands.

July 15.
Caerlaverock.

To Master Richard de Havering', escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Agnes, late the wife of Geoffrey de Spineto, tenant in chief of the king as of the honour of Albemarle, which is in his hands, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of John Wake, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

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July 21.
Kirkcud-
bright.

To the sheriff of York. As the king wills that the fair that has been wont to be held at his manor of Hedon in Holderness on the eve and the day of St. Augustine in August and on the five following days shall be held hereafter on the eve, the day, and the morrow of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, the king orders him to cause the fair to be proclaimed and held on those days in place of the former days.

July 21.
Kirkcud-
bright.

To Master Richard de Havering', escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of Bertin de Ughtrethessat, tenant of the king as of the manor of Cokermue by knight service on the day of his death, according to the extent of the lands made by John de Lythegrayns, then escheator this side Trent, if it is in Richard's hands, or in accordance with an extent to be made by himself, as the king ordered John to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, because she had taken oath before the king, on 3 December, in the twenty-seventh year of his reign, that she would not marry without his licence, and the assignment still remains to be made because John was amoved from office before he could execute the order.

July 24.
Kirkcud-
bright.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Master Nicholas de Bathon[ia], and to restore the issues thereof, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Nicholas at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

July 24.
Kirkcud-
bright.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to restore to Baldwin de Insula, clerk, and a servant (*miles*) in the king's court, his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre in that county, with robbing two merchants on the water near Litleport, as he has purged his innocence before R. bishop of Ely, to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy, and the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff and the coroners of that county that Baldwin is of good fame and was never a public or notorious malefactor.

The like to the sheriff of Norfolk.

July 28.
Kirkcud-
bright.

To Robert de Burgherssh, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to cause proclamation to be made in those ports that John de Nieves, who has come to England, shall not return to parts beyond sea before he has been to the king in Scotland to speak with him, without special order from the king under his privy seal.

By p.s.

The like to the bailiffs of Yarmouth.

July 28.
Kirkcud-
bright.

To the justices next in eyre for pleas of the Forest in co. Buckingham. Order not to molest or aggrieve Roger le Brabazon and Ralph de Hengham for taking a young buck (*zourum*) and three does in the forest of Whitlewode, as they and the others assigned by the king to make perambulation of that forest took them in making the perambulation by his licence.

The like to the justices next in eyre for pleas of the Forest in co. Northampton.

July 28.
Kirkcud-
bright.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to Elizabeth, late the wife of Richard de Loges, tenant in chief, the following lands, which the king has assigned to her in dower; the manor of Sowe, co. Warwick, which is extended at 78s. 9¹/₂d. yearly, and all the lands that belonged to Richard at his death in Wyrley, co. Stafford, which

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are extended at 73s. 9½*d.* yearly. It is provided that she shall render yearly to the king during the heir's minority 6s. 10½*d.* from the former manor, being the excess of her dower.

Aug. 4.
Twynholm
(*Twynham*).

John de Badenho and Maud, his wife, imprisoned at Bedeford for the death of an unknown man, wherewith they are charged, have letters to the sheriff of Bedford to bail them until the first assize.

Aug. 10.
Gerton.

To Adam de Thorp, keeper of Robert de Keth and Robert de Bard, prisoners in the castle of Carlisle. Order to deliver the prisoners aforesaid to Ebulo de Podio Guillelmi, the king's yeoman, the bearer of the presents, whom the king is sending to him to receive the prisoners and to conduct them to the castle of Nottingham, as the king has enjoined upon Ebulo.

To the under-constable of Nottingham castle. Order to receive the aforesaid prisoners from Ebulo, and to keep them safely in prison in the castle, but so that they shall not dwell in one and the same house, as he and his master, the constable of the castle, will answer to the king for them, body for body.

Aug. 16.
Wigton in
Galloway.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the forest of the Peak (*de Pecco*). Order to admit John de Fuleham, the king's yeoman, to take in that forest a hundred harts for the king's use, for which purpose the king is sending him thither with his hounds, and to aid and counsel him in so doing, as he shall enjoin upon the justice on the king's behalf.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

The like to Robert de Clyfford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the forest of Shirewode, for forty harts and forty does.

Aug. 16.
Wigton in
Galloway

To Simon de Burton. Order to deliver to William Randolf, now mayor of the town of Bristol, the greater part of the king's seal appointed to take bonds of debts in accordance with the form of the statute of merchants, as it is provided therein that the greater part of the seal shall remain in the possession of the mayor or chief keeper of every town in which the king has ordained that such recognisances shall be taken, which greater piece has remained in Simon's hands from the time when he was mayor of that town. The king also orders him to deliver to William de Staunton, now the king's clerk appointed to enrol such recognisances in that town, all the rolls of Richard de Calne, deceased, for all the time when he was the clerk appointed for the like purpose, by indenture to be made between him and William.

Aug. 29.
Caerlaverock.

To Robert de Clyford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause William de Hamelton, dean of York, to have fifty leafless oak-stumps (*robora folia non portancia*) in the forest of Galtres for fuel for the residence that he is now making, of the king's gift.

By p.s. [2144.]

Aug. 29.
Caerlaverock.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Richard, son and heir of Robert, son of Robert de Byngham, to have seisin of the lands that the said Robert [son of Robert] held at his death of Roger Basset by knight service in Nethermelecombe, the custody whereof was taken into the king's hands as Roger's chattel forfeited to the king by reason of the flight that he made for the death of Roger Dod, whereof he was indicted before John de Metingham and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. Dorset, as appears by the record and process of an inquisition taken before the justices, which the king has caused to come before him, as the king learns by the proof of Richard's age taken by the escheator that he is of full age.

By C.

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Aug. 28.
Caerlaverock.

Philip atte Lanende of Lodeleye, imprisoned at Worcester for the death of Agnes daughter of William de la Broke of Lodeleye, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

Aug. 29.
Caerlaverock.

To Ralph de Hengham. Order to come to the king upon sight of these letters at Carlisle or Holmeoltram, so that he shall be there on Wednesday after the Nativity of St. Mary, bringing with him all perambulations of the forests that the king caused to be made by him and his fellows in divers counties of the realm, together with the memoranda and other things touching the perambulations in any way.

The like to John de Lythgrayns, Michael de Hartela, and Richard Oysel.

The like to Gilbert de Knovill.

The like to John Gerberd and Humphrey de Waledene.

Sept. 6.
Holme
Cultram.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Henry son of Lena de Grymesby, deceased.

Aug. 30.
Drumiok.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with a moiety of the manor of Langar, which is held of the king in chief, and which was taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Eva, late the wife of Robert Tybotot, as the king has taken the homage of Payn Tybotot, Robert's son and heir, for the lands that Robert held of the king in chief at his death and also for the said moiety, which was of the acquisition of Robert and Eva and Payn, to them and to Payn's heirs.

By p.s. [2146.]

• Aug. 29.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to cause Gilbert de Sutton, imprisoned at Peterborough for a re-disseisin that he is said to have made upon John son of John de Billingham of a tenement in Peterborough, to come before the treasurer and barons of the exchequer at York on the morrow of Michaelmas to make fine with the king there for the trespass aforesaid.

By C.

Sept. 18.
Rose Castle
(La Rose).

To Robert de Clifford, [justice] of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Hugh de Burgo to have in the forest of Ingelwode four oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of R. de Cotyngham.

Sept. 18.
Rose Castle.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that Robert de Holand had of the gift of Thomas, earl of Lancaster, tenant in chief, in Beltesford, which the escheator has taken into the king's hands because Robert entered them without his licence, and to restore the issues thereof.

By K.

The like to the same escheator in favour of Alan Waldeshet for the lands that he had of the earl's gift in Donyngton and Golkisby.

Sept. 18.
Rose Castle.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Robert de Tympanron, agister of the forest of Ingelwode, as he cannot conveniently execute the office of agister if he be further charged with that of coroner.

MEMBRANE 3.

Sept. 20.
Rose Castle.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to permit Maud de Bello Campo, countess of Warwick, one of the sisters and heiresses of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, to have respite until the next parliament for her homage for the purparty falling to her of the lands that belonged to Richard, which homage the king lately respited until Michaelmas next.

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To the bailiffs of Colchester. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that Alexander le Esquiler held in that town of the inheritance of Margery daughter of Joan le (*sic*) Trailly, as the king lately ordered them to certify him of the reason for taking them into his hands, and they have signified that Alexander held at his death a messuage, two shops, 22 acres of land, 8 acres of pasture, and 3s. 4d. of yearly rent in the town and suburbs of Colchester by the courtesy of England of Margery's inheritance, and that they had taken the premises into the king's hands for divers debts due to him from Alexander for the time when he was in the king's service by his writ of privy seal.

By K. on the information of R. de Cotingham.

Sept. 20. To the justices next in eyre for pleas of the Forest in co. Cumberland.
Rose Castle. Order not to molest or aggrieve John de Warennia, earl of Surrey, for taking two harts and two (?) bucks in the forest of Ingelwode in the present year of the reign, as he took them by the king's licence. By K.
Cancelled, because otherwise below.

Sept. 23. To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to deliver to the prior and
Rose Castle. convent of St. Mary's, Carlisle, a burgage in Carlisle, which the sheriff has taken into the king's hands by reason of the statute of mortmain, as the king has granted to them, for a fine that the prior has made with him, that they may have and hold the burgage notwithstanding the statute, which burgage Henry de Ravenewyk bequeathed to them in his last will as his chattel, in accordance with the form of the legacy.

To the justices next in eyre for pleas of the Forest in co. Cumberland. Whereas Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, took with certain men in his company, on Friday the morrow of the Nativity of St. Mary last, in the forest of Ingelwode, six harts, two hinds, a buck and a fawn (*fetonem*) by the king's licence: the king orders the justices not to molest or aggrieve the earl or his men for taking the said deer.

By K.

Sept. 25. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause
Rose Castle. dower to be assigned to Alice, late the wife of Peter Corbet, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Sept. 25. To the justices next in eyre in co. Cumberland. Whereas John de
Rose Castle. Warennia, earl of Surrey, took with certain men in his company during the three days before the Nativity of St. Mary last in the forest of Ingelwode three bucks and two hinds by the king's licence: the king orders the justices not to molest or aggrieve the earl or his men for taking the said deer.

By K.

Sept. 24. To Walter de la Haye, escheator of Ireland. Order to deliver to Gilbert
Rose Castle. de Clare, son and heir of Thomas de Clare, the lands that Juliana, Gilbert's mother, held at her death in dower of his inheritance, saving the right of others, retaining in the king's hands until otherwise ordered the lands that she held of the king in chief in Ireland of her own inheritance, as the king lately took the homage of Gilbert for the lands that his father held of him in chief and rendered them to him of his special grace, although Gilbert was not at that time of full age. By K.

Sept. 26. Robert le Blomere of Tibyton, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of
Rose Castle. Thomas son of William Aylwyne of Tybiton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Stafford to bail him.

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- Sept. 25.
Rose Castle. To the sheriff of Berks. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Geoffrey le Engleys, deceased.
- Sept. 25.
Rose Castle. To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John de Bradefeld, as it is testified before the treasurer and barons of the exchequer that he is insufficiently qualified.
- Sept. 27.
Rose Castle. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the abbot of Sheppe to be acquitted of 20*l.* by which he and the convent made fine with the king for a grant of licence to Isabel, late the wife of Roger de Clifford, the younger, to assign to them the advowson of the church of Warthecopp, notwithstanding the statute of mortmain, as it appears to the king that she did not give or assign the advowson to them in her lifetime, wherefore he wills that the abbot and convent shall not be charged with this sum.
- Sept. 27.
Rose Castle. To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the forest of Savernak. Order to cause Nicholas de Pershote, keeper of the manor of Sevenhampton, to have in that forest thirty oaks fit for timber, for the repair of the king's barns (*grangias*) of that manor.
By K. on the information of the treasurer.
- Sept. 26.
Rose Castle. To Richard Talebot, sheriff of Gloucester. Order to receive from the sheriff of York Robert de Keth, knight, and Robert de Barde, yeoman, Scots, the king's enemies and rebels lately captured against him in Scotland, and to take the former to Bristol castle and the latter to Gloucester castle under safe convoy in the form to be enjoined upon the sheriff by the treasurer and barons of the exchequer, and to deliver them to the respective constables of those castles, to be kept as the king has ordered the constables, and to pay to the prisoners their expenses, to wit 6*d.* a day each, until they come to the said place[s]. The king has ordered the constables to pay the prisoners their wages until otherwise ordered.
- Sept. 26.
Rose Castle. To Nicholas Fermbaud, constable of Bristol castle. Order to receive the said Robert de Keth from the sheriff by indenture, and to cause him to be kept safely in that castle, so that he can answer to the king for him body for body. This is he charged not to neglect under pain of forfeiture of life and limbs, lands and of all that he holds in the realm. He is ordered to pay Richard his wages, to wit 3*d.* a day, until otherwise ordered.
- The like to Walter de Bello Campo, constable of Gloucester castle, to receive Robert Barde and to pay him 2*d.* a day.
- To Robert de Clifford, constable of Nottingham castle. Like order to receive by indenture from Richard de Furneaus, sheriff of Nottingham, William de Chartres, yeoman, a Scot, and to keep him in that castle, paying to him 2*d.* a day.
- To Richard de Furneaus, sheriff of Nottingham. Order to receive the said William from the sheriff of York, and to take him to Nottingham castle under safe convoy in the form to be enjoined upon him by the treasurer and barons, and to deliver him to the constable of the castle, and to pay to him his expenses, to wit 6*d.* a day, until his arrival there.
- To Thomas de Warblinton, sheriff of Southampton. Like order to receive Laurence de Romeseye, yeoman, a Scot, from the sheriff of York by indenture, and to take him to Winchester castle, and to keep him safely therein, and to pay to him his wages, to wit 6*d.* a day until he arrives there, and then 2*d.* a day until otherwise ordered.
- To Thomas de Raley, sheriff of Devon. Like order to receive Thomas de Soules, knight, a Scot, from the sheriff of York, and to pay to him his wages, to wit 6*d.* a day until he arrives there, and then 3*d.* a day until further orders.

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Oct. 1.
Holme
Cultram.*Membrane 3—cont.*

To Richard de Masey, justice of Chester. Order to pay to Robert de Crevequer 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for Michaelmas term last from the issues of the mills and bridge of Chester, in accordance with the king's grant to him, in recompence for his surrender and grant to the king and Queen Eleanor, his late consort, of a moiety of the manor of Saham, of the custody of the castle of Bestan, co. Chester, and of 100*s.* yearly for the custody thereof and also of 40*l.* yearly from the issues of the mills and bridge, for life, one moiety at the quinzaine of Easter and the other at the quinzaine of Michaelmas.

To the bailiffs of the Hundred without the North Gate of Oxford. Order to pay to the said Robert 10*l.* from their ferm for Michaelmas last, of the 20*l.* yearly from that ferm that the king granted to him for life for the release that he made to the king and his late consort of the manor of Ditton.

Sept. 26.
Rose Castle.

Robert le Blomere of Tybyton, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of Thomas son of William Aylwyne of Tybyton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Stafford to bail him.

Richard Maunsel of Terlington, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of Robert le Chapman of Kibbeworthy, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him.

MEMBRANE 2.

Sept. 25.
Rose Castle.

To Walter de Felstede, keeper of the lands of the abbess of Caen in England. Order to pay out of his ferm for the said lands to the abbess 153*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* for 1,000*l.* of black *Tournois*, which the king has granted, at the instance of Mary, queen of France, and of Queen Margaret, his consort, that the abbess shall receive of his gift from the issues of the said lands.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Sept. 24.
Rose Castle.

To John de London[ia], constable of the castle of Windsor. Order to pay to two chaplains celebrating divine service in the chapel of the castle 50*s.* yearly each; to Roger de Wyndesore, janitor of both gates of the castle, 4*d.* a day; to Thomas Burnel, one of the viewers of the king's works in the constable's bailwick, 2*d.* a day; to Roger de Wyndesore, the other viewer of the said works, 2*d.* a day; to Master John de London[ia], the king's clerk of the aforesaid works, 2*d.* a day; to four watchmen of the castle 2*d.* a day each; to Adam the gardener of the king's garden without the castle, 2½*d.* a day; to John de Bathon[ia], janitor of the king's park of Windsor and keeper of his houses there, 4*d.* a day; to Robert de Say, chief justice of the forest of Windsor, 12*d.* a day; to William the parker of the king's park of Kenyton, 1½*d.* a day, being their wages and stipends, from Michaelmas last until next Michaelmas.

Oct. 4.
Holme
Cultram.

The like for the said stipends and wages from Michaelmas last until the following Michaelmas.

Oct. 4.
Holme
Cultram.

To the same. Order to cause the houses, tower, walls and bridges of the castle, with the stable and wall of the king's garden without the castle, the houses and ponds of the park of Windsor, with the paling about the park, the houses and walls of the manor of Kenyton, with the paling and wall about the park, and the houses and walls of the manor of Bray to be repaired.

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To the same. Order to cause the king's deer (*feris*) in the parks of Windsor and Kenyton to be provided with hay and oats during the coming winter, so that they may not perish for lack of sustenance.

To the same. Order to repair the weir in the king's manor of Old Wyndsor, and to take for this purpose six oaks and six beeches fit for timber in the forest of Windsor where it may be done with least damage to the king.

Sept. 27.
Rose Castle.

To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to cause the abbot of St. Peter's, Gloucester, to have what pertains to the king of the year, day and waste of a messuage and of a carucate of land in Brockeworth that Henry de (*sic*) Droys, who was outlawed for felony, held, which are in the king's hands by reason of the felony, as the king has granted to the abbot, for a fine that he made with the king before the treasurer and barons of the exchequer, what pertains to him of the year, day and waste of the messuage and land.
By bill of the exchequer (?).

Oct. 4.
Holme
Cultram.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas Henry de Shenefeld and Christiana, his wife, some time ago (*diu est*) sued before the king, demanding the dower falling to Christiana of the lands in Tillingedune that belonged to Thomas de Warbleton, her first husband, which Thomas alienated to Gilbert de Clare, late earl of Gloucester and Hertford, and which are in the king's hands with the other lands that belonged to the earl within the honour of Tonebrigg, and the king now learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator concerning the said lands and the manner and form of the alienation thereof to the earl and by inspection of Thomas's deed to the earl concerning the said lands, which he has likewise caused to come before him at the prosecution of Henry and Christiana, that Thomas, Christiana's first husband, who held them of the earl, granted and released them to the earl by his deed: the king, wishing that speedy justice shall be exhibited to Henry and Christiana concerning the dower aforesaid, orders the escheator to cause dower of the said lands to be assigned to them.

Oct. 11.
Holme
Cultram.

To the same. Order to cause Peter, son and heir of Silvester Doynel, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

Oct. 8.
Holme
Cultram.

To the taker of the wines of the right prise at Southampton. Order to cause the abbot and convent of King's Beaulieu to have two tuns of wine, to wit one for the twenty-seventh year and one for the present year, from that prise, receiving from them letters patent testifying the receipt thereof, as the late king granted to them by his charter a tun of wine yearly from his prise, to be received between Christmas and the Purification, for the celebration of mass in their church, and the king afterwards, at the instance of R. late bishop of Bath and Wells, then his chancellor, accepted the grant by his letters patent, and granted that the abbot and convent should thenceforth receive the tun by the hands of the taker of his wines at Southampton.

Oct. 9.
Holme
Cultram.

To the keepers of the passage of the port of Dover. Order to permit William Reymundi de Genciaco, who is setting out for Gascony by the king's licence, to carry with him 112*l.* sterlings and sixteen silver cups without feet and his reasonable expenses, notwithstanding the king's late order to them not to permit any one to carry any silver money or any other money of his or any other's mint (*cuneo*), or silver vessels, or any silver in mass or otherwise from that port to parts beyond sea.

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Oct. 13.
Carlisle.

To the same. As the king understands that certain knights under the vouching (*advocacione*) of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, who are setting out for the Roman court for certain arduous affairs specially touching the king and his realm, are endeavouring to cross to parts beyond sea without his licence, he orders the keepers to permit the earl and William le Lung, John le Espring, Miles de Stapelton, Roger le Sauvage, Maurice le Brun, John de la Mare, John de Molington and Bartholomew de Badlesmere, knights and members of the household (*familiares*) of the earl, to cross with their robes, harness and household without impediment, and not to permit any other knights to cross in the earl's name, even if they be vouched for him.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 874.]

Oct. 13.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to pay to Laurence de Longauer of Scotland, esquire, who was captured in the conflict at Dumbur and is imprisoned in Tenebrigg castle, and to his keeper the arrears of their wages during the sheriff's time, and to pay them their wages henceforth, to wit 3*d.* a day to Laurence and 2*d.* a day to his keeper, until otherwise ordered.

Oct. 13.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to deliver to John Lucas of Caxton, John Inge of Gamnegeye, and William, his son, their lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon their being charged with homicide before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre in that county, as they have purged their innocence before Richard de Oteringham, then guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric of Ely, the see being void, to whom they were delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy, as R. bishop of Ely has signified to the king by his letters patent, and the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff and the coroners of that county that they are of good fame and were never public or notorious malefactors.

By the chancellor.

To the sheriff of Warwick. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Richard de Pyctavia, deceased.

Oct. 13.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Robert de Romeney, who has no lands in that county to qualify him, as the king learns.

To the keepers of the passage of the port of Dover. Order to permit Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, who is going to the Roman court for certain arduous affairs touching the king and his realm, to cross from that port with all his household and all their equipment and all things without being searched, notwithstanding the king's late order to the keepers not to permit any silver money or any other money of the king's or of other's mint (*cuneo*) or silver vessels or silver in mass or otherwise to be carried to parts beyond sea from that port without the king's special licence.

Robert le Clerk of Lyverpol, imprisoned at Lancaster for the death of William le Walkere of Lyverpol, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lancaster to bail him until the first assize.

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*Membrane 2—Schedule.*Oct. 10.
Holme
Cultram.

To the sheriff of Buckingham. Order to pay to James de Manetheth, Luke son of Donald (*Dovenaldi*) and John de Clony of Fyfe, esquires, prisoners from Scotland, who were captured in the conflict at Dumbbar and are imprisoned in the castle of Berkhamstede, and to their keeper the arrears of their wages for the time during which they have been in that castle, and to pay them their wages henceforth for so long as they shall remain therein.

MEMBRANE 1.

Oct. 13.
Carlisle.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent. Order to assign dower to Margaret, late the wife of Hubert de Multon, tenant by knight service of the heir of Thomas de Multon of Gillesland, tenant in chief, which heir is a minor in the king's wardship, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

The like to Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to discharge Nicholas de Turvill, late sheriff of Bedford, and Robert de Crevequer and Edmund de Wedon, coroners of that county, of 23*l.* 8*s.* 10¾*d.* exacted from them for the goods that belonged to Master Thomas de Pontesbury on the day when he fled to the church of Craunfeld in that county, for divers felonies wherewith he was charged and whereof he was convicted before Robert Malet and his fellows, then justices appointed to deliver Bedeford gaol, as the king granted to the master and brethren of St. Katharine's hospital without the Tower of London all the said goods and chattels, which were appraised at the aforesaid sum, whereupon he ordered the sheriff and coroners of co. Bedford to cause them or their price to be delivered to the master and the brethren, and Nicholas, Robert and Edmund delivered the aforesaid goods and chattels, thus appraised, to the master and brethren, as appears to the king by the letters patent of the master and brethren made to the sheriff and coroners, which the treasurer and barons shall receive from Nicholas, Robert and Edmund together with his said order to them.

Oct. 17.
Annan.

Hugh son of Roger le Hirdman of Preston, imprisoned at Lancaster for the death of Lettice Kygelpeny, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lancaster to bail him until the first assize.

Agnes Wyles and John, her son, Maurice, John's brother, William de Whiteby, and Simon le Waddester, imprisoned at York for the death of Adam de Silkeston, wherewith they are charged, have letters to the sheriff of York to bail them.

Oct. 23.
Dumfries.

To John Byron, late sheriff of York. Order to restore to Walter de Bolleby, clerk, his goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged before Hugh de Cressingham and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. York, with the homicide of William de Moubray and Maud, his wife, Hilda, his daughter, and Richard, his (or her) brother, as he has purged his innocence at York before the chapter of the church of York, then guardians of the archbishopric which was then void, to whom he was delivered in accordance with the privilege of the clergy by Roger le Brabazon and his fellows, justices appointed to hold pleas before the king, as the guardians have signified to the king by their letters patent, and the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff and coroners of that county that Walter is of good fame and is not a public or notorious malefactor.

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*Membrane 1—cont.*Oct. 23 (?).
Dumfries.

Nicholas de Fountayns, imprisoned at York for the death of William le Fissere, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him.

Nov. 7.
Carlisle.

To William Inge and Nicholas Fermbaud, justices appointed to deliver Stafford gaol. The dean and chapter of St. Mary's church, Stafford, have shown the king that whereas Adam Coly and William de Offeleghe lately fled to that church for sanctuary by reason of certain trespasses, certain of their enemies dragged them from the church by violence and delivered them to that gaol: the king orders the justices to cause them to be restored to the church if they ascertain that they were thus dragged from it.

Nov. 3.
Carlisle.

Alan son of Juliana atte Brok of Foleford, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of Richard atte Welle of Stafford, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

Nov. 12.
Carlisle.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Thomas, son and heir of Robert Grele, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the king and the king has taken his homage.

The like to Master Richard de Havering', escheator this side Trent.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Notification that the king has taken the homage of William Visdelou, who married Roesia, sister and heiress of Elizabeth, daughter of John de Shotesbrok, for the lands that Elizabeth at her death held of the king in chief, and order to take security—[*Incomplete*].

Cancelled, because on the Fine Roll.

Nov. 12.
Carlisle.

To the same. Order to cause William son and heir of William de Cyfrewast to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

Nov. 12.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Warwick. Order to pay to Malcolm de Droman, knight, Nigel de Kilpatrik, and Reginald de Sancto Claro, esquires, prisoners captured in the conflict at Dunbar in Scotland and imprisoned in Kenilworth castle, their wages, to wit Malcolm 4*d.* [a day] and each of the esquires 2*d.* [a day], and to pay to each of their keepers 3*d.* [a day], until otherwise ordered.

MEMBRANE 16*d.*

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Nov. 21.
Market
Weighton
(Wyghton).

John de Gayteford, parson of the church of Elvele, acknowledges that he owes to Robert Mek of York 8*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

Dec. 4.
Durham

John de Askham acknowledges that he owes to Master Adam de Alverton 56 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

Nov. 21.
Market
Weighton.

To Walter de Huntercumbe and Robert de Barton. Whereas the king lately appointed Walter to choose 4,000 footmen in co. Northumberland and to take them to him at Berwick-on-Tweed, and appointed Robert to

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Membrane 16d—cont.

pay them their wages during their journey, the king orders them, if the footmen make difficulties (*difficiles se reddant*) about coming to him as above by reason of the bad money now current in the realm and of the present winter time, which is trying (*tediosum*), to promise the men that the king will make them such gratuity (*curialitatem*) beyond their fixed wages when they come to them as should content them in reason. Walter and Robert are enjoined to carry themselves so cautiously and circumspectly in this behalf that he may be bound to commend them, and so that his affair of Scotland, which he has much at heart, may not remain unfinished for lack of the coming of the footmen. [*Fiedera* ; *Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the following knights and clerks :

Richard de Harlegh, to choose 500 footmen in co. Salop.	}	William de Ebor[aco], clerk.
William de Stafford, to choose 500 footmen in co. Stafford.		

Henry de Braylesford, to choose 1,000 men in co. Derby.	}	Roger de Sutton, clerk.
Richard de Byngham, to choose 500 men in co. Nottingham.		

Thomas Banastre, to choose 2,000 footmen in co. Lancaster.	}	Henry de Craystok, clerk.
William le Vavasour, John de Creppyng, and John Byrun, to choose 4,000 foot- men in co. York.		

William le Vavasour, John de Creppyng, and John Byrun, to choose 4,000 foot- men in co. York.	}	Ralph de Dalt[on], clerk.

Robert Tylljol, to choose 2,000 footmen in co. Cumberland.	}	Hugh de Burgo, clerk.
Hugh de Multon, to choose 500 footmen in co. Westmoreland. [<i>Ibid.</i>]		

Dec. 30.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause proclamation to be made immediately upon sight hereof in cities, boroughs, market towns and in other places that he shall deem fit prohibiting on the king's behalf any knight, esquire, or other person from tourneying, tilting (*bordeure*) or jousting, seeking adventures, or from otherwise going with arms, without the king's special licence, and order to arrest any one found going with arms after the proclamation, together with their horses and equipments (*hernesio*), and to cause them to be kept safely until otherwise ordered, as the king wills for certain reasons that tournaments, tiltings (*burdicie*) or jousts shall not be made by any persons of his realm during the war between him and the Scots. [*Fædera.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England.

Dec. 29.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Order to attend a parliament to be holden at London on the second Sunday of Lent. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to ten earls and ninety-nine others. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 29.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To Philip de Wylughby, chancellor of the exchequer. Order to attend the said parliament, in order to treat and give his counsel with others of the king's council. [*Ibid.*]

The like to thirty-seven others. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 29.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Order to attend the said parliament, and to warn the prior of his church and the archdeacons to be present in person and the chapter by a proctor and the clergy of his diocese by two proctors, to do and consent to what shall then be ordained by the king's council. [*Ibid.*]

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Membrane 16d—cont.

The like to the bishops of Norwich, Winchester, Rochester, Durham, and Carlisle. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the guardians of the bishopric of Lincoln, the see being void, the bishops of London, Chichester, Exeter, Hereford, Salisbury, St. Asaph, Bangor, St. Davids, and Llandaff, substituting 'deans and chapters' for 'priors and chapters.' [*Ibid.*]

The like to the bishop of Bath and Wells, to warn the prior and chapter of Bath and the dean and chapter of Wells, the bishop of Ely, to warn the prior and chapter of his church, and the bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, to warn the prior and chapter of Coventry and the dean and chapter of Lichfield. [*Ibid.*]

To the chapter of St. Peter's, York, guardians of the spirituality of that diocese. Order to send a proctor to the said parliament, and to warn the archdeacons to come in person and the clergy by two proctors. [*Ibid.*]

MEMBRANE 15d.

Dec. 29. To the abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury. Order to attend the
Berwick-on- aforesaid parliament. [*Ibid.*]
Tweed.

The like to seventy-two abbots, the master of Sempringham, the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England, and the master of the military order of the Temple in England. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 29. To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause two knights from that
Berwick-on- county and two citizens from every city and two burgesses from every
Tweed. borough to be elected to attend the said parliament. [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 30. To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Order to be at Carlisle at Midsummer
Berwick-on- next with horses and arms and all his service ready to set out with the
Tweed. king against the Scots, and request that, in addition to his service, he will come with as much greater company of armed men and horses as he can. [*Fœdera; Ibid.*]

The like to nine earls and ninety-seven others. [*Ibid.*]

To S. bishop of Salisbury. Order to have all the service due from him at Carlisle by the aforesaid date. [*Ibid.*]

The like to fifteen bishops, the guardians of the archbishopric of York and of the bishopric of London, fifteen abbots and the prior of Coventry. [*Ibid.*]

To the sheriff of York. Order to summon archbishops, bishops, abbots, priors and other ecclesiastical persons and widows and other women who hold of the king in chief by knight service or by serjeanty, or who hold of the guardianships of archbishoprics or other custodies or wardships in the king's hands, to have all their service at Carlisle as above, and to summon barons and all others of his bailiwick who hold of the king as above to be with the king with horses and arms as above, and to request them to come in as much force as they can in addition to their service. [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

To the barons, bailiffs and men of the port of Dover. Order to have all the service of ships due from them to the king at Skynburnesh at Midsummer next, ready and well-manned (*munition*) to set out against the Scots, as shall be then enjoined upon them, as the king proposes to

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Membrane 15d—cont.

be at Carlisle at that time in order to set out against his enemies and rebels. They are enjoined not to omit this as the king trusts in them and as they love the advantage and honour of his realm.

The like to the barons, bailiffs and men of the ports of Hasting[es], Hethe, Romehal, Wyncheles[eye], Sandwich, and La Rye.

Dec. 30.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To Robert de Burghesshe, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to cause proclamation to be made throughout his bailiwick and to enjoin all and singular of those ports who owe service to the king to have all their service at Skinburnesh as above, certifying the king then of how he shall have executed this order.

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Jan. 3.
Bamburgh.

Thomas de Stodleye acknowledges that he owes to Master John de Cadamo 6*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

MEMBRANE 14d.

Jan. 17.
Blyth.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Prohibition of his attempting to exercise any jurisdiction in the king's free chapel of Hastings with the prebends pertaining to it, or from doing anything that may redound in any way to the prejudice of the king or of his crown or royal dignity or to the injury of the liberty of the said chapel and prebends, as the free chapel and the prebends pertaining to it are wholly exempt from all jurisdiction of the ordinary, like the king's other free chapels in the realm, and the king learns that the archbishop now intends to exercise the office of his visitation in the chapel and prebends. [Prynne, *Records*, iii. p. 856.]

Feb. 21.
Ospringe.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to take with him two of the more upright and lawful men of his bailiwick and to cause inquisition to be made concerning those of his bailiwick who have been in Scotland in the king's company or in that of his subjects who were sent thither on his behalf since the king had first reason [to stay] in those parts by reason of the rebellion of the Scots, and concerning those who withdrew themselves, and to certify the king under the seal of the sheriff and of those whom he shall thus associate with him of the names of those who have been in Scotland and of those who thus withdrew themselves. By p.s. [2052.]

The like to all the sheriffs of England.

Jan. 14.
Wetherby.

Christiana, late the wife of Nicholas de Meynill, tenant in chief, puts in her place William son of John de Thorneton, clerk, and Robert son of Laurence Harald of Hereford to demand and receive in chancery her dower of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to Nicholas.

Feb. 13.
Canterbury.

William Bodrigan, archdeacon of Cornwall, acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Sancto Philberto, knight, 36*l.* 13*s.* 1*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cornwall.

Enrolment of release by William son of Simon Pecche to William de Reppes and Thomas, his brother, of his right in 25 marks of yearly rent in which they are bound to him for the manor of Roullesby, which he had previously granted to them by his charter. For this release they gave him 100*l.* sterling. Witnesses: William de Bovill, Robert Chaumberlein, Nicholas de Weyland, knights; William Phelipe, Geoffrey Huberd, Thomas de Hindringham, Henry de Sydestrond, Thomas le White. Dated at Dynieton, on Friday after St. Matthew, 28 Edward.

Memorandum, that William came into chancery in the chapel of the house of the *Conversi* at London, on 2 May, and acknowledged the said deed before Sir Adam de Osgodeby, then keeper of the rolls of chancery.

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*Membrane 14d—cont.*March 1.
Greenwich.

Henry Waryn of Northwell acknowledges that he owes to Nicholas de Guildeford, parson of the church of Chestreton, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Nottingham.

March 1.
Greenwich.

To the keeper of the Hospital of St. Giles without Lincoln. Order to receive into the hospital William de Wherewell, who has long and faithfully served the king, and is now smitten with leprosy, so that he cannot serve the king any longer, and whom the king is sending to them, and to find him the necessities of life amongst the other infirm of that hospital for life, according to the requirements of his estate.

March 9.
Westminster.

John de Erleye, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, 40l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Somerset.

*Cancelled on payment.*March 10.
Westminster.

John le Dauncere of Cristeshale acknowledges that he owes to William de Sutton 23l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Thomas de Tydemersh came before the king, on Thursday before St. Gregory, and sought to replevy his land in Tydemersh, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Joan, late the wife of John de Tydemersh. This is signified to the justices.

Alice, late the wife of Richard Foun, acknowledges that she owes to John de Benstede, clerk, 17 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of her lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

Roger de Moreteyn, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Gilbert Pecche 40l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Alan son of Henry de la Berewyk acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Sutton 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

March 12.
Westminster.

Ralph de Merk acknowledges that he owes to William de Keleshale 35l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

For payment of this sum Ralph found as sureties Jollan de Dunolm[ia], Ralph Bygod, John de la More, Edmund de Badewe, and Walter de la Haye, who constituted themselves principal debtors, and granted that the aforesaid sum shall be levied, in default of payment by Ralph, of their lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Richard de Castreton acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Estcote 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Wilts.

March 13.
Westminster.

Hugh le Despenser acknowledges that he owes to Edmund, earl of Cornwall, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Leicester.

Guy, earl of Warwick, acknowledges that he owes to the aforesaid Edmund 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

Hugh Pointz acknowledges that he owes to the aforesaid Edmund 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Dorset.

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Thomas de Furnivall[e] acknowledges that he owes to the aforesaid Edmund 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Nottingham.

Hugh de Curtenay acknowledges that he owes to the aforesaid Edmund 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Somerset.

Andrew de Estleye acknowledges that he owes to the aforesaid Edmund 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

John de Grey of Rotherfeld acknowledges that he owes to the aforesaid Edmund 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

John de Insula Vecta acknowledges that he owes to the aforesaid Edmund 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

John de Clynton, the younger, acknowledges that he owes to the aforesaid Edmund 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

Bernard de Brus acknowledges that he owes to the aforesaid Edmund 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Rutland.

William de Echingham, knight, acknowledges that he owes to John Filliol and Paulina, his wife, 133*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Kent and Sussex.

March 14.
Westminster. John de Pavely, parson of the church of Lodbrok, acknowledges that he owes to Master Ralph de Leycestr[ia] and Thomas de Sutham 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Warwick and Nottingham.

Donus de Podio, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Westhale, executor of the will of Matthew de Columbariis, and to his co-executors 209*l.* 17*s.* 7*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Rutland.

March 16.
Westminster. John son of Nicholas le Moigne of London acknowledges that he owes to Simon Bolet 12*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex and in London.

Ralph de Hardricheshull acknowledges that he owes to Elias de Bekingham 20*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Suffolk.

March 17.
Westminster. Richard de Hanleye acknowledges that he owes to Richard Pancefot 80 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

Walter de Huntingfeld acknowledges that he owes to Master Giles de Barenton 15*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Bedford.

Cancelled on payment.

William de Sutton acknowledges that he owes to John de Broghton 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

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Membrane 14d—cont.

Taldus Janiani, merchant of the society of the Friscombaldi of Florence, acknowledges, for himself and his fellows, merchants of the society, that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 324 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex and in London.

Cancelled on payment.

March 17. Robert son of Payn acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Gorges
Westminster. 324*l.* 3*s.* 2*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Somerset and Dorset.

Cancelled on payment.

The abbot of Bildewas acknowledges that he owes to John de Langeton, chancellor, 5 marks: to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Robert de Weleham, the chancellor's chaplain.

Robert de Burghersshe, Henry de Leyburn, Fulk Payforer, and John de Esburnham acknowledge that they owe to William de Chelesfeud 30*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Kent and Suffolk.

Hugh Braybuf, John Randolf, and Master John Gerberd acknowledge that they owe to Henry de Gildeford 23*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

Membrane 14d—Schedule.

Jan. 14. To H. son of Sir F[erdinand], late king of Castile and Leon. Request
Wetherby. that he will aid Pascasius de Villa, the king's yeoman, or his envoy bringing these letters in bringing out of the realm of Castile and outside its district six mares and a stallion, and so that he may go with them whither he will.

Like letters to Didacus Lupi de Haro, lord of Biscay (*Biskaya*).

Jan. 4. Roger de Brinkil came before the king, on Monday after St. Silvester,
Charlton. and sought to replevy to Richard le Flemyng of Notingham his land, which was taken into the king's hands for his default in the king's court against William de Normanton of Notingham. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

Jan. 9. Stephen le Blund came before the king, on Saturday after St. Silvester,
Durham. and sought to replevy to Henry le Wodeward of Tyresfeld his land, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Cecily, late the wife of Roger Hermer of Wroxhull. This is signified to the justices.

Jan. 14. To the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England.
Wetherby. Whereas the king has retained Isard de Monte Giscard, knight (whom Brother W. de Vilereto, prior of all that [order], lately admitted to serve God in that order at the king's request), in his service, so that he could not go to the said prior of the order when he was in England to complete his vow (*ad voti sui consequendum effectum*): the king, desiring that the knight's intention should be fulfilled according to the gracious grant made to him by the said prior of the order, requests the prior to admit the knight as a brother of the order, and to retain him in his society until the king can more conveniently ordain concerning his estate.

Membrane 14d—Schedule—cont.

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Dec. 30.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To the abbot of Salleye. Order to send to the chancery at York a strong horse not (*enitum*) by one of his men before the octaves of St. Hilary next, there to be delivered to John de Langeton, the chancellor, as the king much needs a good and strong horse to carry the rolls of chancery.

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Jan. 14.
Wetherby.

To the sheriff of York. Whereas the king lately caused horsemen assessed for arms in the sheriff's bailiwick to be requested and warned and footmen to a certain number to be chosen to be with him at Berwick-on-Tweed on Sunday the feast of St. Lucy the Virgin last, ready to set out against the Scots, and the said horsemen and footmen in coming to the king received money from him and also from some towns in the sheriff's bailiwick and afterwards returned home fraudulently with the money thus received without seeking or obtaining the king's licence: the king orders the sheriff to take with him William le Vavassur, John de Crepping, and John de Byrun, appointed to choose the footmen and to bring them to the king, and to cause all those men whom William, John and John, or one of them, and Ralph de Dalton, appointed to pay wages to the footmen until they come to the king, shall signify to him as having thus returned to be taken and imprisoned until they shall have satisfied the king and the aforesaid towns for double the money that they have received. If they shall then find the sheriff mainpernors to have them before the king at his will to answer to him concerning the premises and to do and receive what his court shall consider in this behalf, he shall cause them to be delivered from prison by such mainprise. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties:

Northumberland, to arrest those whom Walter de Huntercumbe, appointed to choose the footmen, and Robert de Barton, appointed to pay their wages, shall signify to him.

Cumberland, to arrest those whom Robert Tilliol, appointed to choose the footmen, and the said Robert, appointed to pay their wages, shall signify to them.

Westmoreland, to arrest those whom Hugh de Multon, appointed to choose the footmen, shall signify to them.

Lancaster, to arrest all those whom he shall ascertain have thus returned.

Salop and Stafford, to arrest those whom Richard de Harleye in co. Salop and William de Stafford in co. Stafford, shall signify to him.

Nottingham and Derby, to arrest those whom Richard de Bingham in co. Nottingham, and Henry de Braylesford in co. Derby, and Roger de Sutton, clerk, appointed to pay the wages to the footmen, shall signify.

To William le Vavassur. Mandate in pursuance, for co. York.

The like to Richard de Bingham with the sheriff of Nottingham and Henry de Braylesford with the sheriff of Derby. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 17.
Blyth.

To the guardian of the spirituality of the archbishopric of Dublin. Request that he will give credence to what John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, to whom the king has opened his mind concerning the expedition against the Scots, shall expound to him on the king's behalf, and that he will do what John shall require in the king's name, as the king needs the aid of the archbishop and of his other subjects to carry out this affair more conveniently. [*Fœdera; Parl. Writs.*]

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Membrane 14d—Schedule—cont.

The like to fifteen archbishops and bishops, eleven deans and chapters, the prior and convent of Holy Trinity, Dublin, nine abbots, twenty two [barons], and the mayors and bailiffs or bailiffs and men of eight towns. [*Ibid.*]

To Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster. Like letter, commending him for aiding all the king's affairs. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 14.
Wetherby.

To John Wak. Order to be at the exchequer at York on Friday next to treat with the treasurer and barons of the exchequer and others of the king's council of certain affairs touching him and the community of that county. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the following knights :

Peter de Malo Lacu	}	The East Riding.
William le Latimer, the elder		
Marmaduke de Twenge		
Ralph son of William		
Gerard Salveyn		
William le Conestable of Flamburgh		

Walter de Faucumberge	}	The North Riding.
Nicholas de Meynill		
Arnald de Percy		
William le Latimer, the younger		
John de Blaby		
John de Biron		

Hugh son of Henry.

William le Vavassur	}	The West Riding.
William de Ryther		
Richard le Waleys		
Simon de Kyme		
Franco Tyas		
John de Crepping.		
John de Bella Aqua.		

[*Ibid.*]

Jan. 14.
Wetherby

John de Amcotes acknowledges that he owes to William le Fort 100 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Membrane 14d—Schedule, dorse.

Jan. 14.
Wetherby

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause, together with William le Latimer, the elder, Ralph son of William, John de Crepping, and John Byron, or two of them, all and singular knights, esquires or others of his bailiwick who have 40*l.* yearly of land or rent or more to be warned and requested on the king's behalf, even if they do not hold of him, to so provide themselves with horses and arms and to prepare themselves to be with the king at Carlisle at Midsummer next, ready to set out at his wages against the Scots, and that the said knights, esquires or others shall not omit to do this under pain of a forfeiture to be ordained by the king. The sheriff is ordered to certify the king in his wardrobe under the seals of the sheriff and the said William, Ralph, John, and John before the second Sunday of Lent of the names of those thus warned and of the names of all those of his bailiwick whom the king ordered him by another writ to be summoned for the said day and place. He is ordered to send the writs that the king sends to him to the aforesaid William, Ralph, John, and John. [*Parl. Writs.*]

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Membrane 14d—Schedule, dorse—cont.

The like to the following :

The sheriff of Cambridge and Huntingdon, with John de Abernoun and William Tuchet.

The sheriff of Surrey and Sussex, with William de Breuosa and Henry Tregoz.

The sheriff of Gloucester, with Thomas de Berkeley and John ab Adam.

The sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk, with Hugh Bardolf and John Boteturte.

The sheriff of Essex and Hertford, with Henry de Grey and William de Haringfeld.

The sheriff of Hereford, with John Tregoz and John de Acton.

The sheriff of Devon, with Henry de Bodrigan and Robert Gyffard.

The sheriff of Cornwall, with the said Henry and Robert.

The sheriff of Middlesex, with John Abel and Richard le Rus.

The sheriff of Oxford and Berkshire, with Hugh de Sancto Philiberto and Richard de Wyndesoure.

The sheriff of Lincoln, with Adam de Welles and Gilbert de Briddeshale.

The sheriff of Nottingham and Derby, with Thomas de Furnivall and Edmund Deyncourt.

The sheriff of Southampton, with John Randolf and John le Fauconer.

The sheriff of Westmoreland, with Robert de Clifford and Hugh de Multon.

The sheriff of Northampton, with Eustace de Hache.

The sheriff of Rutland, with Theobald de Nevill.

The sheriff of Somerset and Dorset, with Robert son of Payn and Walter de Pavilly.

The sheriff of Kent, with William de Leyburne and Henry de Cobham.

The sheriff of Northumberland, with Robert de Hilton and John Swynburn.

The sheriff of Cumberland, with John de Wygeton and Robert Tylliol.

The sheriff of Lancaster, with John de Hudleston and William de Dacre.

The sheriff of Bedford and Buckingham, with Robert son of Nigel and John Neyrnuyt.

The sheriff of Worcester, with John de Clynton, the younger, and Robert de Bracy.

The sheriff of Warwick and Leicester, with Eustace de Hacche.

The sheriff of Wilts, with the said Eustace.

The sheriff of Salop and Stafford, with Ralph Basset of Drayton and Robert de Halghton.

Richard de Masey, justice of Chester, with Hugh de Aldythelegh and Fulk le Estraunge. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 14.

Wetherby.

To Henry de Bodringham. Order to intend the premises with the sheriffs of Devon and Cornwall and Robert Giffard, in form aforesaid. [*Ibid.*]

Like letters to the following [with the necessary alterations]:

John de Abernoun.

John Boteturte.

William Tuchet.

Robert son of Walter.

William de Breuos[a].

Henry de Grey.

Henry Tregoz.

John Tregoz.

Thomas de Berkeleye.

John de Acton.

John ab Adam.

Robert Giffard. [*Ibid.*]

Hugh Bardolf.

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*Membrane 14d—Schedule, dorse—cont.*Jan. 17.
Blyth.

To A. bishop of Durham. Whereas certain footmen of the bishopric, who were lately chosen by the bishop at the king's request to set out with him at his wages against the Scots, received money from the king and also from some towns in the bishopric when coming to the king at Berwick, and afterwards returned home fraudulently with the money without seeking or obtaining the king's licence: the king orders the bishop to cause to be taken all those whom John de Selby, the king's clerk, appointed to supervise the choice of the footmen and to pay them their wages until they should come to the king, shall make known to him as having thus returned, and to cause them to be kept in prison until they shall have satisfied the king and the towns aforesaid for double the money thus received. If those thus imprisoned shall find the bishop mainpernors to have them before the king at his will to answer to him concerning the premises and to do and receive what his court shall consider in this behalf, he shall cause them to be delivered from prison upon such mainprise. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 14.
Wetherby.

To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to induce and admonish all the merchants of the towns in his bailiwick to bring victuals for sale to Carlisle about Midsummer next, when the king proposes to be there in order to set out against the Scots with horses and arms and all the service due to him, so that the king may rightfully feel grateful (*grates scire*) to the merchants, to whom the sheriff shall promise on the king's behalf that the king will cause full and prompt payment to be made to them for the victuals that they shall bring to his army, and that he will save them harmless in all things. The king wills that the sheriff shall induce certain merchants of his bailiwick to mainpern and bind themselves to cause victuals to be taken to the said parts in as great abundance as they can, sending to the king the names of such merchants about Whitsuntide next, to be delivered in his wardrobe. The king moreover orders him to cause provision to be made in the meantime of oxen, swine and sheep and of hens, chickens, eggs, cheese and other such victuals, and to cause them to be taken to Carlisle by all means against the king's arrival there.

The like to all the sheriffs of England.

The like to Richard de Mascy, justice of Chester.

The like to the bailiff of Haverford.

Jan. 14.
Wetherby.

To Edmund, earl of Cornwall. Request that he will order his bailiffs and ministers in Cornwall to induce all the merchants to send victuals to Carlisle [*etc. as in preceding order*].

Warin de Fenton acknowledges that he owes to John Wogan 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

MEMBRANE 13d.

March 17.
Westminster.

To Elizabeth, countess of Holland and Zealand and lady of Friesland, the king's daughter. Notification that the king is sending to her for the affairs of her dower assigned to her in those lands William de Burnton and Henry Espigurnel, the bearers of these letters, whom the king has advised and informed upon the said matters in so far as he was able to understand them in England, and request that she will receive them courteously when they shall come to her and that she will advise and inform them as to her said affairs as the honour of her estate shall require and as she shall deem most expedient and profitable. *French.* [*Fœdera.*]

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Membrane 13d—cont.

To Guy, count of Flanders and marquis of Namur. The king fully understands the requests that Guy has made to him by John, lord of Bondues Trameries, and Baldwin de Chaune, his envoys, the bearers of these letters, who have shown to the king Guy's affairs wisely and advisedly, concerning which the king has charged them with his reply and of what he can do in the matter at present, which answer they can tell the count in the same form as the king has told and advised them.

French. [*Ibid.*]

March 17.
Westminster.

To Derrick (*Terrico*) de Brederode. Request that he will aid William de Burnton, clerk, and Henry Spygurnel, clerk, the exhibitors of these letters, in the matter of the dowry of Elizabeth, countess of Holland and Zealand, with his counsel in forwarding this matter.

The like to the following :

Henry Chasteleyn of Leyden	}	knights.
John de Renesse		
Nicholas Perfun		
William de Egmode		
Clays de Cacche		
Christian (<i>Cristiane</i>) de Raphirst		

John de Arcle	}	esquires.
Clays de Putte		
Girard de Hemeskerke		
William de Harlam		

Guardus de Vorne, castellan of Seeland.

The bailiffs, *échevins* and whole community of the town of Zaunde.

The bailiffs, *échevins* and whole community of the town of Welf.

The bailiffs, *échevins* and whole community of the town of Leyden.

The bailiffs, *échevins* and whole community of the town of Harlam.

The bailiffs, *échevins* and whole community of the town of Alkemere.

Memorandum, that John, son and heir of Adam Creting, tenant in chief, did homage to the king at Westminster, 9 March, for a quarter of a knight's fee in Ringeford, co. Essex, and for a twentieth of a knight's fee in Overton in the Welshery (*Walecheria*).

March 22.
Westminster

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that John Baroun came before the king, on Tuesday after St. Cuthbert, and sought to replevy to John le Clet and Alice, his wife, their land in Bokhampton near Lamburn, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices against Alice, daughter of Henry del Hull. This is signified to the justices.

Almaric de Sancto Amando acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Halghton, knight, 100*l.* ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Buckingham.

Walter de Kenle, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Master John de Kenle 21 marks 6*s.* 8*d.* ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in Ireland.

Memorandum, that the king granted in his parliament at London in Lent, on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, licence to Sir Roger le Brabazon, John de Berewyk, and the other justices appointed to make perambulations of the forests in divers counties of the realm, that they may take in his forests where they shall make perambulations venison for their own use while they are engaged upon the perambulations as shall seem fit to them, and that they may carry away

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Membrane 13d—cont.

the venison at their will, and that the chancellor shall cause letters patent to be made to them of acquittance for the taking of such venison when he shall be informed by them of the taking and carrying away aforesaid.

March 18.
Westminster.

John Neyrnut acknowledges that he owes to Edmund, earl of Cornwall, for the marriage of the heir of William de Luton, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Buckingham.

William de Ryther acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft, clerk, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Thomas Corbet acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

Walter de Muncy, Robert de Scales, Edward Charles, and John de Biskele acknowledge that they owe to John de Crokesle 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Hereford and Kent.

March 20.
Westminster.

John de Ferlington acknowledges that he owes to the said John de Crokesle 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

Margery de Maleville acknowledges that she owes to Robert de Stanegrave 29*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of her lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Cancelled on payment.

Assignment of dower to Maud, late the wife of Thomas de Marynes, of the lands that he held at his death of the king in chief in Blakemaneston, co. Kent, made by the escheator on Thursday after Martinmas, 27 Edward, by the oath of Robert de Blakemaneston, Laurence de Blakemeston, Laurence Mahieu, Stephen Bate, Thomas Elys, Stephen Kynet, Robert Rauf, Clement Courtehouse, John Richard, Moses de Tryndherst, Bartholomew Brid, and Henry Richard. Of the chief messuage a third part on the south, with the barn (*granario*) and two cow-houses, is assigned to her, which third is extended at 18*d.* yearly. There are also assigned to her 19 acres of arable land in Esttadenham on the south of the said chief messuage, which are extended at 28*s.* 6*d.* yearly, price of an acre 18*s.* (*sic*); 13½ acres of pasture in the field called 'Trittenacre,' which are extended at 27*s.* yearly, price of an acre 2*s.*; 10 acres of pasture in the field called 'Brodesedfeld,' which are extended at 20*s.* yearly, price of an acre 2*s.*; 2½ acres of pasture at Pundefoldesgate, which are extended at 5*s.* yearly, price of an acre 2*s.*; 10 acres of pasture in Pesefeld and Drosfeld, which are extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly, price of an acre 8*d.*; there are also assigned to her four acres of pasture in Bernefeld and Develton, which are extended at 2*s.* 8*d.* yearly, price of an acre 8*s.*; 2½ acres of pasture there called 'Oxenelese,' which are extended at 20*d.* yearly, price of an acre 8*s.* There are also assigned to her there 34*s.* 6*d.* yearly of the rent of assize of free tenants, to be received from Laurence de Blakemaneston, Richard de Blakemaneston, Walter Kempe, William Ermenard, Stephen Kynet, William Colebraund, and Richard de la Lade. There are also assigned to her there of the rent of hens fifteen hens yearly, to be received from the same tenants, which are worth yearly 22½*d.* Also from the rents of eggs, 100 eggs yearly, to be received

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from the same tenants, which are worth 3*d.* yearly. There are also assigned to her there 10*d.* yearly from the boon-works (*operibus*), to wit of the ploughing of meadow and the cutting of reeds, to be received from Peter de Marynes. There are also assigned to her thirteen acres of pasture in 'gavelekende,' whereof 5 acres are in Hokedefeld, which are extended at 40*d.* (*sic*) yearly, price of an acre 8*s.*, 5 acres are in Bromfeld, which are extended at 10*s.* yearly, price of an acre 2*s.*, and 3 acres are in Holemed on the east, which are extended at 6*s.* yearly, price of an acre 2*s.* There are also assigned to her there of the rents of assize of 'gavelikende' tenants 15*s.* 4*d.* yearly, to be received from William Richard, James Richard, Stephen Elys, Stephen de Wyveneford, and Margery de Yardhaus. There are also assigned to her of the rents of hens of 'gavelikende' nine hens yearly, to be received from the same tenants, which are worth 13½*d.* yearly, price of a hen 1½*d.* There are also assigned to her from the rents of eggs there forty-four eggs yearly, to be received from the same tenants, which are extended at 1½*d.* There are also assigned to her from the rents of eggs there 9½*d.*, to be received from the tenants of Sparingbrok (*sic*). There are also assigned to her of the rent of a curlew (*curle*) and of mallards (*mallardorum*) 7*s.* 0½*d.* yearly, to be received from the said tenants of Springbrok (*sic*). In witness whereof the jurors have put their seal to this assignment.

Sept. 22.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Berks. As the king wills that the perambulations that he has lately caused to be made by Roger le Brabazon, John de Berewyk, Ralph de Hengham, William Inge, and John de Crokesle of the forest in that county, a transcript whereof he sends to the sheriff under the half seal, shall be firmly kept and observed in accordance with the tenor of the perambulations, he orders the sheriff to cause the perambulations to be kept and observed in form aforesaid.

Vacated, because otherwise below.

The like to the sheriff of Surrey.

March 25.
Westminster.

William le Pestur of Great Hoyland acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, clerk, 24*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Adam de Wellès, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William Persone 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.—William came into chancery immediately after acknowledgment, and appointed William de Eston, clerk, his proctor to receive this sum.

Cancelled on payment.

MEMBRANE 12*d.*

March 20.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Somerset. Writ for payment of the expenses of Gilbert de Bere and Hugh de Popham, knights of that county, who lately came to Westminster to the parliament. [*Fœdera; Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriffs of thirty-three counties for their respective knights. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the bailiffs or mayors and bailiffs of twenty-one boroughs for their respective burgesses. [*Ibid.*]

March 26.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause proclamation to be made of the king's ordinance that after the eve of Easter next no money except that of sterlings of his mint (*cuneo*) shall be current or usual in the realm,

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as, although the king lately ordered him to cause proclamation to be made that each penny of pollards, crockards and the like should be current for a halfpenny, so that two of them should be received for one sterling, and that no one should refuse such money under pain of grievous forfeiture, he has caused the said pollards, crockards and the like to be wholly condemned by the counsel of his *proceres* because he learnt that the currency of them is not to the advantage of his realm, and has ordained that no money except sterlings of his mint shall be current in the realm. [*Fædera.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England.

The like to Robert de Burghersshe, warden of the Cinque Ports.

The like to John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. [*Ibid.*]

March 26.
Westminster

Simon de Kyme acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Waleton 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

March 26.
Westminster.

John de la Mare of Bradewelle acknowledges that he owes to Nicholas de Semore of Poltun 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Cancelled on payment.

John le Bret acknowledges that he owes to Stephen de Kiville 14*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Sussex.

Memorandum, that Gilbert de Knovill, knight, did homage to the king at Westminster, on Wednesday before St. Cuthbert, in the presence of Sir John de Langeton, the chancellor, and of other magnates of England then present, for the manor of Honyton, co. Devon, which the king granted to Gilbert and his heirs.

Robert son of Robert de Maundevill acknowledges that he owes to Henry Tuk 12 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

March 28.
Westminster.

John de Clinton, the younger, knight, of Makestok acknowledges that he owes to John de Hules and Isabel, his wife, 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

Walter de Corry, one of the heirs and parceners of the inheritance of Richard de Lenington, tenant in chief, puts in his place Robert de Barton, clerk, to receive in chancery his purparty of the lands that Sarah, late the wife of Richard, held at her death in dower of the aforesaid inheritance.

John de Segrave acknowledges that he owes to Agnes, late the wife of Roger de Somery, 200*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Agnes before the chancellor.

Fulk son of Warin acknowledges that he owes to William de Birmingham 90*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

The said Fulk acknowledges that he owes to John de Segrave 200*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

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Robert de Asshele acknowledges that he owes to John de Cokefield 30*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

March 29. Alice, late the wife of John Dakeny, Baldwin de Maneriis, and John le
Westminster. Moigne acknowledge that they owe to John de la Mare of Bradewell 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Cambridge.

Ralph de Vernun acknowledges that he owes to John de Langeton, the chancellor, 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

The prior of St. Bartholomew's, London, acknowledges that he owes to William Pypard 30 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

*MEMBRANE 11*d.**

March 29. Nicholas de Halywell acknowledges that he owes to Blanche, queen of
Westminster Navarre, executrix of the will of Edmund, the king's late brother, Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, and William de Grandisono, executors of his will, 30*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Robert de Tateshale acknowledges that he owes to Robert de la Warde 80 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Robert de Godesfeld of Sutton acknowledges that he owes to Robert son of William de Wylughby 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

William de Ferariis acknowledges that he owes to Eustace le Bret 24 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Leicester.

March 30. Thomas de Framlingham acknowledges that he owes to the said Eustace
Westminster. 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

March 30. Henry de Leyburn, William de Leyburn, Thomas de Leyburn, and
Westminster. Roger le Sauvage acknowledge that they owe to John le Latimer 100*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Cancelled on payment.

Henry de Leyburn and Thomas de Leyburn acknowledge that they owe to Roger le Sauvage 100*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

March 27 To the sheriff of Lincoln and to the coroners and community of that
Westminster county. As the king has granted for the common utility of the prelates, *proceres*, magnates and people of the realm that the great charter of the liberties of England and the charter of the Forest shall be kept and observed firmly henceforth in all their articles; the king orders the sheriff to cause three knights or three of the more upright, lawful and discreet free men of that county to be chosen by the assent of the county [court]

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and to cause them to come to York, so that they shall be there on the morrow of the Ascension next before the king or his council to do and execute what shall be then enjoined upon them for the observation of the charters aforesaid. [*Federa; Parl. Writs; Prynne, Records* iii, p. 848; Ryley, *Placita*, p. 483.]

The like to the sheriffs and coroners of every county of England. [*Ibid.*]

March 29.
Westminster.

Roger le Sauvage, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Westhale, executor of the will of Matthew de Columbar[iis], and to his co-executors 48*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Cancelled on payment.

Memorandum, that Master Peter de Saverey did homage to the king at Westminster, on 1 April, for the lands that he has of the gift of Robert Gyffard in Trendey, which are held of the king in chief, to be held of the king by the same services as Robert previously held them by.

Memorandum, that Idonia de Leyburn, niece and co-heiress of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, did her homage to the king at Westminster on Thursday after the Annunciation for the manor of Wyntreslawe, which is held of the king in chief and which is assigned to her in her purparty of the inheritance.

April 1.
Westminster.

Memorandum, that the king granted respite to Maud de Bello Campo, countess of Warwick, one of the sisters and co-heiresses of Richard, for her homage, which she ought to have done in the quinzaine of Easter next, until Michaelmas next.

April 1.
Westminster.

Gerard de Wippeins, archdeacon of Richmond, acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Langeton, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, 500 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Walter de Mundy, knight, and William de Manegreve acknowledge that they owe to Robert de Estdene and Thomas de London[ia] 23*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. York and Norfolk.

To the sheriff of York. Although the king at another time [*p.* 380, *above*] ordered him, with William le Latimer, the elder, Ralph son of William, John de Crepping, and John Byrun, or two of them, to cause all and singular of his bailiwick, knights, esquires or others, having 40*l.* yearly of land and rent or more, even if they do not hold of the king, to be requested and warned on the king's behalf to so provide themselves with horses and arms and to prepare themselves without delay that they might be with the king at Carlisle at Midsummer next, ready to set out with him at his wages against the Scots, and that they should not omit to do this under a penalty that the king should cause to be ordained* —

[*Incomplete.*]

The like letters to the sheriffs of the following counties:

Cambridge and Huntingdon, with John Abernun and William Tochet.

Surrey and Sussex, with William de Brewosa and Henry Tregoz.

* A blank space of a couple of inches is here left, probably for the completion of the enrolment of the order. There are no signs of the cancelling of the enrolment, which is either an anticipation or a duplicate of that of 11 April *p.* 395, *below*, from which, however, it differs somewhat.

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Gloucester, with Thomas de Berkeley and John Abbadam.
 Norfolk and Suffolk, with Hugh Bardolf and John Butteturte.
 Essex and Hertford, with Henry de Grey and William de Hanyngfeld.
 Hereford, with John Tregoz and John de Acton.
 Devon, with Henry de Bodrigan and Robert Gyffard.
 Cornwall, with the said Henry and Robert.
 Oxford and Berks, with Hugh de Sancto Phileberto and Richard de Wyndesoure.
 Lincoln, with Adam de Welles and Gilbert de Briddeshale.
 Nottingham and Derby, with Thomas de Furnivall and Edmund Deyncourt.
 Southampton, with John Randolf and John le Fauconer.
 Westmoreland, with Robert de Clifford and Hugh de Multon.
 Northampton, with Eustace de Hacche.
 Rutland, with Theobald de Nevill.
 Somerset, with Robert son of Payn and Walter de Pavely.
 Kent, with William de Leyburn and Henry de Cobham.
 Northumberland, with Robert de Hilton and John de Swynburn.
 Cumberland, with John de Wygeton and Robert Tilliol.
 Lancaster, with John de Hudleston and William de Dacre.
 Bedford and Buckingham, with Robert son of Nigel and John Neyrnut.
 Worcester, with John de Clinton, the younger, and Robert de Bracy.
 Warwick and Leicester, with Eustace de Hacche.
 Wilts, with the said Eustace.
 Salop and Stafford, with Ralph Basset of Drayton and Robert de Halghton.
 Richard de Macy, justice of Chester, with Hugh de Aldithelegh and Fulk le Estrange.

March 22. To the sheriff of Berks. As the king wills that the perambulations of
 Westminster. the forest in that county that he has caused to be made by Roger le Brabazon, John de Berewyk, Ralph de Hengham, William Inge, and John de Crokesle, a transcript whereof he sends to the sheriff under his half seal, shall be firmly kept and observed, according to the tenor of the perambulations, the king orders him to cause them to be kept and held in form aforesaid.

Vacated, because below.

April 10. Hugh de Jernemuth acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Welham,
 Yarmouth. chaplain, 50s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Surrey.

Walter de Stirkland acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Barton, clerk, 4 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Westmoreland.

April 12. *Memorandum*, that the said Robert came into chancery, and remitted to
 St. Albans. Walter all the debts in which Walter was bound to him by recognisances in chancery and by other means.

April 13. William Waryn acknowledges that he owes to William de Kent 6 marks;
 St. Albans. to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hereford.

Agnes, late the wife of Henry le Sumenur, tenant in chief, puts in her place William de Ayremynne, clerk, to receive in chancery her dower of Henry's lands.

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John le Hayward acknowledges that he owes to John le Mareschal of St. Albans 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

MEMBRANE 10*l.*

April 11
St. Albans

To Robert de Burghersshe, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports. Order not to permit any silver money or any other white money of the king's mint (*cuneo*) or of any other mint, or any silver vessels, or any silver in mass or in any other way to be taken to parts beyond sea from the said ports without the king's special licence, under pain of forfeiture of life and goods and of all other things that may be forfeited to the king, and to cause this order to be publicly proclaimed throughout each of the ports every fifteen days, and to cause it to be kept firmly by keepers deputed for this purpose, or to be deputed anew for this purpose, if necessary, as the king lately caused to be ordained, among other ordinances made in his parliament at Stebenheth, that no good money of silver of his or other's mint, or silver in mass or in any other way shall go out of his realm or power to parts beyond sea without his special licence, under the pain specified above, and the king has now by the counsel of his *procures* wholly condemned (*reprobaverimus*) money in pollards, crockards, and other like moneys for the common utility of his realm, and has also ordained that no money except sterlings of his mint shall be current or be reputed usual henceforth in the realm. [Ryley, *Placita*, p. 481.]

The like to the following :

The mayor and bailiffs of Dover.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Sandwich.
 The barons of Rumenhale.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Wynchelese.
 The mayor and barons of La Rye.
 The bailiffs and barons of Hethe.
 The bailiffs of Faversham.
 The mayor and barons of Hastings.
 The bailiffs of Shorham.
 The bailiffs of Seford.
 The bailiffs of Portesmouth.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Southampton.
 The bailiffs of Dertemuth.
 The bailiffs of Lymyngton.
 The bailiffs of Weymuth.
 The bailiffs of La Poule.
 The bailiffs of Hamele.
 The bailiffs of Lym.
 The bailiffs of Sidemue.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Excestre.
 The bailiffs of Tengemue.
 The bailiffs of Plimmue.
 The bailiffs of Fouwy.
 The bailiffs of Lo.
 The bailiffs of Bo[d]myn.
 The bailiffs of Warram.
 The bailiffs of Felemue.
 The constable of Bristol.

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The mayor and bailiffs of Bristol.
 The bailiffs of Haverford.
 The constable of Kaernervan.
 The constable of Kaermerdyn.
 The constable of Lampadervaur.
 The constable of Coneway.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Chester.
 The bailiffs of Briggewauter.
 The bailiffs of Kaerdif.
 The bailiffs of Ostermue.
 The bailiffs of Roucestre.
 The bailiffs of Gravesende.
 The bailiffs of Northflet.
 The mayor and bailiffs of London.
 The bailiffs of Colchester.
 The bailiffs of Herewyz.
 The bailiffs of Ipswich.
 The bailiffs of Dunwich.
 The bailiffs of Oreford.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Yarmouth.
 The bailiffs of Blakeneye.
 The bailiffs of Lenne.
 The bailiffs of Boston.
 The bailiffs of Waynflet.
 The bailiffs of Salfletby.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Grymesby.
 The bailiffs of Hul.
 The bailiffs of Ravenesere.
 The bailiffs of Scardeburgh.
 The bailiffs of Tynemuth.
 The bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne.
 The constable of Bamburgh.
 The keeper of the town of Berwick-on-Tweed.
 The bailiffs of Dombur.
 Richard de Macy, justice of Chester.
 John Wogan, justice of Ireland.
 John de Havering, justice of Wales.
 Otto de Grandisono, keeper of the islands of Gerneseye and Jereseye,
 or to him who supplies his place.

April 17. William Dalrun came before the king, on Sunday the octaves of
 Dunstable. Easter, and sought to replevy his land in Estcote, Ercleshunte, and Wyk,
 which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices
 of the Bench against Hugh de Estcote. This is signified to the justices.

Memorandum, that Malcolm Musard did homage to the king at Stratford
 atte Bowe, on 3 April, for the manor of Seinesbury, which is held of the
 king in chief.

April 1. Master Hugh Duket acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Cliderowe,
 Westminster. clerks, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and
 chattels in co. Northampton.

Cancelled on payment.

Enrolment of release from John Tregoz, lord of Ewias, to Pynus
 Bernardini of his right in all the lands that Pynus had of his gift for life
 in the manor of Great Dodington near Wendlebrig, co. Northampton.

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with provision that the heirs and assigns of Pynus shall after his death pay to John and his heirs and assigns 20*l.* yearly, to be paid at the New Temple, London. For this release Pynus paid John 40*l.* beforehand. Witnesses: Roger le Brabazon, William de Bereford, William Inge, John Druel, John de Ashton, Robert de Bray, knights; Michael de Mileden, Henry Lesporoner.

Memorandum, that John came into chancery, on Wednesday before Easter, to wit 8 April, and acknowledged the aforesaid deed.

Enrolment of deed of Pinus Bernardini, witnessing that whereas his heirs and assigns are bound to pay to John Tregoz 20*l.* yearly after his death for the lands that he has of his demise in Great Dodington near Wendleburg, co. Northampton, he grants for his heirs and assigns and for all those into whose hands the lands shall come that if the rent aforesaid be not paid at the terms contained in John's deed, they shall be bound to John and his heirs and assigns in 100*s.* for each failure to pay the rent, so that John and his heirs may freely enter the lands and distrain therein until they shall be satisfied for the said 100*s.* and for the rent. Witnesses: Roger le Brabazon, William de Bereford, William Inge, William de Grandisono, John Tany, knights; John de Danhurst, Walter de Hormede, John de Bedewind. Dated at London, on Tuesday the morrow of St. Ambrose, 28 Edward.

Memorandum, that Pinus came into chancery, on Wednesday before Easter, to wit 8 April, and acknowledged the aforesaid deed.

April 5. Henry de Rundale came before the king, on Tuesday before Easter, and sought to replevy his land in the town of St. Mary and All Saints near North Mimms, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Dionisia, late the wife of John de Cumbe. This is signified to the justices.

April 7. Elias son of Ingelram de Sancto Albano came before the king, on St. Albans. Thursday after Palm Sunday, and sought to replevy his land in Newenham, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Osbert de Notele and Agnes, his wife. This is signified to the justices.

April 5. Master Richard de Havering and Simon son of Vitalis de Chilton Tottenham. acknowledge that they owe to the king 12 marks . . . ; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Salop.

Master Henry de Bray acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham, clerk, 100*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

April 5. Walter de Rokesle came before the king, on Tuesday after Palm Tottenham. Sunday, and sought to replevy his land in Boston, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Robert de Ispannia. This is signified to the justices.

April 8. Gilbert de Etton came before the king, on Friday after Palm Sunday, St. Albans. and sought to replevy the land of himself, his wife Alice, and of Roger de Horne and John de Maleville in Tycheseye, Croweherst, and Chelesham, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Gunnora de Valoignes. This is signified to the justices.

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April 14.
St. Albans.*Membrane 10d—cont.*

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Geoffrey de Geynwill to have respite for one [year? ^o] for all debts due to the exchequer, as the king has granted this respite to Geoffrey, who is going to the Roman court by the king's order for certain affairs touching him and his realm.

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The like to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin.

Laurence de Preston, knight, acknowledges that he owes to John de Burgo of Northampton two sacks of wool, price 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

Agatha de Mortuo Mari, one of the heiresses and parceners of the inheritance that belonged to Walter le Mareschal, tenant in chief of the king, puts in her place Hugh de Mortuo Mari, her son, to demand and receive before the king her purparty of the lands that belonged to Walter in Ireland.

MEMBRANE 9d.

Perambulation made on Wednesday after St. Peter in Cathedra, 28 Edward, in co. Berks, before Roger le Brabazon and his fellows, by the oath of Bartholomew de Erle, Roger de Borghefeld, Adam Martel, Ralph de Knyveton, Robert de Sindlesham, William de Blebury, Gilbert Pynson, William Jordan, Henry de Burnham, Peter de la Hoese, Richard de Elfeton, John de Benham, Geoffrey de Elfeton, John Ferthyng, John de la Sale of Mygham, John de Fonte, Richard de Ydesle, clerk, Adam de Waveton, Nicholas de Henle, Richard de Pesemere, John Medwyne, William de Pollesden, William de la Dene, Roger de Schae, and John Ode, who say that whatsoever is on the east side of [the] Lodona in co. Berks is the king's forest, as the following boundaries show (*condonant*): beginning where [the] Lodona falls into the Thames below the park of Sonnyngg, along the Thames to Lodelakeshache, thence to the park of Windsor, thence to Heytele as the boundaries between the counties of Berks and Surrey extend; and from Heytele to Bredeford as the metes and bounds (*divise*) between the said counties extend; and from Bredeford along the river of Dodekrok (*sic*) as far as it goes between the counties of Berks and Southampton up to Swalewe; and thence to Rysle as the metes and bounds extend between the counties of Berks and Southampton; and thence to Stanford at Stratford (*sic*) Say as the metes and bounds extend between the said counties; and thence along [the] Lodona to the place where [the] Lodona falls into the Thames.

They say also that the bishop of Winchester has free chace in all his lands pertaining to his manor of Wergrave within the metes aforesaid. They also say that the predecessors of the bishop of Salisbury had free chace in a plot of land (*placeam*) called 'le Busschopesber' within the bounds aforesaid from of old until Geoffrey de Pycford, keeper of the castle and forest of Windsor, appropriated the chace to the forest aforesaid and afforested it during the present king's reign, so that no minister of the king of the forest intermeddled within the aforesaid plot of land in any way before the appropriation aforesaid. They also say that nothing else has been afforested within the bounds aforesaid or elsewhere in that county from the time of King Henry, the king's great grandfather, except in a plot of land (*placeam*) called 'Cuppynggesfryth,' which is within the

* A word has been omitted here in the enrolment.

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metes and bounds of co. Berks in the towns of Stratford (*sic*) Mortemer and Aldermanneston Achard, which plot Walter de Everesleye, keeper of the forest of Panbere, appropriated to the forest in the late king's time thirty-two years ago. In witness whereof the jurors have put their seals to the presents.

March 22.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Berks. As the king wills that the perambulations of the forest in that county that he lately caused to be made by Roger le Brabazon, John de Berewyk, Ralph de Hengham, William Ing, and John de Crokesle, a transcript whereof the king sends to him under his half-seal (*sub pede sigilli*), shall be kept and observed according to the tenor of the perambulations aforesaid; the king orders him to cause them to be kept and observed in form aforesaid.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to permit S. bishop of Salisbury to have and use without hindrance his free chace in a plot of land (*placea*) called 'le Bishopesber' within the bounds of the king's forest of Windsor, as his predecessors were wont to have and use it before its appropriation to the king's forest, as it is found by the perambulation of the forest in co. Berks made before the aforesaid Roger and his fellows and returned before the king that the bishop's predecessors had from of old their free chace in that plot, so that no minister of the king of the forest intermeddled with the chace in any way, until Geoffrey de Pycheford, formerly keeper of the castle and forest of Windsor, appropriated the chace to the forest and afforested it.

The like to John de London[ia], keeper of the forest of Windsor.

March 28.
Westminster.

To Otto de Grandisono, or to him who supplies his place in the island of Gerneseye. Order, as on a previous occasion (*alias*), not to permit anything to be done at the instance or by the procurement^a concerning the church of St. Peter Port (*de Portu*) in the island whereby Master Robert de Leyssset, king's clerk, may be unable to obtain that church, as the king lately presented Robert to that church to the bishop of Coutances, and he afterwards established (*disracionaverimus*) against the bishop and against the abbot of Marmoutier that the advowson of the church pertained to him upon this occasion, and the bishop asserts that the collation has devolved upon him by lapse of time and that he will confer the same, whereas in such things time does not run against the king or against those presented by him, according to his perogative.

Perambulation of the forest of Windsor in co. Surrey, made on Saturday before St. Gregory, 28 Edward, at Lambeth before Roger Brabazon, John de Berewyk, Ralph de Hengham, William Inge, and John de Crokesle, in the presence of Philip de Say, clerk, the justice of the Forest, the foresters and verderers of that forest, by the oath of William Aumbesas, John de Burstowe, Robert de Bekwelle, knights, Robert le Dol, Robert de Waleton, William de Northwode, John Prodhomme, Robert Attesonde, Nicholas de Weston, Richard de Hortone, Edmund de Otteworthe, and John de Farnham, who say that the whole county of Surrey was forest in the time of King Henry, the king's great-grandfather, whereof the said King Henry died seised, and that it so remained forest until 4 December, in the first year of the reign of King Richard, who then disafforested a part of the county by certain metes that are contained in his charter made concerning this: to wit between Kent and the water called 'Waye,' and from the hill of

* A reference to the bishop of Coutances seems to be here omitted in the enrolment.

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Guldedone as far as the county of Surrey reaches to the south; and the rest of the county, to wit beginning at the water of Waye by the hill of Guldedone as far as the county of Surrey extends to the north, remained and is forest; and that after the making of this charter nothing was afforested or occupied by the said king or by King John or by any other. They also say that they do not know that any of the county was afforested by King Henry, the king's great-grandfather. In witness whereof the jurors have put their seal [hereto].

April 13.
St. Albans.

Richard de Hetherington came before the king, on Wednesday in Easter week, and sought to replevy to Margery, late the wife of Roger de Kyngeston, Maud, daughter of the said Roger, and Roesia, sister of Maud, their land in the suburbs of Oxford, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Nicholas le Muner. This is signified to the justices.

April 11.
St. Albans.

To the sheriff of York. Whereas the king lately ordered him [*p.* 380, *above*], with William le Latimer, the elder, Ralph son of William, John de Creppingg, and John Byrun, or two of them, to cause all and singular of his bailiwick, knights, esquires, or others having 40*l.* yearly of land and rent or more, even if they do not hold of the king, to be requested and required on the king's behalf to so provide themselves with horses and arms and to prepare themselves without delay that they might be with the king at Carlisle at Midsummer next, ready to set out thence with him at his wages against the Scots: the king again orders him, together with the said William, Ralph, John, and John to request and require specially on the king's behalf all and singular of his bailiwick having 40*l.* or more yearly of land and rent, even if they do not hold of the king, and to induce them and to cause them to be induced by all means that he shall deem fit, to be with the king at the said day and place with horses and arms, ready to set out thence with him at his wages against the Scots. He is ordered to certify the king in his wardrobe before Whitsuntide of the names of those whom he shall understand will thus come to the king and also of those whom he shall understand will not come. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties:

Cambridge and Huntingdon, with John Abernun and William Tuchet.

Surrey and Sussex, with William de Brewosa and Henry Tregoz.

Gloucester, with Thomas de Berkeleye and John Abbadam.

Norfolk and Suffolk, with Hugh Bardolf and John Buteturte.

Essex and Hertford, with Henry de Grey and William de Hanyngfeld.

Hereford, with John Tregoz and John de Acton.

Devon, with Henry de Bodrigan and Robert Giffard.

Cornwall, with the said Henry and Robert.

Oxford and Berks, with Hugh de Sancto Phileberto and Richard de Wyndesore.

Lincoln, with Adam de Welles and Gilbert de Briddeshale.

Nottingham and Derby, with Thomas de Furnivall and Edmund Deyncurt.

Southampton, with John Randolph and John le Fauconer.

Westmoreland, with Robert de Clyfford and Hugh de Multon.

Northampton, with Eustace de Hacche.

Rutland, with Theobald de Nevill.

Somerset, with Robert son of Payn and Walter de Pavely.

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Kent, with William de Leyburn and Henry de Cobham.
 Northumberland, with Robert de Hilton and John de Swynburn.
 Cumberland, with John de Wygeton and Robert Tilliol.
 Lancaster, with John de Hudleston and William de Dacre.
 Bedford and Buckingham, with Robert son of Nigel and John Neyrnut.
 Worcester, with John de Clinton the younger and Robert de Bracy.
 Warwick and Leicester, with Eustace de Hacche.
 Wilts, with the said Eustace.
 Salop and Stafford, with Ralph Basset of Drayton and Robert de Halghton.
 Richard de Masey, justice of Chester, with Hugh de Aldithelegh and Fulk le Estrange.

MEMBRANE 8d.

March 28. Westminster. To the sheriff of York. As the king wills that the Great Charter of the liberties of England of the late king and also the charter of the Forest shall be firmly and inviolably observed in all and singular their articles, he orders the sheriff to cause the charters to be read and publicly proclaimed in his full county [court] four times yearly, to wit in the first county [court] after Easter, the first one after Midsummer, the first after Michaelmas, and the first after Christmas, and to cause all and singular the articles contained in them to be firmly kept and observed. [*Fœdera*; Prynn, *Records*, iii. p. 848; Ryley, *Placita*, p. 481.]

The like to all the sheriffs of England in counties where there are king's forests, but in the other counties where there is no king's forest no mention is made of the charter of the Forest, but only of the Great Charter of liberties. [*Ibid.*]

April 1. Westminster. To Roger le Brabazon. Whereas the king has appointed him with others of his subjects to make perambulation in the king's forests in cos. Salop, Stafford and Derby; he orders him to be at Lychefeld on the morrow of the Ascension next, ready to set out thence to make such perambulation with the king's subjects aforesaid, whom the king has ordered to be there in person for this purpose. [Prynn, *Records*, iii, p. 849.]

The like to Ralph de Hengham, appointed to make perambulation in cos. Essex, Buckingham and Oxford, to be at ———* on the same day.

The like to Master John Lovel, appointed to make perambulation in cos. Somerset, Dorset and Devon, to be at ——— on the same day.

The like to John de Berewyk, appointed to make perambulation in cos. Southampton and Wilts, to be at ——— on the same day.

The like to William Inge, appointed to make perambulation in cos. Gloucester, Hereford, Worcester, and Warwick, to be at ——— on the same day.

John Druel, William Butevileyn, and Henry de Gildeford, appointed to make perambulation with Roger le Brabazon, are ordered to be at Lych[efeld] on the same day.

William Trussel, Stephen de Gravesende, and William de Sutton, appointed to make perambulation with Ralph de Hengham, are ordered to be at ———.

* Blank spaces are left in the roll for the names of the places.

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Gilbert de Knovill, John Gerebod, and Humphrey de Waleden, appointed to make perambulation with Master John Lovel, are ordered to be at ———.

Walter de Gloucestr[ia], Walter de Pavely, and John de Crokesle, appointed to make perambulation with John de Berewyk, are ordered to be at ———.

Henry de Cobham, William de Mortuo Mari, and Nicholas Fermbaud, appointed to make perambulation with William Inge, are ordered to be at ———. [*Ibid.*]

April 1.
Westminster.

To John de Lythegrayns. Whereas the king has appointed him with others of his subjects to make perambulation in the king's forests of Shirewode, Ingelwode, and Galtres; he orders him to be at York before the treasurer and barons of the exchequer in fifteen days from Easter, ready to set out thence to make such perambulation with the king's subjects aforesaid, whom the king has ordered to be there in person for this purpose. [*Ibid.*]

John Byrun, Michael de Hartecla, Harsculph de Cleseby, Adam de Crokedayk, and Richard Oysel, appointed to make perambulation with the aforesaid John, are ordered to be at York in person as above. [*Ibid.*]

May 1.
Stamford.

Thomas de Shefeld acknowledges that he owes to the king 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Enrolment of bond of John son of Roger de Boulton to Robert de Cliderhowo (*sic*), clerk, in 20*l.*, for payment whereof he charges himself and all his goods, moveable and immoveable, and his heirs, assigns and executors. Dated at York, on Wednesday after St. John ante Portam Latinam, 28 Edward.

Memorandum, that John came into chancery at York, on the said day, and acknowledged this deed, and granted that the sum shall be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

John le Latimer, who married Joan, the eldest daughter and co-heiress of William de Gouiz, tenant in chief, puts in his place Matthew le Blund to do and receive in chancery what the king's court shall consider of this that Petronilla, late the wife of the said William, has more in dower of Joan's inheritance than pertains to her.

Assignment of dower to Margaret, late the wife of Gilbert Urri, of the lands whereof Gilbert died seised in his demesne as of fee, to wit of two parts of the manor of Wicford, of which manor Margaret, his mother, is dowered of a third, taken by the king's writ on 6 March, 28 Edward, by the oath of Hubert de Brumford, William le Waleys, Richard Travers, John Clifman, John de Beuchomp, Elias de Langedon, Richard le Pather, John Maii, William Ame, John Ame, Hubert Burre, and John Huchum. First there are assigned to her the chief messuage within the enclosure for lack of other houses *unum solium cum cellario desuper* at the head of the hall on the south, and also five perches of garden near adjoining the said *solium*, with free ingress and egress to the field called 'Homfeld,' and also a third of two parts of the barn at the end on the west, and a third of two parts of the cow-house at the end on the west, and also a third of two parts of a void plot, containing 8½ perches in length and breadth, adjoining the garden of the aforesaid Margaret. There is also assigned to her a third of two parts of the toll of a windmill, which toll is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.*

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altogether. There are also assigned to her from the rents of assize there to be received from William Galeye 4*d.*, which rent is extended at 12*d.* yearly, and a cock (*gall'*) to be received from William at Christmas, and a boonwork (*precar'*) in autumn from him. There are also assigned to her from the arable land there in a field called 'Melnfeld' 19 acres; in the field called 'Westfeld' 16 acres; in the field called 'Hallefeld' 14 acres; in the field called 'Le Brache' 2½ acres; in the field called 'Leylond' 5½ acres. There are also assigned to her from the pasture there near the river 3 acres and near the meadow of Hubert de Brunford 3 acres. There are also assigned to her from the mowable meadow there near the said Hubert's meadow 1½ acres. Also of wood on the north 3 acres adjoining the dower of Margaret, Gilbert's mother. In testimony whereof the jurors have put their seals to this assignment. [*Inquisitio post Mortem*, 28 Ed. I, No. 12.]

Assignment of dower to Joan, late the wife of Edmund de Kemesek, made before the escheator from the lands whereof Edmund died seised in his demesne as of fee in co. Essex in the manor of Great Sampford, made on 23 February, 28 Edward, by Richard son of William, John de Hemestede, Laurence de Storteforde, William de Lakre, Baldwin de Hegham, Simon son of John, Robert the clerk, Richard le Cok, Bartholomew Adam, Geoffrey le Stobber', Bartholomew Sparue, and Peter de Tany, who say that they have assigned to Joan in dower from the chief messuage an old chamber *cum solio et desuper celario predictæ camere edificat'*; also an old barn on the east, and a quarter of the great barn at the east end, and a cow-house before the end of the said old barn with the pigsty (*porcheria*) at the end of the same cow-house, and a small chamber under the great gate near the said cow-house, and a chamber situate near Eldebery. They also assigned to her 1½ acres of garden near the cemetery of the church with free ingress and egress by a postern, which garden contains altogether 4½ acres; a plot of land called 'Little Eldebery,' with all the adjoining plot reaching from the aforesaid plot to the said old chamber, and the sollar (*solarium*), and the chamber assigned to her for a dairy (*dayeriam*), and also all the plot between her barn and the cow-house assigned to her up to the king's highway, with free ingress and egress by the middle of the great gate. There are also assigned to her a third of a windmill, which mill is extended at 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly. They also assigned to her from the rent of assize of the free tenants, customary tenants, 'melmen' and cottagers (*coterellor'*) 4*l.* 2*s.* 3¾*d.* yearly, which rent is extended altogether at 12*l.* 6*s.* 11½*d.* yearly, to be received from Richard de Boyton, Thomas de Yerdele, Robert de Lavenham, Alfred (*Alfredo*) de Honebrigg, Richard son of William, Roger Botolf, John 'in the Lane,' Thomas de Chalkston, Gilbert Kelehog, Robert Reynol, John Wigge, Thomas son of Robert, William le Hert, Robert the clerk, Robert Laverk, William atte Stille, Margery Coppingg, John le Hert, William Rys, William de Dedemor, John Dogerel, John de Polehey, Peter de Tany, Robert Wigg, Alice daughter of John, Thomas Kelehog, John the sheather (*raginator*), Richard Stelewymman, Walter Ballard, Robert Coppyng, William le Pipere, the heirs of Reginald Laverk, Nicholas le Webbe, and John Borre, as contained in the extent made thereof and returned into the king's court. They also assigned to her 20*d.* yearly from the ward-pennies (*wardepans*), which are extended altogether at 5*s.* yearly, to be received from John the sheather, Richard Stelewymman, Walter Ballard, Robert Coppyng, William le Pipere, the heirs of Reginald Laverke, William de Dedemor,

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Nicholas le Webbe, John Borre, and Walter son of Hugh, as contained in the extent. They also assigned to her $1\frac{1}{3}$ lbs. of pepper, to be received from Walter son of Derkyn; and a third of a pound of cumin to be received from John de Insula; and a third of five capons, to be received at Christmas from John the sheather. They also assign to her from the boon-works (*operibus*) of seven customary tenants (*customarij*) $204\frac{1}{3}$ works, which are extended altogether at 618 works, to be received from John the sheather, Richard Stelewymman, the tenants of the land formerly belonging to John Wolemar, and from John Wygge. They also assign to her in the field called 'Aldon' 10 acres of arable land as the metes and bounds witness, and in the field called 'Havelokesdoun' $33\frac{1}{2}$ acres, and in the field called 'Horsecroft' and Alummesfeld 30 acres, and in the field called 'Tolyerow' 4 acres, and in the field called 'Barlyfeld' 4 acres, and in the field called 'Melnefeld' 23 acres, and in the field called 'Dokettesfeld' 13 acres, and in the field called 'Loshawe' 5 acres, and in the field called 'Wodefeld' 7 acres, as the metes and bounds testify. They also assign to her from the mowable meadow in Barlifeld Made and Pond Made 3 acres, and in Brodemor $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres, and in Melmad $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres, as the metes and bounds testify. They also assign to her from the pasture: in Horsemor an acre, in Piryfeld Mad an acre, in Stamdon Mad half an acre, as the metes and bounds testify. They also assign to her from the wood: in a wood called 'Westwode' and Loshawe 13 acres and a rood of wood, as the metes and bounds testify. In testimony whereof the jurors have appended their seals.

Petronilla, late the wife of William de Gouiz, tenant in chief, puts in her place William de Dorcestre and John Blauncheval to demand and receive her dower in chancery.

May 4. Robert de Cestr[ia] acknowledges that he owes to William de Easton near Lutegarshale and William Sperry 16*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, Stamford. of his lands and chattels in co. Devon.

May 13. To the mayor and bailiffs of York. Order to permit Edmund, earl of Hilborough. Cornwall, to use and enjoy in that town the liberties that he and Richard, late king of Almain, his father, have hitherto used, of the king's special grace.

MEMBRANE 7d.

May 2. To the sheriff of Lincoln. As many more malefactors and disturbers Stamford. of the king's peace wander about the realm nowadays that were usual in times past, committing robberies, arsons and homicides, because the statute that the king caused to be made at Winchester on 8 October, in the thirteenth year of his reign, for the keeping of his peace in the realm has not been hitherto observed, wherefore the king wills that the statute shall be kept and observed henceforth in all and singular its articles: the king orders the sheriff to cause the statute, which the king sends to him sealed with his seal, to be proclaimed in his full county [court] four times a year, at the terms at which the king lately ordered the Great Charter of the liberties of England and the charter of the Forest to be read and published in the county [court], and to cause the statute to be firmly kept and observed in all and singular its articles so far as in him lies. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 850; Ryley, *Placita*, p. 480.]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

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*Membrane 7d—cont.*April 15.
St. Albans.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Whereas the king has granted to the people of his realm, in alleviation of the grievances that they have heretofore borne by reason of wars, and for the improvement of their condition, and so that they may show themselves more ready for his service and may more willingly afford him assistance in his affairs, certain articles that will profit them much: he orders the sheriff to cause the said articles, which the king sends to him sealed with his seal, to be read and publicly proclaimed in cities, boroughs, market towns, and all other places within his bailiwick where he shall deem fit, and to cause them to be firmly kept and observed so far as in him lies. [*Fœdera; Prynne, Records, iii, p. 848.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

May 4.
Easton near
Stamford.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to cause a regard to be made in the forest of Shirewode before the coming of the justices of the Forest, so that it be made before St. Peter ad Vincula.

[*Capitula.*]

* May 10.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Whereas Philip de Gayton, one of those of the sheriff's bailiwick whom the sheriff caused to be chosen by the king's special order by the assent of the coroners and community of the county and to be sent to York on the morrow of the Ascension, to do and execute those things that should be then enjoined upon them on the king's behalf for the observing the Great Charter of the liberties of England and the charter of the Forest, has been chosen in co. Warwick, and has been appointed by the king with other his subjects of that county to hear and determine trespasses against the tenors of the said charters, so that he cannot attend to the execution of the premises in the sheriff's county: the king orders the sheriff to cause another to be chosen in Philip's place by the assent of the coroners and community, who shall attend to these affairs in that county, together with those who were there chosen and who were sworn before the king for this purpose, according to the form of the power to be delivered to those elected and to him by the king, and to certify the king of the name of the one thus elected without delay, so that the king may cause his letters patents of their power to be made to them. [*Parl. Writs.*]

June 5.
Pontefract.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Whereas the king lately ordered the sheriff to induce, admonish, and require all merchants of the towns within his bailiwick to take victuals for sale to Carlisle about Midsummer next against the arrival of the king and of his army there; the king, as he has this matter much at heart, again orders the sheriff to require, admonish and induce all merchants within his bailiwick by all means that he shall deem fit to bring or cause to be brought victuals to the said place against the arrival of the king and his army with all possible speed, promising to them on the king's behalf that full and prompt satisfaction shall be made to them for such victuals. The sheriff is enjoined to so conduct himself on speedily executing this order that the king or any of the magnates of his army shall not in any way suffer through lack of victuals through the sheriff's negligence, for which the king would have to punish him and his goods (*ad te et tua graviter capere debeamus*).

The like to the following:

The sheriffs of Somerset and Dorset.

The sheriff of Devon.

The sheriff of Cornwall.

The sheriff of Gloucester.

The sheriff of Lancaster.

Richard de Masey, justice of Chester.

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To the sheriff of Norfolk. As the king greatly needs crossbowmen for the munition of the fleet of ships of Yarmouth and the adjoining parts [going] to Scotland, he orders the sheriff [to cause] immediately upon sight hereof up to twenty—[*Incomplete*].

June 7.
Pontefract

To the abbot and convent of Evesham. Request that they will admit into their house Roger de Cestr[ia], the king's serjeant at arms, who has long and faithfully served the king and has been maimed in his service, so that he is unable to serve the king any longer, and whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life his necessities in food and clothing for himself and a groom serving him.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Memorandum, that Joan, late the wife of John Wak, tenant in chief, did fealty to the king, on Tuesday before St. Barnabas, at Pontefract for all the lands that John lately surrendered to the king and of which the king afterwards enfeoffed John and her, and she took oath there that she would not marry without the king's licence; and the king, in consideration of the tender age of Thomas, son and heir of John, delivered him to Joan for custody, on condition that she should always have him ready to deliver to the king at his will.

MEMBRANE 6d.

June 10.
Brotherton.

To Richard de Bingham and Robert Jorz. Whereas the king lately appointed them to choose fifteen hundred footmen in co. Nottingham, and to bring them to him at Carlisle, so that they should be there with suitable arms on the third or fourth day after Midsummer next at the latest, ready to set out thence with the king at his wages against the Scots, and he has now appointed Roger de Sutton, his clerk, to pay to the said footmen their wages until they come to the king at the said place, and has caused Roger to be sent to Richard and Robert for this purpose: he orders them to bring the said footmen to him at the said place by the third or fourth day after Midsummer. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the following knights:

Henry de Braylesford and Giles de Menill to choose 1,500 footmen in co. Derby, with the said clerk.

John de Swyneburne and Walter de Burnden to choose 3,000 footmen in co. Northumberland, with Robert de Barton, clerk.

Robert de Holand and Matthew de Redman to choose 2,000 footmen in co. Lancaster, with Henry de Crayst[ok], clerk. [*Ibid.*]

June 16.
Temple
Cowton.

Roger de Ryvill acknowledges that he owes to John le Hayward 60 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

June 28.
Carlisle.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, Master Thomas Cantok, chancellor, and Richard de Bereford, treasurer of Ireland. Whereas the king lately ordered the justiciary and chancellor and William de Estdene, then treasurer of Ireland, to cause 3,000 quarters of wheat in pure and dry grain, 2,000 quarters of oats, 300 tuns of wine, and ten thousands (*millenarits*) of dried fish to be provided in Ireland for his use, and to cause them to be sent to the port of Skynburnesse near Carlisle, so that he should have them there at Midsummer last; and the king is now at Carlisle, ready to set out thence for Scotland: the king again orders them to cause the said victuals, with other necessities that they can

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provide, to be sent to the aforesaid port for the expedition aforesaid as quickly as possible, as the king has enjoined upon the justiciary by word of mouth. They are ordered to induce, admonish, and require all merchants of those parts on the king's behalf, in the best way possible, to bring and cause to be brought victuals to him in Scotland, promising them that full and prompt satisfaction shall be made to them therefor. They are enjoined to conduct themselves so in speedily executing this order that the king or the other magnates of his army shall not suffer from want of victuals through their negligence, whereby the expedition of the king's undertaking might be delayed.

June 28.
Carlisle.

To the mayor, bailiffs and men of Dublin. Whereas the king lately ordered them to admonish and require all merchants of that city to bring and cause to be brought victuals to Carlisle about Midsummer last; and the king is now at Carlisle, ready to set out thence for Scotland: the king again orders them to require and induce the merchants by all means that they shall deem fit to bring or cause to be brought victuals for sale as abundantly and speedily as they can, promising them that full and prompt satisfaction shall be made to them therefor. They are enjoined, as they tender the king's honour and the advantage of his realm, to apply such diligence in this behalf that the expedition of the king's undertaking shall not be retarded for lack of victual.

The like to the mayors, bailiffs and men of the following cities:

Waterford.

Lymerik.

Drogheda.

Kilkenny.

Cork.

Rospont.

June 30.
Carlisle.

To the abbot and convent of Cirencester. Request that they will admit into their house Guy de Bedeford, the king's sergeant, who has long and faithfully served the king, and whom he has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing, according to the requirements of his estate.

By K. on the information of John de Droknesford.

The like to the abbot and convent of Seleby for Gilbert le Braconer.

By K. on the information of John de Droknesford.

The like to the abbot and convent of St. Augustine's, Bristol, for John de Yatinden.

By K. on the information of John de Droknesford.

Memorandum, that John de Warmwell, attorney of Petronilla, late the wife of William de Gouiz, tenant in chief, to receive in chancery her dower, came into chancery at Egliston in the quinzaine of Holy Trinity, and demanded her dower. But, as John le Latimer, who married Joan, the eldest daughter and co-heir of William, was not then in chancery, the said attorney was told by the chancellor to return without a day, and that he should be ready to receive the dower in chancery whenever he should be summoned for this purpose.

Memorandum, that John, son and heir of Roger de Sumery, tenant in chief, did homage to the king, on Saturday after SS. Peter and Paul, at Carlisle in the king's chamber within the castle, in the presence of John de Warenn[a], earl of Surrey and Sussex, Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, John de Hasting, John de Segrave and many other magnates of the realm of England.

July 1.
Carlisle.

John le Hayward, the king's butler, acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Bruges 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

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*Membrane 6d—cont.*July 4.
Carlisle.

John de Cove, William de Vallibus, and Walter de Bernyngham acknowledge that they owe to Thomas de Grey 30 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk.

Master William de Apperle acknowledges that he owes to John de Bentele 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Wilts.

Cancelled on payment.

Thomas de Furnivall acknowledges that he owes to Robert de la Warde 50 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Memorandum, that one part of the indenture of the final account of Walter de Langeton, late bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, late keeper of the king's wardrobe, to wit for the twenty-second and twenty-third years of the reign, was delivered to Adam de Osgodeby, keeper of the rolls of chancery, by the king's council at Carlisle on Wednesday after Midsummer, to be kept in chancery in testimony of the rendering of the account.

July 10.
Caerlaverock.

William de Saunford acknowledges that he owes to John de Bray, clerk, 1*6s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

John de Hassefold acknowledges that he owes to John de Godele 33*l.* 8*s.* 0*¾d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Sussex.

Nicholas de Guldeford, parson of the church of Cestreton, acknowledges that he owes to William le Forte 19*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Stafford.

*Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by William, as appears by his letter appended hereto (pendente).**

July 16.
Dumfries.

The abbot of St. Mary's, York, came before the king, on Saturday before St. Margaret, and sought to replevy his land in Snayth, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Alesia, late the wife of Edmund de Lacy. This is signified to the justices.

July 4.
Carlisle.

To the abbot of Furnays. Order to send a strong horse not (*enitum*) to the chancery at York by one of his men before St. James next, there to be delivered to John de Longeton, the chancellor, as the king greatly needs a strong and good horse to carry the rolls of his chancery.

Membrane 6d—Schedule.

*Letter from William le Fort, yeoman of Sir Adam de Osgodeby, to the latter, desiring him to cancel the recognisance made to William by Nicholas de Guldeford for 19*l.* when requested to do so by Nicholas, as William has been paid this sum in full. Dated at London, the eve of St. Bartholomew, 34 Edward.*

* As a schedule to this Membrane.

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July 10.
Caerlaverock.

To the sheriff of Salop. Order to cause a regard to be made in the forest of Wroken before the coming of the justices of the Forest so that it shall be made before Michaelmas.

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Aug. 7.
Caerlaverock

Richard, earl of Arundel, acknowledges that he owes to Henry de Percy 2,000 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Surrey and Hereford.—This recognisance was made before the king at the said day and place, and was sent to the chancellor under the privy seal.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged before the bishop of Worcester.

July 15.
Caerlaverock

To the coroners and whole community of the counties of Oxford and Berks. Order to choose, if they wish, as sheriff for those counties one who best knows and can execute the office, and to present him to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer on the morrow of Michaelmas next by a lawful and circumspect man on their behalf with their letters patent under the seals of six of the more discreet and upright knights of those counties, so that he may there, after taking the usual oath, do and exercise what pertains to the office of sheriff in those counties, as the king has granted to his people among other things for the common utility of his realm that they may have, if they wish, the election of sheriffs in each county of the realm where there are no sheriffs of fee. They are informed that if they do not present such an elect on the said day, the treasurer and barons will provide the king with a sheriff to be set over them.

The like to the coroners and whole community of each county of England, except the counties wherein there are sheriffs of fee, to wit cos. Worcester, Cornwall, Rutland, Westmoreland and Lancaster.

July 17.
Dumfries.

Gilbert le Flemeng of Newcastle-on-Tyne acknowledges that he owes to John de Drokenesford 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northumberland.

July 21.
Kirkcud-
bright.

The abbot of St. Mary's, York, came before the king, on Thursday before St. Margaret, and sought to replevy his land in Snayth, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Alesia, late the wife of Edmund de Lacy. This is signified to the justices.

July 25.
Kirkcud-
bright.

John de Askham of York acknowledges that he owes to John de Wyresdale 15*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

July 27.
Kirkcud-
bright.

John de Somery, John Perceval of Somery, Robert Sautcheverel, Geoffrey de Shepeye, and Thomas de Radeclive acknowledge that they owe to Agnes, late the wife of Roger de Somery, 100*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Warwick, Derby, Nottingham, and Leicester.

July 28.
Kirkcud-
bright.

To the prior and convent of Worcester. Request that they will admit into their house Stephen Mewe, who has long and faithfully served the king, and whom the king is sending to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life, according to the requirements of his estate.

By K. on the information of John de Drokenesford.

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Aug. 3.
Twynholm
(*Treynham*).

Roger de Skelton came before the king, on Wednesday after St. Peter ad Vincula, and sought to replevy to the abbot of St. Mary's, York, the latter's land in Snayth, which was taken into the king's hands for the abbot's default before the justices of the Bench against Alesia, late the wife of Edmund de Lacy. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

Aug. 4.
Twynholm.

To the abbot and convent of Eynsham. Request that they will admit into their house Gilbert le Braconer, who has long and faithfully served the king, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing, according to the requirements of his estate.

By K. on the information of John de Drokenesford.

Aug. 16.
Wigtown in
Galloway
(*Wygge-ton in
Galloway*).

John de Camera came before the king, on Tuesday after the Assumption, and sought to replevy to the abbot of St. Mary's, York, the latter's land in Snayth, which was taken into the king's hands for the abbot's default before the justices of the Bench against Alesia, late the wife of Edmund de Lacy. This is signified to the justices.

Aug. 16.
Wigtown in
Galloway.

To the abbot and convent of Croyland. Request that they will admit into their house Roger de Cestr[ia], the king's sergeant at arms, who has long and faithfully served the king and who was maimed in his service, and whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing with a groom serving him, according to the requirements of his estate, certifying the king by their letters of their proceedings in this matter.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.

Aug. 27.
Sweetheart
Abbey.

John de Camera came before the king, on Saturday after St. Bartholomew, and sought to replevy to the abbot of St. Mary's, York, the latter's land in Snayth, which was taken into the king's hands for the abbot's default before the justices of the Bench against Alesia, late the wife of Edmund de Lacy. This is signified to the justices.

Aug. 30.
Sweetheart
Abbey.

William de Houeden came before the king, on Tuesday after the Decollation of St. John the Baptist, and sought to replevy the land of Margaret, daughter of Robert de Crul, in Amcotes, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices of the Bench against Robert de Amcotes. This is signified to the justices.

Aug. 10.
Girthon
(*Gerton*).

Guy Ferre, the younger, and John Boteturte acknowledge that they owe to Ralph de Gorges 1,200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Norfolk and Cambridge.—This recognisance was made at Gerton in Galloway before the king, and was sent to chancery by writ of privy seal.

Cancelled on payment.

Sept. 6.
Holme
Caltrum.

John de Camera came before the king, on Tuesday before the Nativity of St. Mary, and sought to replevy the land of the abbot of St. Mary's, York, in Snayth, to the latter, which was taken into the king's hands for the abbot's default before the justices of the Bench against Alesia, late the wife of Edmund de Lacy. This is signified to the justices.

Aug. 24.
Southwick
(*Suthayk in
Galwia*).

William de Ros of Belvoir (*de Belvero*) acknowledges that he owes to Payn de Tybotot 200*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. York, Lincoln, and Leicester.—This recognisance was made before the king at the said day and place, and was sent to the chancery under the privy seal.

Aug. 24.
Southwick.

John de Columbariis, knight, acknowledges that he owes to John Bluet and Joan, his sister, 200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment,

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of his lands and chattels in cos. Essex, Hertford, and Bedford.—This recognisance was made before the king at the said day and place, and was sent to the chancery under the privy seal.

Sept. 15.

Holme
Cultram.

William le Pestur of Selby came before the king, on Thursday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, and sought to replevy to Margaret, daughter of Robert de Crul, her land in Amc[otes], which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices of the Bench against Robert de Amcotes. This is signified to the justices.

Memorandum, that Edmund le Butiller, brother and heir of Theobald le Butiller, did homage to the king at Carlaverok, on 30 August, for all the lands that Theobald at his death held of the king in chief.

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Sept. 18.
Ravenhead.

William le Pestur of Seleby came before the king, on Sunday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, and sought to replevy to the abbot of St. Mary's, York, the latter's land in Snayth, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Alesia, late the wife of Edmund de Lacy. This is signified to the justices.

Sept. 17.
Rose Castle
(La Rose).

William Persone of Florence acknowledges that he owes to Reginald Leopard 12 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in the city of London.

Sept. 24.
Rose Castle.

To the abbot and convent of Keynesham. Request that they will admit into their house Gilbert le Braconer, who has long and faithfully served the king, and whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life, according to the requirements of his estate.

By K.

The like to the prior and convent of Bath for John de Yatindene.

The like to the prior and convent of Lilleshull for John Cok.

Sept. 25.
Rose Castle.

To the barons, men and whole community of the Cinque Ports. Whereas the king intends to have a conference (*tractatum*) in his parliament at Lincoln in the octaves of St. Hilary next concerning the contentions and disputes between them, on the one part, and his men of Yarmouth, on the other, as to which both parties have wholly submitted themselves to his decision (*dicto*) and will, and intends then to put an end to the disputes: he orders them to send to him at the said day and place three or four men from each of the said ports, having full and sufficient power for themselves and the whole community of the ports, to hear the king's decision and will in this behalf, and to do and receive further what he shall cause to be ordained by his council in this behalf, which day the king has also given to the said men. It is provided that those whom they shall thus send shall have such power that the matter shall not remain incomplete for lack of such power. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the barons, men, and whole community of the following ports, to send three or four men, with the exception of Little Yarmouth, which is ordered to send two or three men.

Wynchelese.

Dover.

Hastings.

La Rye.

Sandwich.

Yarmouth.

Romenhale.

Little Yarmouth.

The like to Robert de Burghersh, warden of the Cinque Ports, to send three or four men from each port. [*Ibid.*]

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Sept. 13.
Holme
Cultram.

To the abbot of Furnays. Whereas the king lately ordered him to send a strong horse, not (*evitum*), to carry the rolls of chancery from the chancery to York, so that it should be there before St. James last, there to be delivered to John de Langeton, the chancellor, and the abbot has not sent any horse or replied in any way to the king's order, at which the king is astonished, more especially as the abbot promised to the king's clerk, whom the king sent to him with his letters in this behalf, that he would send such horse to the chancery, as the clerk has given the king to understand: the king orders the abbot, as he ordered him before, to send a good, strong horse, not (*evitum*), to York to the chancery by one of his men, so that it shall be there at the quinzaine of Michaelmas next, there to be delivered to the chancellor, for the aforesaid purpose. If the abbot do not do so, he shall be there himself in chancery to answer to the king for his contempt.

Oct. 1.
Holme
Cultram.

John de Camera came before the king, on Saturday after Michaelmas, and sought to replevy to the abbot of St. Mary's, York, the latter's land in Snayth, which was taken into the king's hands for the abbot's default before the justices of the Bench against Alesia, late the wife of Edmund de Lacy. This is signified to the justices.

Oct. 5.
Holme
Cultram.

John de Islepe acknowledges that he owes to Alexander de Hecham 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.—The chancellor received the acknowledgment.

Oct. 9.
Holme
Cultram.

Peter Bekard acknowledges that he owes to John Spring 23*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Oct. 15.
Carlisle.

William Darel, John Maunsel, Robert Oliver, John de Neuby, Marmaduke Darel, Marmaduke de Heton, and Master Henry Touke acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, dean of St. Peter's, York, 120*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Sept. 25.
Rose Castle.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Request for the celebration of exequies for the soul of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, the king's kinsman, lately deceased, and that he will order all the men of religion and other ecclesiastics subjected to him to aid with their prayers. [*Fœdera.*]

The like to T. archbishop of York, all the bishops of England and Wales, thirty abbots, and the master of the order of Sempyngham. [*Ibid.*]

Enrolment of grant by Walter de Helyun to John de Helyun, his son, for his service, and to the heirs of his body of all his lands in Westhyda; with remainder in default of such heirs to Peter de Helyun, Walter's eldest son, and to the heirs of his body; with remainder in default of such heirs to Henry son of Fulk de Penebrugge and to the heirs of his body; with remainder in default of such heirs to Fulk son of the said Fulk and to the heirs of his body; to have and to hold of Walter, rendering therefor 1*d.* at Michaelmas yearly for all service due to him, and doing to the chief lords of the fee for Walter the services due to them; with remainder over to Walter and his heirs. Witnesses: Robert de Ch[a]undos, Roger de Boruhulle, knights; Payn de Boruhulle, John de Selers, Walter de Frenne, Richard de Byseleye, Ralph Barun.

Memorandum, that Walter came into chancery at York, on Thursday after St. Luke, and acknowledged the aforesaid deed.

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Richard de Lavynton and William de Moreby acknowledge that they owe to Richard de Stoppesle 26s. 8d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

Ralph de Claxton, chaplain, acknowledges that he owes to Nicholas de Okham 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Bedford.

Cancelled on payment.

Oct. 13.
Carlisle.

Master Thomas de Suthwerk, parson of the church of Stayngreve, acknowledges that he owes to John de Shefeld, clerk, 60 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. York and Southampton.

Cancelled on payment.

Hugh de Jernemutha acknowledges that he owes to John de Suthwell, clerk, 20s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Surrey, Lincoln, and York.

Oct. 24.
Dumfries.

William son of Robert Pasey came before the king, on Sunday after St. Luke, and sought to replevy the advowson of the church of Neub[ald] Pasey, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against the prior of St. Oswald's. This is signified to the justices.

Nov. 3.
Dumfries.

William de Hamelton came before the king, on Thursday after All Saints, and sought to replevy his land in Gynge Munteny, Gynge Joyberd, and Botulvespirye, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Maud, late the wife of Edmund de Fuleham. This is signified to the justices.

Sept. 25.
Rose Castle.

To the sheriff of York. As the king wills that no tournaments, tiltings (*burdicie*), or jousts shall be made by any one of his realm during the war between him and his enemies, he orders the sheriff to cause proclamation to be made immediately upon sight hereof throughout his whole bailiwick, prohibiting in the king's name any knight, esquire or other from tourneying, tilting or jousting, seeking adventures, or presuming to go with arms in any way without the king's special licence, under pain of forfeiture of life and limbs and of all that they hold in the realm. The sheriff is ordered to arrest any whom he shall find thus going with arms after the proclamation, together with their horses and armour, and to cause them to be kept safely until otherwise ordered by the king. He is enjoined to so conduct himself in speedily executing this order that the king may not have to punish him (*ad te . . . graviter capere*) for his default.

The like to all the sheriffs of England.

MEMBRANE 3d.

Sept. 26.
Rose Castle.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Summons to attend a parliament to be held at Lincoln in the octaves of St. Hilary next, as the king lately granted that the charter of the Forest shall be observed in all its articles, appointing certain of his subjects in each county where there are forests of his to make perambulations in the forests, with provision that the perambulation should be sent to him before any execution thereof or anything should be made, and that the king's oath, the right of the crown, and the king's proofs and claims as well as the right, proofs and claims of all

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others should be saved; and the king, although his said subjects have brought to him what they have done in this matter, could not make an end of the matter in good manner without the counsel of the prelates, earls, barons and other magnates of the realm, as they were not then by his side, in whose presence he wishes the proofs of himself and others to be propounded and heard, and with whose counsel he intends to work in this matter, as he said at another time, especially as they are bound with him by oath to observe and maintain the rights of the realm and crown, and also because those who had to propound their proofs as far as this matter concerned them had been warned thereof, and he wishes to have treaty and conference with the prelates, earls, barons and magnates and with others of the community of the realm upon this and other arduous affairs, as he desires that this affair may be hastened as much as he can, so that it shall not be his fault if it be not put into effect without further delay. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to T. archbishop of York, eighteen bishops, eighty abbots, the master of the order of Sempingham, the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England, and the master of the military order of the Temple in England. [*Ibid.*]

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Rose Castle.

To John de Warennia, earl of Surrey. Summons to attend the said parliament. [*Ibid.*]

The like to eight earls and eighty others. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 26.
Rose Castle.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause two knights for that county, two citizens from each city and two burgesses from each borough in the county to come before the king at the said parliament, sending those who came by the king's order to his last parliament, choosing others to take the place of those who may have died or be unable to come owing to infirmity, and to cause them to have their expenses in coming to the parliament, staying there, and returning thence. The king also orders him, as he has done before, to cause proclamation to be made that all those who have lands within the bounds of the king's forest and who wish to challenge in any way the perambulation shall be before the king in his said parliament, to show any proofs and challenges that they have. [*Ibid.*; Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 855.]

The like to the sheriffs of twenty-two counties wherein there are forests. [*Ibid.*]

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Like order to send knights, citizens and burgesses, omitting the clauses about payment of their expenses and about the proclamation concerning the perambulation. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriffs of twelve counties where there are no forests. [*Ibid.*]

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause to come before the king at the said parliament all the foresters of fee of his bailiwick, to treat and give their counsel concerning the premises. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 26.
Rose Castle.

To Master Reginald de Braundon. As the king wishes to have special conference and treaty with those skilled in law and with others of his council concerning the right and dominion due to the king in the realm of Scotland and that his ancestors, kings of England, had therein in times past; he orders Reginald to be with him at Lincoln in the octaves

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of St. Hilary next, to treat and to give his counsel concerning the premises with the king and others of his council. [*Ibid.*; Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 884.]

The like to fifteen others. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 26.
Rose Castle.

To John de Metingham. Order to be present at the said day and place, to treat and give his counsel upon the said affairs with the king and with others of his council. [*Ibid.*]

The like to twenty-one others. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 26.
Rose Castle.

To the chancellor and university of Oxford. Order to send four or five of the more discreet and most expert in written law in that university to the aforesaid parliament, to treat and give their counsel upon the said affairs with the king and with others of his council. [*Ibid.*; *Fædera.*]

To the chancellor and university of Cambridge. Like order to send two or three such men. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 26.
Rose Castle

To the abbot and convent of Westminster. As the king wishes to have conference and treaty as above, he orders the abbot and convent to search diligently all chronicles, archives, and secret papers (*secretis*) of their house, and to send whatever they may find that relates to the realm of Scotland in any way to the king at his said parliament by one of their men in whom they have confidence and who shall have fuller knowledge of this matter. [*Ibid.*]

The like to twenty-eight abbots and priors and convents. [*Ibid.*]

The like to seventeen deans and chapters, abbots and convents, and priors and convents. [*Ibid.*]

MEMBRANE 2d.

Sept. 25.
Rose Castle.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia]. Order to be with the king at his parliament aforesaid, to treat and give his counsel with the prelates and magnates, with whom the king wishes to have conference and treaty for the reasons stated in the order to the archbishop of Canterbury (p. 408, *above*), bringing with him all the perambulations of the forests in divers counties that the king ordered to be made by him and his fellows, together with the memoranda and other things touching the paramutations. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to seventeen others. [*Ibid.*]

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Ralph de Barton came before the king, on Friday after All Saints last, and sought to replevy to William de Burdale the latter's land in Barton, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Adam de Pulhou. This is signified to the justices.

Oct. 23.
Dumfries.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the late king's great charter of the liberties of England to be firmly observed before them in the exchequer in all and singular its articles, as the king wills that the said charter, which he has confirmed and renewed, shall be firmly and inviolably observed in all its articles. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 855.]

Oct. 30.
Dumfries.

To the justices of the Bench. Order to cause the articles that the king has granted to the people of his realm for the alleviation of their grievances sustained by reason of the late wars, which articles the king sends them under his seal, to be observed and kept firmly before them in the Bench.

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Oct. 23.
Dumfries.

William de Ros of Ingmanthorp, the elder, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, dean of St. Peter's church, York, 11*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

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To G. bishop of Worcester. The king understands that the bishop has publicly and inhumanly prohibited in the town of Gloucester anyone from buying or selling bread, wine, ale, or any victuals necessary for maintenance from or to the prior and canons of St. Oswald's of that town, under pain of excommunication, at which the king is greatly surprised and moved. As such inhibition redounds to the prejudice of the king's crown and the injury of his royal dignity, and as the king cannot tolerate such an innovation (*insolentiam*), but wills that all of his realm indifferently and others who are in his faith and peace may buy and sell victuals and other things for sale in the realm, he inhibits the bishop from attempting to make any such inhibitions hereafter, and orders him to cause to be revoked speedily any that he may have made or any sentences of excommunication that he may have pronounced (*protuleritis*) in this behalf, so that it may not be necessary for the king to apply a remedy through the bishop's default. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 857.]

To the vice-gerent of Master Gerard de Wyspayns, archdeacon of Richmond, during his absence in parts beyond sea. Whereas the king's clerks ought not to be molested or disquieted to take orders or to make personal residence in their benefices or otherwise concerning them while they are in the king's service, and the king and his progenitors, kings of England, have always used heretofore such liberty or privilege for his clerks from time out of mind that such clerks have not been wont to be compelled at any times past concerning such things or otherwise concerning their benefices: the king inhibits the vice-gerent from compelling Adam de Osgodeby, parson of the church of Haukeswell in that archdeaconry, who is continuously engaged in the king's services by his order, concerning these things or from disquieting him otherwise concerning his benefice while he is engaged in the king's service, and orders him to cause any sequestration of the fruits or goods of the benefice that he may have caused to be made in this behalf to be released without delay. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 858.]

Memorandum, that the extents and inquisitions of the knights' fees that belonged to William de Fortibus, sometime earl of Albemarle, are on the files for the sixteenth year.

Nov. 7.
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Leicester and Warwick. Order to go in person to Warwick on Sunday after the octaves of St. Martin, and to cause the king's late inhibition of tournaments [*as at p. 408, above*] to be publicly proclaimed, and to cause all earls, barons, knights and others whom he shall find to have come thither for this reason to be inhibited on the king's behalf from tourneying, tilting (*burdiare*) or jousting or otherwise going with arms there or elsewhere in the realm, under pain of forfeiture of all that they can forfeit, and if he find any one presuming to contravene this inhibition to cause their horses and armour (*hernesia*) to be arrested and kept safely until otherwise ordered, and to put those thus contravening by mainprise to be at the parliament at Lincoln in the octaves of St. Hilary next to answer to the king for the premises, and order to have there the names of those thus put upon mainprise and the names of their mainperners, as although the king made the aforesaid inhibition of

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tournaments before Michaelmas last, during his return from Galloway (*Galwithie*), in the presence of certain earls, barons and other magnates of the realm then with him at Carlaverok, he understands that some persons have caused a tournament at Warwick to be proclaimed, and have fixed the aforesaid Sunday for it, in contempt of the king's inhibition aforesaid.

MEMBRANE 1d.

Nov. 3
Carlisle.

To the sheriff of Kent. The king lately, considering that the estate of the realm received great loss and damage by the forgers who brought false, deceitful and corrupt money into it from parts beyond sea, caused to be ordained in his parliament at Stebenhethe near London, among other things, that all those bringing into his realm or elsewhere within his power sterlings from parts beyond sea should forthwith present themselves before the keepers of the ports in which they arrive in order to deliver to them the money brought with them, to be sent by the keepers to the nearest assayers of the king's money for view and proof whether the money be good and lawful, as is more fully contained in the said ordinance, which the king sent to the sheriff and to other sheriffs under his seal, ordering him to cause the ordinance and all the articles contained in it to be publicly proclaimed in cities, boroughs, market towns and other places in his bailiwick where he should deem fit, and to cause keepers to be appointed and sworn in every port and place in which ships, boats or any vessels may arrive for the observance of the ordinance; and since, owing to the ordinance not being executed or observed in due manner through the fault and negligence of the sheriff and of the keepers, a certain quantity of money in entirely false sterlings forged under the king's name and royal title by hateful presumption, whereof the king has seen a great part, and which are so like his true and lawful money of sterlings now made in many places within the realm that they can scarcely be distinguished from them by any one, lately brought into the realm, which occurrence may justly be ascribed to the sheriff and the keepers, has been arrested in the hands of certain merchants from parts beyond sea, and a far greater sum of such false sterlings has been forged in the said parts in order to be brought into the realm, as appears by the assertion and confession of the said merchants or rather forgers, to the subversion of the king's money of his own dye (*cuneo*): the king, lest greater and worse losses and damages succeed to the previous ones, orders the sheriff, as he has ordered him at another time, to consider the premises intently, and to cause the ordinance in all its articles to be again (*adhuc*) published throughout all the ports and places whatsoever in his bailiwick in which there is or may be any arrival of ships, under the penalties contained in the ordinance, and to cause it to be firmly observed, appointing keepers in places where it shall seem expedient and where there were none before, and to cause all ports and places where there is ingress in his bailiwick to be kept by the said keepers with such diligence that by the sheriff's and their industry and diligence the malice of the forgers may be obviated who scheme to commit such deceit and fraud. The sheriff and the keepers are enjoined to so conduct themselves in diligently executing the premises and in completing them with watchful care and with all their power, that they shall not fall into the pains aforesaid, which the king wills they shall incur if they happen to be found negligent in this matter.

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The like to the sheriffs of the following counties, keepers and justices :

Essex and Hertford.
 Surrey and Sussex.
 Southampton.
 Somerset and Dorset.
 Devon.
 Cornwall.
 Gloucester.
 Lancaster.
 Lincoln.
 York.
 Northumberland.
 Cumberland.
 Hereford.
 London.

Robert de Burghersh, warden of the Cinque Ports.

John de Havering, justice of Wales.

John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. .

Richard de Masey, justice of Chester.

The keeper of Berwick.

Otto de Grandi Sono, keeper of the islands of Gerneseye and
 Gereseye, or to him who supplies his place.

The like to the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk, with an additional clause ordering him to cause inquisition to be made as to what port or ports, place or places in his bailiwick the said false money was brought to after the aforesaid ordinance, and how it was brought, and to attach the keepers of the port or place to which it was brought, so that he shall have them before the king in the octaves of St. Hilary next to answer to him in this behalf and to do further what his court shall consider.

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MEMBRANE 17.

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Nov. 23. To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the forest of Galtres. Order to cause William de Hamelton, dean of York, to have in that forest twenty bucks, of the king's gift.
Knaresborough.
- Nov. 24. To the keeper of the manor of Misne. Order to cause John de Mettingham to have in the king's wood of that wood ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.
Knaresborough.
- Nov. 27. To the chapter of St. John's church, Beverley. The king sends to them the banner (*vexillum*) of St. John, which he had with him in his war in Scotland, by Geoffrey de Welleford, chaplain, and Robert de Haliwell, his clerks, the exhibitors of the presents. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 910.]
Aberford. In like manner the banner of St. Cuthbert, which the king had with him in the war, is sent back to the prior and convent of Durham by Brother William de Gretham, monk of that house, and Henry de Craystok, king's clerk.
- Nov. 24. To Nicholas Fermbaud, constable of Bristol castle. Order, as at another time, not to intermeddle further with the custody of the house of St. Mark, Billeswyk, or with its appurtenances, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of its voidance by the resignation of Brother Robert de Radingges, and to restore to the master and brethren thereof any issues received from the house or its manors, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent, that the custody of the house upon each voidance pertains to John Abbadam and Elizabeth, his wife, and not to the king, by reason of the manor of Winterburn Gunnore, which the brethren of the house hold of the king in socage, nor by any other reason, because the house is of the foundation of Elizabeth's ancestors, and that the chaplains of the house have been hitherto wont to present their elect to Elizabeth's ancestors upon each voidance since the time of the foundation.
Knaresborough.
- Nov. 30. To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order, at the instance of Queen Margaret, the king's consort, and of Edward, his son, to cause the prior and convent of Carlisle to have in the forest of Ingelwode twenty oaks fit for timber for the construction of the houses of the priory, of the king's gift.
Doncaster.
- Dec. 3. To the same. Order, at the instance of John de Britannia, to cause the prior and convent of Wederhale to have in the forest of Ingelwode twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.
Worksop. By K. on the information of the treasurer.
- Dec. 6. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Adam de Everingham, son and heir of Robert de Everingham, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the king and the king has taken his homage.
Newstead in Sherwood. By p.s. [2234.]
The like to Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent.

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Dec. 3. To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Workshop. to be elected in place of Ralph de Eyncurt, who is incapacitated by
infirmity.

Dec. 23. Peter son of Simon de Weynflet, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death
Northampton. of Thomas son of Adam North, wherewith he is charged, has letters to
bail him until the first assize.

Peter de Wrangel of Weinflet, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of
Alan son of William son of Walter de Thorp, wherewith he is charged,
has letters to bail him until the first assize.

John Doune of Lakinghith and William le Taillur of Lakinghith,
imprisoned at Melton for the death of Richard 'in the Halk' in Ereswelle,
wherewith they are charged, have letters to bail them.

To John de Britannia, the king's nephew. Order to deliver David de
Stredborgil, a Scot, the king's enemy and prisoner, who is in John's
custody by the king's commission, to Guy de Bello Campo, earl of
Warwick, as the king has given him to Guy to do his will with him.

Dec. 28. To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him
Northampton. who supplies his place. Order to cause Roger le Brabanzoun to have in
the king's wood of Gotesle, which is within the bounds of the king's
forest of Rokingham, twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

Dec. 30. To the sheriff of Leicester. Order to deliver in bail Richard Maunsel
Northampton. of Tirlington, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of Robert le Chapman
of Killeworth (*sic*), whereof he is appealed, as the king learns by an
inquisition taken by the sheriff and by the coroners of the county that
Richard is appealed of the said death out of envy and hatred.

Dec. 30. Richard Maunsel of Tirlington, imprisoned at Warwick for the death
Northampton. of Robert le Chapman of Kibbeworth, whereof he is appealed, has letters
to the sheriff of Leicester to bail him.

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Jan. 4. To William de Curzon, keeper of the king's manor of Burgh. Whereas
Northampton. the king lately, at the prosecution of Robert son of Robert Baynard—
suggesting that Walter Dukskyn (*sic*), Robert atte Stone, and Simon de
Ryston, then bailiffs of Queen Eleanor, the king's late consort, had occupied
against the said Robert Baynard, father of the said Robert son of Robert,
of whom Robert is the heir, beyond the lands in Haubois that Bartholo-
mew de Redham recovered in the king's court at Aylesham against the
said Robert by the recognition of an assize of novel disseisin there taken
between them, which lands afterwards came to the hands of the said queen
by demise from Bartholomew, ten messuages, seven cottages, 46 acres of
land, 3 acres of meadow, four acres of alder-holt, 8s. of rent, and a third of
a messuage in the town of Haubois, together with fifteen villeins and their
chattels and *sequele* and with free fishery in the water of Haubois, and three
messuages, 30 acres of land, and 5s. of rent in the town of Scothowe,
which town was not contained in the original writ, and appropriated the
lands thus occupied to the use of the said queen together with the lands
recovered by recognition of the assize aforesaid — appointed John
Buteturte, William Haward, and William de Carleton, or two of them
who shall happen to be present, to enquire by the oath of the jurors
of the said assize and of other men suspected by neither party from
what lands the said Robert Baynard was ejected after the judgment was
rendered in the assize aforesaid beyond the lands thus recovered, and in
what towns they are, and by whom he was ejected, and when, and in
whose hands they now are, and in what manner he was ejected; and it

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is found by the inquisition taken by them that the aforesaid Walter, Robert and Simon occupied upon the said Robert Baynard, beyond the lands recovered by the recognition of the assize aforesaid, 4 acres of alder-holt, $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land called 'Dufthusyerd,' and an acre of land called 'Gerardesaere,' and a free fishery in the said town of Hauboys, and a messuage and 12 acres of land in Scothowe, and that they appropriated them to the use of the said queen: the king orders the keeper to restore to the aforesaid Robert son of Robert the lands thus occupied beyond those recovered by the recognition, which lands were taken into the king's hands by reason of the said queen's death and are in Walter's custody, saving the king's right and the right of others. By p.s.

Jan. 3. To the sheriff of Kent. Order to pay to Adam de Moravia, knight, of Northampton. Scotland, who was captured in the conflict at Dumbard and is imprisoned in Ledes castle, and to his keeper the arrears of their wages for the sheriff's time, and to pay to them their wages henceforth, to wit to Adam 4d. a day and to the keeper 3d. a day, until further orders.

Jan. 8. To the keepers of the king's passage at Dover. Order to permit Robert Northampton. de la Warde and Master Thomas de Luggore, whom the king is sending as his envoys to parts beyond sea, to cross from that port with their household, horses, equipment, money, and other things, without making any search of them, notwithstanding the ordinance lately made by the king and his council concerning persons crossing from that port.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margery, late the wife of Hamo de Gatton, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

Jan. 8. Walter Frebern, imprisoned at Cambridge for the death of Adam son of Northampton. William Canun, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

Jan. 9. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Northampton. dower to be assigned to Elizabeth, late the wife of Warin Maudut, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

Jan. 6. To the sheriff of Essex and Hertford. Order to cause to be sent to Northampton. London immediately upon sight hereof twenty good carts from his bailiwick to receive from William Trente, attorney of Adam de Rokesle, the king's butler, twenty tuns of the king's wines, and to carry them to Northampton for the expenses of the household of Thomas, the king's son.

Jan. 17. To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him King's Cliffe who supplies his place. Order to cause the abbot of Peterborough to have (Clyve). a tithe of the venison taken within the king's forests in co. Northampton for the twenty-seventh and twenty-eight years of the reign and for the present year, as it appears to the king by inspection of the charters of kings William, Richard and John, his progenitors, and of Henry, his father, that the abbot ought to have of their grant a tithe of the venison taken within the said forests, and it also appears by inspection of the rolls of chancery of the late king that the abbots of that place always had the said king's writ to receive the tithe of the venison.

Jan. 16. To the same. Order to cause the abbot of Peterborough to have in the King's Cliffe. king's park of Clyve ten oaks fit for timber wherever he may choose them, for the repair of the church and houses of his abbey, of the king's gift.

By K.

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Jan. 19.
Easton.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Agnes, late the wife of John de Hodeboville of Aketon, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Jan. 26.
Nettleham.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Giles de Morton, whom the king has caused to be removed from office because he is insufficiently qualified, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony.

Jan. 25.
Nettleham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Reginald de Grey to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of the reign, as it appears to the king that he did the service due to the king in that army for the knights' fees that he holds in chief.

By K.

Jan. 26.
Nettleham.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William de Tyndale, whom the king has removed from office because it is testified before him that he is insufficiently qualified.

Jan. 28.
Nettleham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king, of his special grace and in consideration of the service of Guy de Shenefeld, who set out for Gascony in the king's service in the company of Hugh de Veer, pardoned by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 8 Edw. I, p. 80^a] Hugh le Blund 40s., Thomas de Maundevill 20s., Nicholas de Barenton 13s. 4d., Edmund le Spygurnel 6s. 8d., William de Hanyfeld 13s. 4d., John de Sutton 13s. 4d., Ranulph de Ardern 6s. 8d., William de Sutton 13s. 4d., Peter Sabright 6s. 8d., Walter de† Brus 6s. 8d., Roger le Convers 6s. 8d., Laurence Randy 6s. 8d., Geoffrey Davy 10s., William de Wauton 13s. 4d., Robert Gossalin 6s. 8d., John de Neuton 6s. 8d., Alan Pollard 6s. 8d., John de Cogeshale 6s. 8d., Henry Page 6s. 8d., Ralph de la Kersovere 3s. 4d., Theobald de Belhus 13s. 4d., at which they were respectively amerced before Roger Lestrange (*Extraneo*) and his fellows, justices last in eyre for pleas of the Forest in co. Essex, because they did not have Guy before the justices at a certain day in accordance with the mainprise that they had made for him: the king orders them to acquit the aforesaid men of these sums.

Jan. 31.
Nettleham.

To the same. Order to cause the abbot of Suleby to be acquitted of 40*l.* of the 100*l.* in which he made fine with the king before the treasurer and barons for licence to enter 20*l.* yearly of rent in Irtlingburgh, Slypton, Glapthorn, Cotherstok, and Little Adynton, co. Northampton, as the king has pardoned him this 40*l.*

Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause John de Harecurt, son and heir of Richard de Herecurt (*sic*), to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent, and the king has taken his homage.

By p.s.

Jan. 27.
Nettleham.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to William son of Thomas Pippard, and to restore the issues thereof, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that William at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

* The entry on the Patent Rôlls omits the last seven names.

† Called 'de Bures' in the Patent Roll.

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*Membrane 16—cont.*Feb. 1.
Nettleham.

Richard de Lappefloude, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Robert son of Richard de Okemeton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to respite until Whitsuntide next the demand upon Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, one of the heirs and parceners of the inheritance that belonged to Richard son of John, tenant in chief, for his homage and relief for his purparty of the inheritance.

By K.

The like to the sheriff of Buckingham.

Jan. 28.
Nettleham.

To the bailiff of the island of Guernsey (*Gerneseya*). The king learns from the complaint of Oliver le Moigne, nephew and co-heir of William de Sancto Remigio, and of Thomas de Estfeld, who married Alice, the sister and other heir of William, that although Otto de Grandisono, keeper of the islands of Guernsey and Jersey (*Jereseya*), at another time, in accordance with the ordinance of the king's council in his last parliament at London, ordered the bailiff to restore to the aforesaid Oliver, Thomas and Alice the lands that belonged to William and whereof he was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death, which had been taken into the king's hands by his justices in the islands by reason of the abjuration that William made from the islands, which abjuration the king pardoned him, on condition that they should be bound to answer to the king and to others as should be just, the bailiff nevertheless, boldly exceeding the order, has extorted securities for rendering the fruits of the said lands to him when required before he restored the lands, at which the king wonders: he therefore orders the bailiff, if it be so, to cause what he has presumed to extort from the said heirs in this behalf contrary to the said ordinance to be restored to them, and to cause it to be reduced to its due condition without delay, so that renewed complaint may not come to the king through his default.

To the same. The king learns from the complaint of Thomas de Estfeld that although Oto de Grandisono, keeper of the islands of Guernsey and Jersey, at another time, in accordance with the ordinance of the king's council in his last parliament at London, ordered the bailiff to desist from exacting 20*l.* of black *Tournois* in which William de Spissa, priest, was said to be bound for the ferm of the church of St. Sampson granted to him by Oto's attorneys and not warranted, until Oto should be fully informed concerning the said debt, and until the bailiff should be otherwise ordered, the bailiff has nevertheless levied a great part of the said sum from William's sureties, and does not desist from levying the remainder, contrary to the tenor of the ordinance and order aforesaid, at which the king is surprised: he therefore orders the bailiff, if it be so, to desist wholly from exacting the said sum, and to restore at once what he has already levied.

Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the executors of the will of John Tregoz, tenant in chief, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from them for the service of three knights' fees in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as John was with the king by his order in the said army for that service, which he then recognised to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his Marshalsea for that army.

The like for the army of the tenth year.

Membrane 16—cont.

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Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause Hugh de Hamslope, chaplain, to have in the forest of La Bere, which is within the bounds of the forest of Asshele, six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of J. Buteturte.

Feb. 3.
Nettleham.

To Thomas, earl of Lancaster. Order to cause Malcolm de Drummo[n]d, a Scot, imprisoned in the earl's castle of Kenilworth under his custody, to be delivered to Thomas Paynel, as the king has granted the said prisoner to Thomas to do with him what he will.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

Jan. 28.
Nettleham.

Robert Bragge of Mersshe, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of William de Wyke, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him until the first assize.

Feb. 2.
Nettleham.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to cause Robert de Caxton to have seisin of a messuage in Caxton, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage, which Robert Brian of Caxton, who abjured the realm for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Robert held the messuage of Thomas Toluse, who was hanged for felony, and that Thomas held it of Robert de Caxton, and that Thomas de Gardinis, late sheriff of that county, had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

To the same. Like order to cause the said Robert de Caxton to have seisin of three acres of land in Caxton, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said land, which Thomas Toluse, who was hanged for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Thomas held the land of Robert, and that Thomas de Gardinis, the late sheriff, had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

Feb. 1.
Nettleham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the abbot of Suleby to be acquitted of 40*l.* of the 100*l.* by which he made fine with the king at the exchequer to have licence to enter 20*l.* yearly of land in Irtlingburgh, Slipton, Glapthorn, Cotherstok, and Little Adynton, co. Northampton, notwithstanding the statute of mortmain, as the king has pardoned him the said 40*l.*

By K. on the information of the bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Feb. 2.
Nettleham.

Simon de Bergh, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of John Aylmer, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him.

Feb. 1.
Nettleham.

To Walter de Bello Campo, constable of Gloucester castle. Order to cause the king's weirs in the water of Severn to be repaired.

Feb. 3.
Nettleham.

To Hugh le Dispenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause Roger de Hegham to have in the king's wood of Clyvepark, which is within the bounds of the forest of Clyve, twelve oaks fit for timber with their strippings, of the king's gift.

By K.

Feb. 1.
Nettleham.

Nicholas de Funtayns, imprisoned at York for the death of William le Fisshere, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him until the first assize.

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*Membrane 16—cont.*Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

To Hugh le Dispenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause the prior and brethren of the order of Preachers at Northampton to have in the forest of Saucey (*de Salceto*) seven oaks fit for timber and six leafless oak-stumps (*robora folia non portancia*) for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Winterburn.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest beyond Trent. Order to cause A. bishop of Durham to have in the king's wood called 'le Park' of Clipston, which is within the forest of Shirewode, eighty oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Feb. 3.
Nettleham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause William Martyn to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign for the knights' fees that he holds in chief, as it appears to the king that he did his service fully in that army.

Feb. 2.
Nettleham.

To Otho de Grandisono, keeper of the islands of Guernsey and Jersey and of the other islands pertaining to them, or to him who supplies his place there. Whereas Master Robert de Leyssset renounced, at the request and instance of Queen Margaret, the king's consort, all his right in the church of St. Peter in the island of Guernsey, to which the king had presented him, and the keeper, about the middle of the month of September, caused the church with all its fruits and issues to be taken into the king's hands: the king orders him to remove the king's hand or seisin entirely from the church, and to cause all the fruits and issues thereof received by him to be paid in full to Robert Lyont, chaplain of the church, now the rector, together with the corn received last harvest by Walter de Aula and by any one else by reason of that church, and to permit Robert to use and enjoy possession of the church peacefully, provided that Walter be satisfied for the expenses in connexion with the corn collected by him, which are to be declared by his oath, and that what was received from the church or by reason of it before it and its fruits were taken into the king's hands shall not be exacted from Master Robert or Walter in any way.

Feb. 6.
Nettleham.

To the sheriff of Hertford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William le Enveyse, deceased.

MEMBRANE 15.

Feb. 5.
Nettleham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. J. bishop of Carlisle has shown the king by his petition that whereas he holds by the king's commission the meadows and herbages of the demesnes of the king's castle of Carlisle at ferm for 10*l.* yearly to the exchequer, and the meadows and herbages were wholly eaten up and consumed in one year by Welshmen and Irishmen going to Scotland in the king's service and by his subjects in his army in going to Scotland and in returning thence in two other years, so that he was unable to receive any advantage thence during that time, and he has besought the king to make allowance to him accordingly: the king orders the treasurer and barons to cause inquisition to be made as to the damages thus sustained by the bishop, and to cause him to have allowance for the damages that they shall find he has suffered.

By pet. of C.

Membrane 15—cont.

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Feb. 2.
Nettleham.

To John de Sancto Johanne, keeper of Galloway (*Gallowayth'*) and of the adjoining parts of the Marches of Scotland. Order to restore to William to Feraris the lands of his inheritance in Galloway, which the king caused to be taken into his hands when he was last in those parts.

Feb. 5.
Nettleham.

To the treasurer and chamberlains. Whereas the king caused all the goods and chattels that belonged to Thomas de Weylond to be taken into his hands by William Berry, by reason of the felony that Thomas committed, for which he abjured the realm, and caused them to be delivered to the exchequer at London by William, among which certain deeds and muniments in a chest concerning John de Weylond were delivered by William to the exchequer, where they still remain, to the grievous damage of John and in danger of his disinheritance, as the king learns from his complaint: the king orders the treasurer and chamberlains to examine the deeds and muniments that belonged to Thomas thus delivered to the exchequer, and to cause to be delivered to John by indenture any that concern him.

By pet. of C.

Feb. 4.
Nettleham.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the inquisitions made by him concerning the lands that belonged to William de Gouiz, tenant in chief, which lands are in the hands of John le Latimer by the king's commission by reason of the minority of William's heirs, are insufficient by reason of certain defects found in them, and there has been an error in the assignment of dower from those lands made to Petronilla, late the wife of William: the king orders the escheator to resume into the king's hands all the said lands, both those in John's hands and those assigned to Petronilla, and after making an extent thereof, to cause dower to be assigned to Petronilla, saving to her and to John and the said heirs their corn and other goods in the lands, having regard to the costs and expenses expended on both sides in the lands.

Feb. 8.
Nettleham.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by John de Lythegreyns, late escheator beyond Trent, that Richard de Grey held at his death no lands of the king in the escheator's bailiwick except a messuage and fifteen bovates of land in Sandiacre, which he held of the king by the service of rendering 33s. yearly to the exchequer and 17s. 4d. yearly to the sheriff of Nottingham and Derby, and that Richard de Sandiacre formerly held the messuage and land by serjeanty, which messuage and land were taken into the hands of the king's progenitors by reason of the alienation of the serjeanty made without their licence [and were] arrented to the ancestors of Richard de Grey for the said sums of money, whereby the serjeanty is now changed into socage, so that the wardship of the lands that belonged to Richard de Grey ought not to pertain to the king: the king orders the escheator not to intermeddle with the other lands that Richard held in his bailiwick.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that the said Richard held at his death, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Richard at his death held nothing of the king by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

Feb. 7.
Nettleham

Ralph de Duddeworthy, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Walter son of Hugh de Cordon, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him until the first assize.

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Membrane 15—cont.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Notification that the king has granted to Edmund le Butiller that he may pay the 3,000*l.* in which he is bound to the king at that exchequer, for the debts of his ancestors and for the arrears of a yearly ferm^o exacted [from him by summons of that] exchequer, at the rate of 30*l.* yearly, and order to cause him to have these terms and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

Vacated, because otherwise below.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Agnes, late the wife of Nicholas Burdun, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

To the same. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Sarah, late the wife of Richard de Belhus, was enfeoffed jointly with him of the manors of Bylneye and Bedeneye, co. Norfolk, which are held of the king in chief, and that she continued her seisin thereof with her husband until the day of his death, and that Thomas, son of Richard and her, is her next heir and is of full age, and the king has taken the homage of Thomas for the manors aforesaid and has rendered to him the lands whereof his father was seised in his demesne as of fee at his death: the king orders the escheator to cause Thomas to have seisin of all the said lands, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of Richard's death, together with the issues received from them since they were taken into the king's hands.

Feb. 8.
Nettleham.

To the keeper of the forest of Clarendon. Order to cause the prior of Crischirche, Twynham, to have in the king's park of Melchet, which is within the bounds of the said forest, twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift. By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburne.

Feb. 10.
Nettleham.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Richard Gubyon other than 10½ acres of assart of his own soil in Horton and a messuage in Northampton, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Richard at his death held nothing of the king in chief in the escheator's bailiwick except the said 10½ acres, by the service of rendering 5*s.* 9½*d.* yearly to the exchequer by the hands of the sheriff of Northampton, and except the said messuage, which he held in burgage, so that the wardship of the lands that belonged to him ought not to pertain to the king.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order to restore to Thomas de Hertecumbe, clerk, his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged before the justices lately appointed to deliver the gaol at Exeter with harbouring William Cothere, a thief, and other thieves and with robbing William Bissshop at Plimptrough, as he has purged his innocence before Thomas, bishop of Exeter, to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy, and the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff and the coroners of that county that Thomas is of good fame and conversation, and was never a public or notorious malefactor.

* A considerable erasure occurs here.

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The like to the said sheriff in favour of Robert de la Pomeraye, clerk, charged with robbery committed in the house of William Bisshop and with harbouring William Cothere, clerk, and other thieves.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Eleanor, late the wife of John de Eyton, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

To the barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Notification that the king has granted to Edmund le Butiler that he may pay the 3,000*l.* in which he is bound to the king at that exchequer, for the debts of his ancestors and for the arrears of a yearly ferm that he renders to that exchequer, by 30*l.* yearly, on condition that he render the said ferm henceforth at the accustomed terms, and order to cause him to have these terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

Feb. 7.
Lincoln. To John de Sancto Johanne, keeper of Galloway and of the adjoining parts of the Marches. Order to restore to Alan la Zousche the lands of his inheritance in Galloway, which were taken into the king's hands when the king was last in those parts, and to restore to him any issues received thence.

The like to the sheriffs of Berwick and Edinburgh.

Feb. 12.
Nettleham. To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to William son of William, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that William at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

Feb. 13.
Lincoln. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Maud, late the wife of Robert Corbet, tenant in chief, the lands specified below, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of Robert's death, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Maud was jointly enfeoffed with Robert of the manors of Habberleye, Besford, Halghton, Teteneshull, Undercheche (*sic*), a messuage, two carucates of land, 1½ virgates of land in Balderton, Burleton, Egebaldenham, and in the suburbs of Shrewsbury, of two nooks (*nocatis*) of land in Shawebury, the township of Blecheleye, of a messuage and a virgate of land in Moston, of 11 acres of land in Bredeshull, of a messuage and 3 acres of land in Pecton, of a messuage and 6 acres of land in Morton, a messuage and two virgates of land in Laveleye, and a messuage, a virgate and a nook (*noca*) of land in Loghton, and that she continued her seisin thereof with Robert up to the time of his death, and the king has taken her fealty.

Adam de Bothum, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of John le Parker of Cumeshale, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

Feb. 14.
Lincoln. To the sheriff of Dorset. Order to cause the prior of Christ Church, Twynham, to have seisin of an acre of meadow and a moiety of a virgate of land in Child Acford, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said lands, which Gilbert Iweyn, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Gilbert held them of the prior, and that Robert de Farndon had the king's year and a day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

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Membrane 15—cont.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that Roger le Savage held at his death of other lords than the king, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Roger at his death held nothing of the king in chief in the escheator's bailiwick, and he also learns by an inquisition taken by Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent, that Roger held nothing of the king in chief in his bailiwick by reason whereof the wardship of the lands that belonged to Roger ought to pertain to the king, except the manor of Staynesby by the service of a sore-coloured sparrow-hawk yearly for all service.
By inquisition returned from C.

Feb. 16. To John Buteturte, keeper of the forest of Dene. Order to cause
Lincoln. Master Peter de Insula, archdeacon of Wells, to have in that forest ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

To the same. Order to cause Master Philip Martel to have in that forest ten oaks fit for timber with all their strippings, of the king's gift.

Feb. 11. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order not to
Lincoln. intermeddle further with the lands that Richard de Grey at his death held of other lords than the king, as the king learns by inquisitions taken by the escheator and by John de Lythegr[eynes], late escheator beyond Trent, that Richard at his death held nothing of the king in chief except a messuage and fifteen bovates of land in Sandyaere by the service of 33s. 3d. yearly to the exchequer and of 17s. yearly to the sheriff of Nottingham for all service, so that the custody of the lands that belonged to Richard ought not to pertain to the king.

Feb. 15. To the sheriff of Rokesburgh. Order to deliver to Richard de Culnaz
Lincoln. of Tyndale his lands in the sheriff's bailiwick, which were taken into the king's hands when he was last in his expedition in Galloway, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony that Richard has always been heretofore at his faith and in his peace.

Feb. 14. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause
Lincoln. dower to be assigned to Margery, late the wife of John Fag, tenant at his death by knight service of the heir of Baldwin de Aldham, tenant in chief, which heir is a minor in the king's wardship, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

MEMBRANE 14.

Feb. 14. To the same. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by
Lincoln. the escheator that Robert Corbet at his death held no lands of the king in chief except the manors of Habberleye, Halghton, Teteneshull, Underchetle, a messuage and two carucates and 1½ bovates of land in Balderton, Burleton, Egebaldenham, and in the suburbs of Shrewsbury, and two nooks (*nocatas*) of land in Shawebury, whereof Maud, late the wife of Robert, was jointly enfeoffed with him, to have to them and their heirs, for which reason the wardship of the lands that belonged to Robert ought not to pertain to the king: the king orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the other lands that Robert held of other lords, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of his death, saving to the king any right in this behalf that may pertain to him.

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*Membrane 14—cont.*Feb. 15.
Lincoln.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause the Friars Minors of Colchester to have in the wood of Kyngeswode, which is within the bounds of the forest of Essex, six leafless oak-stumps (*robora folia non portancia*) for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburn.

Feb. 9.
Nettleham.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Philip de Fenne, who is incapacitated by infirmity, as the king learns.

Feb. 16.
Lincoln.

To Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king lately, because it was found by inquisitions taken by the escheator and by Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent, that Richard de Grey at his death held nothing of the king by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king, ordered the escheator not to intermeddle further with the lands that Richard held of other lords, and the king is now given to understand by Henry de Grey that Richard at his death held certain lands in Sandyacre of him, and that Henry has entered them by pretext of the king's order aforesaid: the king orders the escheator, if it be so, to deliver to Henry the issues received from the lands since they were taken into the king's hands.

Feb. 13.
Lincoln.

To William de Curzun, keeper of the manor of Burgh. Order not to intermeddle further with fifteen villeins, eight messuages, and seven cottages in the town of Hautboys and with two messuages, 2½ (*sic*) acres of land in Scothowe, as the king lately—at the prosecution of Robert, son and heir of Robert Banyard, suggesting that Bartholomew de Redham and Walter Bueskyn, then bailiff (*sic*) of Queen Eleanor, the king's late consort, occupied upon the said Robert Baynard, beyond the lands in Hautboys that Bartholomew recovered before the king in his court at Aylesham against the said Robert, father of Robert, by the recognition of an assize of novel disseisin there taken between them, fifteen villeins, eight messuages and seven cottages in Hautboys and two messuages and 3¼ acres of land in Scothowe, which were not contained in the original writ, and that he appropriated the villeins, messuages, cottages and land in Hautboys and Scothowe thus occupied, together with the other lands recovered by the recognition of the assize aforesaid, to the use of the said queen—appointed John Butteturte, William Haward, and William de Carleton, or two of them who should happen to be present, to make inquisition concerning the lands from which Robert Banyard was ejected after judgment was rendered in the assize aforesaid beyond the lands thus recovered, and to certify the king of what they should find; and it is found by the inquisition that Bartholomew occupied upon Robert Banyard, beyond the said lands thus recovered, on the morrow of the Circumcision, in the ninth year of the reign, the aforesaid villeins, eight messuages and seven cottages in Hautboys, two messuages and 2¼ acres of land in Scothowe, and that he continued his seisin of the lands thus recovered and of those thus occupied until Sunday following, on which day the said Walter, Robert atte Ston, and Simon de Riston, then bailiffs of the said queen, ejected Bartholomew from the lands thus occupied as well as from those thus recovered, and appropriated them to the said queen's use, for which reason they are in the king's hands.

By pet. and inquisition returned from C.

To the said William, keeper of the manor of Aylesham. Order to deliver to the heirs of Bartholomew de Redham a messuage, 130 acres of

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land, 20 acres of meadow and pasture, and 5s. of yearly rent in Great Hautboys, to be held saving the right of the king and of others, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by John Butteturte and William Haward that Walter Bucslyn, Robert atte Ston, and Simon de Riston, late bailiffs of Queen Eleanor, the king's late consort, ejected Bartholomew from the premises, which he recovered before John de Lovetot and Luke de Tany, late justices to take assizes in co. Norfolk, against Robert Banyard by the recognition of an assize of novel disseisin taken between them at Aylesham, and that they appropriated them to the said queen's use, for which reason they are in the king's hands.

By pet. and inquisition returned from C.

Feb. 12.
Lincoln.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Margaret, late the wife of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, tenant in chief, the following of the earl's lands which the king has assigned to her in dower: the castle and manor of Okham, co. Rutland, which is extended at 112*l.* 18*s.* 11*d.*; the county of Rutland, with the Hundreds of Martinesle, Alnestowe, and Esthundr[ed], the pleas and perquisites whereof are extended at 8*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* yearly; the hamlet of Egilton, in the same county, which is extended at 34*l.* 7*s.* 0*d.* yearly; the hamlet of Langeham in the same county, which is extended at 107*l.* 9*s.* 5½*d.* yearly; 14*l.* 16*s.* 4*d.* of yearly rent from the views of frankpledge and sheriff's aid in the towns of Ketene, Preston, Okham, Hameldon, Leye, the Hide (*Hida*) of Egilton, Assewell, Burgle, Alesthorp, Gretham and Cotesmore, Thistelton, Horn, Berk', and Wenton, Little Castreton, Ketene, Weston, and Empingham, in the same county; the manor of Baketon, co. Norfolk, extended at 12*l.* 9*s.* 7½*d.* yearly; the manor of Haghelegh, co. Suffolk, which is extended at 79*l.* 8*s.* 6¾*d.* yearly; the castle and manor of Eye, in the same county, which are extended at 127*l.* 2*s.* 2½*d.* yearly; the hamlet of Dalingho, in the same county; which is extended at 47*s.* 8¾*d.* yearly; the hamlet of Alderton, in the same county, which is extended at 46*s.* 4*d.* yearly; the hamlet of Thorndon, in the same county, which is extended at 25*l.* 0*s.* 2*d.* yearly; the manor of Kirketon, with the towns, hamlets, and Hundreds of Kirketon, Haselhen, Coringham, and Manle pertaining to that manor, with the issues of the soke-moot (*sokemoti*) of that manor, and other appurtenances in co. Lincoln, which are extended at 288*l.* 7*s.* 2½*d.* yearly; the manor of Harewell, co. Berks, which is extended at 30*l.* yearly; the manor of Istelworth, with the hamlets of Heston, Twykenham, and Wytton and other appurtenances in co. Middlesex, which are extended at 115*l.* 13*s.* 0½*d.* yearly; 21*l.* of yearly rent in the city of London from Queenhythe (*de Ripa Regina*); the town of Rokingham, co. Northampton, which is extended at 111*s.* 1½*d.* yearly; the manor of Little Weledon, in the same county, which is extended at 16*l.* 19*s.* 5¾*d.* yearly; the manor of Glatton, with the hamlet of Holm and other appurtenances in co. Huntingdon, which are extended at 90*l.* 18*s.* 5¾*d.* yearly; the manor of Fordington, with the hamlet of Whitewell and other appurtenances in co. Dorset, which are extended at 69*l.* 18*s.* 2¾*d.* yearly; 20*l.* of yearly rent from the ferm of the town of Malmesbury, co. Wilts; 20*l.* 15*s.* 6*d.* of yearly rent from the ferm of the borough of Iwelcestre, co. Somerset, and from an escheat in that borough: 10*l.* 18*s.* 7*d.* of yearly rent from certain tenements in Old Shorham, co. Sussex; the manor of Cippenham with the hamlet of Eton and other appurtenances, co. Bucks, which are extended at 52*l.* 9*s.* 1¾*d.* yearly; the manor and town of Henle, co. Oxford, which is extended at 13*l.* 8*s.* 6½*d.* yearly; on condition that the countess shall pay yearly the fixed alms, certain rents and certain fees due to the king and others.

By C.

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Lincoln.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause a coroner forthat county to be elected in place of Richard Tyrergh, whom the king has caused to be amoved from office because it is testified before him by J. bishop of Carlisle that he is insufficiently qualified. By pet. of C.

Feb. 18.
Lincoln.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king lately, because it was found by inquisitions taken by the escheator and by the escheator beyond Trent that Roger le Sauvage at his death held nothing of the king in chief, except the manor of Staynesby by the service of a 'sore' sparrowhawk yearly for all service, for which reason the wardship of the lands that belonged to him ought not to pertain to him, ordered the escheator not to intermeddle further with the lands that Roger held of other lords, which had been taken into the king's hands by reason of his death; and the king in now given to understand on behalf of William de Brewosa that he has entered by pretext of the said order the manor of Gumshell, which Roger at his death held of William by knight service; the king orders the escheator to pay to William the issues received thence since it was taken into the king's hands.

Feb. 18.
Lincoln.

To the sheriff of Stafford. Order to cause Thomas, earl of Lancaster, to have respite during the king's will for all debts exacted from him by summons of the exchequer by reason of the lands that belonged to the earls of Ferrers, which are in his hands, as the king has granted him such respite. By pet. of C.

The like to the sheriffs of Northampton and Buckingham.

To the sheriff of Kent. Whereas at the denunciation of R. archbishop of Canterbury by letters patent to the king, signifying that John, rector of Little Monigham, John, rector of the church of Estlangedon, Walter, rector of the church of Stonore, John, vicar of the church of Chistested, John, vicar of the church of Men[s]tre, Edmund, vicar of St. Laurence in Thanet (*Taneto*), Matthew, vicar of the church of Northbourn, Thomas, rector of the church of Frythyndenne, John, vicar of the church of Tenterdenne, John, vicar of the church of Leanham, Martin, rector of the church of Borewaremersh, Sampson, rector of the church of Wyvelesbergh, William, rector of the church of Brok'londe, Thomas, rector of the church of Stone, Laurence, rector of the church of Kyngesdoune, Thomas, vicar of the church of Sheldwych, and William, vicar of the church of Middelton, had been excommunicated for contumacy and would not permit themselves to be justiced by ecclesiastical censure, the king ordered the sheriff to justice the said men by their bodies, in accordance with the custom of England, until Holy Church should be satisfied for the contempt and wrong inflicted upon her; and afterwards, after the men had been taken and imprisoned at Canterbury by the sheriff by virtue of the said order, the king ordered him, for certain reasons propounded before him, to take security from the men to be before the king in his parliament at Lincoln in the octaves of St. Hilary last to inform him more fully concerning the said reasons, and to cause them to be delivered from prison in the meantime; and the sheriff returned that all the men named in the writ had been taken and afterwards delivered by security except the said Walter, rector of the church of Stonore, John, rector of Estlangedon, Thomas, rector of the church of Frithynden, Martin, rector of the church of Borewarmersh, and Laurence, rector of the church of Kyngesdoune, who were not found in his bailiwick: the king, having had treaty in his said parliament concerning the premises, wishes to continue the security, and therefore

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orders the sheriff to take such security or mainprise from the said Walter, John, Thomas, Martin, and Laurence, who were not found, if they will permit themselves to be justiced, and to take new security from the others to be before the king at his will to answer to all persons concerning the premises, and not to proceed to the arrest of the aforesaid men until otherwise ordered.

By K. and C.

[Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 906.]

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause the sheriff of Norfolk to be acquitted of 4*l.* at which the goods and chattels of Baldwin de Insula, clerk, were appraised, which goods and chattels were taken into the king's hands because Baldwin was charged before John de Berewyk and his fellows, justices last in eyre in co. Cambridge, with robbing two merchants on the water going to (*versus*) Lytleport, as the king ordered the sheriff to restore the goods and chattels because Baldwin has purged his innocence before the bishop [of Ely], to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy.

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Feb. 22.
Lincoln.

To John de Kingeston. Notification that the king has granted to him Nicholas de Oreghton [*for* Creghton?], the king's enemy and rebel, who was lately taken by John in the war in Scotland and is imprisoned in his custody, to do his will with him in all things, and order to do and ordain concerning him as shall seem most expedient for John's advantage.

By K. on the information of A. de Welles.

Feb. 19.
Lincoln.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to audit the account of J. bishop of Carlisle for the time when he had the custody of the castle of Carlisle by the king's commission, for the victuals delivered to him for the munition of the castle and for the wages and other costs and expenses of men-at-arms for the defence of the castle and adjoining parts against the Scots, and to cause allowance to be made to the bishop in the victuals aforesaid and in the debts due from the bishop to the exchequer for his own and his predecessor's debts, certifying the king of what they shall find to be due to the bishop, so that the king may then cause to be done in this matter what ought to be done of right.

By pet. of C.

To the keeper of the king's manor of Havering-atte-Bourne (*sic*). Order to cause Master Edmund de London [ia], the king's household (*familiari*) clerk, to have four oaks in the park of that manor fit for timber, with their strippings (*escaetis*), of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

To the sheriff of Leicester. Whereas Thomas, earl of Lancaster, granted that the king and his heirs should have for ever a prison in his town of Leicester for the prisoners to be taken in that county, so that no one to be taken henceforth in that county shall be taken out of the county to the king's prison at Warwick as has been wont to be done, and a great sum of money was collected from the men of that county to make such prison there, as the king understands: the king orders the sheriff to cause inquisition to be made as to whose hands the money came into, and to cause a plot of land (*placeam*) to be bought in the town of Leicester in a suitable place, and to cause a prison for the said prisoners to be erected thereon from the said money when it shall have been levied from those whom they shall find by the inquisition to be the debtors and from other money to be levied for this purpose from men of that county.

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Feb. 28.
Lincoln.

To the mayor, jurats and community of the city of Bayonne. The king has received with pleasure Pelegrin de Villa and Bernard Danesse, their fellow-citizens and envoys, and understands what they have expounded to him on behalf of the mayor, jurats and community; among which they besought the king to take steps (*opem apponere curaremus*) to pay the debts in which his soldiers (*stipendiarii*) are bound to the mayor, jurats and community for a loan made to them by certain citizens and men of that city when the soldiers were staying in those parts by reason of the late war between the king and the king of France. The king makes answer that he will be always ready to do what he can not only in this but in all other things whatsoever that concern their advantage and honour, but as the times have not been as propitious as the king could wish (*quia tempora adhuc nondum nobis claruerunt ita prospere ut vellemus*), although he hopes better will follow both for him and for them before long, he requests them not to be annoyed if their petition should not be expedited as speedily as they might wish, for the king intends to expedite it without any great lapse of time, God willing, in such manner as he knows will befit his honour and their convenience.

Feb. 17.

Lincoln.

To Gilbert de Knovill. Whereas the perambulation of the forest of co. Devon, which the king lately ordered to be made in the presence of the justice of his Forest this side Trent, or of him whom the justice should put in his place, before Gilbert and John Gerbert, and Humphrey de Waleden, remains still to be made, as the king learns, and as the king wishes that it shall be made with all possible speed, he orders Gilbert to make the perambulation by the oath of proved and lawful men of that county, in accordance with the tenor of the king's letters patent directed to him and John and Humphrey [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 28 Edw. I, p. 506], and to report (*reportetis*) the perambulation to the king before any execution thereof or ought else concerning it be done, so that the king may cause to be done therein what ought to be done in accordance with the tenor of the late king's charter of the forest.

The like to the said John and Humphrey.

Feb. 24.

Lincoln.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. William de Grandi Sono has shown the king by his petition before him and his council that whereas he is bound to the king in divers debts at the exchequer and the king is indebted to him in a great sum of money for recompense for his horses for the time when he was in the king's service in Gascony, and he has besought the king to cause allowance for the latter to be made to him in the said debts: the king orders the treasurer and barons to search the rolls of the exchequer for the said debts and to audit William's account of the money due to him as above, and to cause the total of the money to be allowed to him in the debts aforesaid.

By pet. of C.

Feb. 25.

Lincoln.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to audit the account of Arnald Garcye, Diaute and Martin Diaute and their fellows, who were appointed to collect the custom due to the king on wool, hides and fells in Ireland by the citizens of Bayonne, at least once a year for the issues of the custom received by them for which they have not yet rendered account and of the issues to be received by them, in the presence of the king's controller (*contrarotulatoris*) there, allowing to the collectors as much a day for their expenses as has been usually allowed to other collectors of that custom in Ireland in time past, as the king has granted by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 27 Ed. I. p. 414] to the citizens the said custom in England and Ireland, to have until they shall

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be satisfied for certain debts due to them from him by divers letters patent under the seal of Henry de Lasey, earl of Lincoln, who lately supplied the king's place in the duchy [of Aquitaine], to be received by the hands of those whom the citizens should appoint for this purpose by the view and testimony of the king's controllers to be appointed by him for this purpose.

By pet. of C.

Feb. 26.
Lincoln.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. The abbot and convent of Thorney have shown the king by their petition before him and his council in his parliament at Lincoln that whereas they bound themselves to the pope on the king's behalf by their letters patent under their common seal in 500 marks sterling, which came to the king's hands from the money of the tenth in the realm granted in aid of the Holy Land, and the king bound himself by his letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 14 Edw. I, p. 232] to them and their successors to make full payment of the money within two months after being requested to do so by them and to save them harmless, and the abbot and convent have now satisfied the collectors of the said tenth appointed by the pope for the 500 marks by virtue of the obligation aforesaid, and they have besought the king to cause allowance to be made to them in satisfaction of the said sum in the yearly fermes and debts due to him at the exchequer, or to satisfy them in some other way: the king orders the treasurer and barons to inspect his letters patent aforesaid and to have treaty with the abbot concerning this matter, and to provide some good and fitting form whereby the king may be discharged of the aforesaid sum and whereby allowance or satisfaction may be made to the abbot and convent therefor in the fermes and debts aforesaid, as shall seem best in their discretion, and as has been enjoined upon the treasurer by the king and his council. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, p. 907.]

By pet. of C.

The like in favour of the following for the following sums of money:

The abbot and convent of Abyndon for 1,000 marks.

The prior and convent of Ely for 500*l*.

The abbot and convent of Westminster for 1,000 marks.

The abbot and convent of Peterborough for 500*l*.

The abbot and convent of Croyland for 500*l*.

The abbot and convent of Rameseye for 1,000*l*.

The abbot and convent of St. Edmunds for 1,000 marks.

The abbot and convent of Oseneye for 500*l*.

The abbot and convent of St. Albans for 1,000 marks.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Whereas Matthew son of John has besought by his petition exhibited before the king in his parliament at Lincoln restitution of the custody of the forest of Milkesham and Chippeham, which pertains to the castle of Devyses, which castle the king has committed to him for life, which custody has been taken into the king's hands by the justice for the waste that Matthew is said to have committed in the forest; the king, wishing to do what is just for Matthew, orders the justice to cause Matthew to have the custody again without delay, on condition that he make no waste or destruction therein henceforth, and that the king shall cause amends to be made before the justices next in eyre in those parts for any waste or destruction that Matthew may have made, as ought to be done of right and according to the assize of the Forest.

By pet. of C.

Feb. 20.
Lincoln.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king, at the instance of Aymer de Valencia, has pardoned John Tany 15*l*. due from him to the exchequer for his issues forfeited before the justices of the Bench, and order to cause him to be acquitted of this sum. By K.

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Lincoln.

To the same. The king learns from the complaint of Richard de Byngham that although he was never sheriff of Nottingham or had the office of sheriff there or elsewhere, 10*l.* are exacted from him by summons of the exchequer because he did not return the king's writs of that county returnable before the king during the time when Ralph de Hengham was the justice appointed to hold pleas before the king, as if Richard had been then sheriff of that county: the king orders the treasurer and barons to search the rolls and memoranda of the exchequer for that time, and if it appear to them by such inspection or by other lawful means that Richard was not sheriff of the said county at that time, to cause him to be discharged and acquitted of the said 10*l.*

By pet. of C.

Feb. 8.
Nettleham.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to supersede entirely the exaction from the prior and canons of the house of Chirebury of a palfrey and a silver cup for the king's use by reason of the last voidance of the house, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that neither the king nor any of his progenitors, kings of England, had at any time past a palfrey and a silver cup from the canons of that house by reason of any voidance, and that the king ought not to have such palfrey or cup by reason of the present voidance.

By pet. of C.

Feb. 26.
Lincoln.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has pardoned John de Havering, for his praiseworthy service, 297*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*, which the merchants of the society of the Ricardi of Lucca, whose debts are in the king's hands by reason of the debts due from them to him, lent to John during the time when he was in the king of France's prison, and order to cause him to be acquitted of this sum.

By pet. of C.

To the same. Whereas the said John has given the king to understand that the fee that the king granted to him to be received yearly for the custody of Wales during the time when he was the king's justice and supplied the king's place there is in great part in arrears: the king orders them to account with John concerning this, and to satisfy him for what is due to him after allowance has been made for all things that ought to be allowed to him.

By pet. of C.

Feb. 20.
Lincoln.

To the mayor and sheriffs of London. Geoffrey Bobel has shown the king that whereas Anthony de Burgundia lately took and carried away from him at London 58*l.* of his money against his will, and delivered to the merchants of the society of the Pulci dwelling in London 18*l.* of the money for the value of the said money to be received in small *Tournois* at Paris (*Parisius*) when Anthony should come thither, and although it clearly appears to the mayor and sheriffs by an acknowledgment made before them by the merchants at Geoffrey's suit against them that the merchants thus received the money, and that they had not yet paid it to Anthony, and although they were forbidden by the mayor and sheriffs to pay the money, the merchants nevertheless detain the money from Geoffrey: the king orders the mayor and sheriffs to cause the said 18*l.*, if it be as stated, to be paid to Geoffrey, upon his finding security to render the money to the king when he, if it ought to pertain to him, or any one else may wish to speak concerning it.

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Lincoln.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to deliver to the prior and convent of St. Katharine's without Lincoln a tenement in Lincoln adjoining the

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message that formerly belonged to Hagin son of Benedict, a late Jew of Lincoln, saving the rights of others, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by William de Carleton and Roger de Hegham that Hagin held the said tenement for a long time before the exile of the Jews from England of the prior and convent by their charter by the service of 15s. yearly to them, and that the tenement was taken into the king's hands by the sheriff of Lincoln for the time being with other tenements that belonged to Hagin at the time of his exile by reason of his exile, and that the prior and convent have received nothing of the said 15s. since the tenement was thus taken into the king's hands.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. It is shown to the king by the petition of Roger-Lestrange (*Extranei*) exhibited before him in his council that whereas the king some time ago (*diu est*) granted to Roger for his good service 100*l.* yearly of land for his life, and ordered the treasurer and barons to cause that value to be assigned to him without delay, and that they caused the king's manor of Hicche, co. Hertford, which is extended at 62*l.* yearly only, to be assigned and delivered to Roger, and that they have not yet caused the remaining 38*l.* to be assigned to him, at which the king marvels: he orders them to cause the aforesaid manor to be extended, and to cause what is lacking of the said 100*l.* yearly of land to be assigned to Robert from other lands in the king's hands without delay.

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Lincoln.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause William de Byrlay, parson of the church of Warshop, to have in the king's hay of Birklund and in his park of Clipston ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift. By K.

To the same. Order to cause Nicholas de Burton to have in the king's hay of Bylhagh, which is within the bounds of the aforesaid forest, four oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift. By K.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Eustace de Hacche has besought the king by his petition in the parliament at Lincoln to cause the debts in which Eustace and the debts in which William de Hardeshull are bound to the king at the exchequer for the times of their ancestors to be allowed to Eustace, in part payment of a debt in which he asserts the king is bound to him for the arrears of his wages for the time when he was in the king's service in Gascony; the king, in consideration of the good service rendered to him in those parts by Eustace, orders the treasurer and barons to search the rolls of the exchequer concerning the debts of Eustace and William of the time of their ancestors, and to cause allowance thereof to be made to Eustace in the debts in which the king is bound to him for the arrears of his wages for the time aforesaid.

By pet. of C.

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Lincoln.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the forest of Pambere. Order to cause Thomas de Warbelton, sheriff of Southampton, to have in that forest forty oaks fit for timber, for the repair of the houses within the king's castle of Winchester.

By pet. of C.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause the houses and walls of the castle of Winchester to be repaired.

By pet. of C.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has pardoned John Sampson, for his good service to the king, all debts due to the king at the exchequer, and order to cause him to be acquitted thereof.

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Lincoln. To the bailiffs of Southampton. Whereas the king lately, at the instance of Queen Margaret, his consort, ordered the bailiffs to cause James de Neubury, deceased, to have from their ferm of that town 300*l.*, in part payment of 500*l.* in which the king was indebted to him for divers causes, and James died before he had received this sum in full: the king orders the bailiffs to pay the arrears thereof to the executors of his will for the execution thereof. By pet. of C.
- To the bailiffs of Andevre. Like order to pay to the said executors 100*l.* from the ferm of their town, as James died before he had received anything thereof. By pet. of C.
- The like to the bailiffs of Basingstok for 100*l.* By pet. of C.
- Feb. 26.
Lincoln. To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest beyond Trent. Order to cause J. bishop of Carlisle to have in the forest of Englewode sixty oaks fit for timber in order to repair the bridge of Edene without the city of Carlisle. By K.
- Feb. 24.
Lincoln. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to discharge John de Erle, son and heir of Philip de Erle, tenant in chief, of the 105*s.* yearly exacted from him from 11 May, in the third year of the reign, until 13 January, in the twentieth year of the reign, with which sum the manor of Northpederton, which belonged to Philip at his death, is charged, if they satisfy themselves that the manor was in the king's hands during that time by reason of John's minority, as it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery that John was a minor in his wardship from the said 11 May, when the king caused all the lands whereof Philip was seised in his demesne as of fee to be taken into his hands by reason of Philip's death, until the said 13 January, when the king took John's homage and rendered to him the said lands.
- Feb. 26.
Lincoln. To the sheriff of Cornwall. Order to permit Thomas de Sweyneseye, king's clerk, keeper of the king's mines in that county, or him whom he shall depute, to take from the king's wood of Calistok, in that county, as much wood and as often as shall be necessary for the works of the mines, as the king has assigned the wood for the works of the mines. By K.
- March 2.
Lincoln. John Grayndorge, imprisoned at York for the death of John Morgan, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him.
- March 1.
Lincoln. To the sheriff of Essex. Writ of aid in favour of Robert le fiz Wautier, knight, and Peter de Donewyz, clerk, whom the king is sending to make purveyance in the sheriff's bailiwick for his and his men's journey to Scotland, where he will be at Midsummer. *French.* [*Parl. Writs.*]
The like to the sheriffs of the following counties:
Norfolk and Suffolk, in favour of John de Buteturte, knight, and Peter de Donewyz, clerk.
Cambridge, in favour of Walter, bishop of Chester, the treasurer, and Robert Hereward, knight.
Lincoln, in favour of Thomas de Burnham, knight, and Master Richard de Havering, clerk.
Nottingham and Derby, in favour of Thomas de Furnivall, knight, and Master Richard de Havering, clerk.
York, in favour of William de Cantelowe, knight, and Ralph de Dalton, clerk. [*Ibid.*]
- March 6.
Grantham. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Isolda, late the wife of William le Brun, the manors of

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Fordinggebrugge and Rughenore, co. Southampton, and Randolveston, co. Dorset, and the issues thereof since they were taken into the king's hands by reason of her husband's death, as the king has taken her fealty for the manors, which William and she held jointly on the day of William's death of the king's gift.

March 6. To the same. Notification that the king has taken the said Isolda's
Grantham. fealty for the manors aforesaid, and order to cause to be released to her any distraint that he may have levied for her fealty.

Vacated, because above.

March 6. To the bailiffs of Ravenesere and to the keepers of that port. John
Grantham. Case, burgess and merchant of St. Omer, has shown to the king that whereas of late a certain ship of Flanders laden with goods of certain men of Scotland came into that port through stress of wind and sea, the bailiffs and keepers arrested 102*l.* of pollards and crockards and four cups, four spoons, and six small pieces of silver belonging to him that were found in the ship, by reason of the ordinance made by the king and his council forbidding any one bringing bad money into the realm: the king, at the request of Queen Margaret, his consort, orders the bailiffs and keepers, if it be so, to deliver to John the money and things aforesaid, on condition that he take all the money to the king's exchange to be there exchanged.

Feb. 9. To the sheriff of Buckingham. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Medbourne. to be elected in place of William de Bello Campo, as the king understands that William is insufficiently qualified for the office.

March 10. To the keeper of the wood of Fakenham Espys, which belonged to
Northampton. Edmund Comyn of Kilbride, a Scot. Order to cause Eustace le Bret to have in that wood four oaks fit for timber to construct a screen (*cancellum*) therewith, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

March 12. To the keeper of the forest of Rokyngham. Order to cause the Friars
Northampton. Preachers at Leicester to have in that forest seven oaks fit for timber to construct therewith certain houses for them, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburn.

March 13. To the keepers of the king's forest of Salcey (*de Salceto*). Order to
Northampton. cause the Friars Minors of Northampton to have in that forest two oaks fit for timber with all their strippings (*escaetis*), of the king's gift.

By K.

——— To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. As the king
——— learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Richard Gobyun at his death held nothing of the king except 10½ acres of land of an assart of his own soil in Horton by the service of 5*s.* 10½*d.* to be rendered yearly to the sheriff of Northampton, and a messuage in the town of Northampton by the service of 15*s.* 4*d.* to be rendered to the office of bailiff (*prepositure*) of that town for the ferm of the town, by reason whereof the wardship of the lands that he held at his death ought not to pertain to the king, and that Hawisia, his eldest daughter, wife of Ralph le Botiller, and Elizabeth, his youngest daughter, are his next heirs, and that Hawisia is aged eighteen years and Elizabeth thirteen years (*solidorum* in error for *annorum*); the king has taken the fealty of Ralph and Elizabeth for
———. [*Incomplete*].

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Brackley.

John de Faldworthinges, imprisoned at Lancaster for the death of John de Wyndibank, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lancaster to bail him until the first assize.

March 19.
Woodstock.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Eleanor, late the wife of William de Bromfeld, tenant by knight service of the king as of the honour of Clare, which is in his hands, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

March 23.
Hayles.

Walter de Boystok, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of William le Trumpur, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him until the first assize.

March 24.
Hayles.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause William le Botiller, son and heir of William le Botiller of Wemme, to be acquitted of the demand made upon him for scutage for three knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as the king, on 8 September, in the said year, granted to the said William le Botiller of Wemme, in consideration of his good service to the king, what then pertained to him for the service of three knights' fees that Maud de Wemme, his mother, ought to have done in the said army, which she then acknowledged for that army, as appears by the king's letters patent to William, which the king has inspected.

March 26.
Evesham.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Philip Perdriz, as it is testified before the king by Henry Spig[urnel] that Philip is insufficiently qualified. By K.

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March 27.
Evesham.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Margaret, late the wife of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, tenant in chief, the following of the earl's knights' fees, which the king has assigned to her in dower: five fees in Donigwyth, Tunstall, Wantesden, Eyk, Blakeshale, and Holeslegh, co. Suffolk, which Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and Marshal of England holds, and which are extended at 100*l.* yearly; ten fees in Ludham, Glemham, Bengges, Cranesford, Sybeton, Framyngham, Stanton, Flemwyth, Alynton, Sutton, Wynkefeud, Fresingfeud, Thikebrom, Creting, Marlesford, Weibrede, and Keneton, in the same county, Frense, Kilverston, Fordelegh, Horsford, Waketon, and Semere, co. Norfolk, and Stikinglond, Thurstanton, and Horswade, co. Essex, which Robert son of Roger holds, and which are extended at 80*l.* yearly; twelve fees in Edwardeston, Wyverston, Rykinghale, Fresingfeud, Pesenhale, Staverton, Colton, Westhorp, and Walsham, co. Suffolk, and Thorp, co. Norfolk, and Goldingham and Pebenessh, co. Essex, which William de Monto Caniso holds, are which are extended at 60*l.* yearly; ten fees in Weybrede, Wytheresdale, Playford, Fresingfeud, Cosegrave, Boyton, Isted, Wytheresfeld, Moneweden, and Ketteleberuwe, co. Suffolk, and Shotford, co. Norfolk, which Elizabeth de Ingham holds, and which are extended at 50*l.* yearly; seven fees in Huntingfeld, Bengges, Linsted, Petrestre, Chilton near Subury, Sutton and Tangham, co. Suffolk, which Roger de Huntingfeld, the younger, holds, and which are extended at 40*l.* yearly; seven fees and three quarters in Glousthorp, Bauseye, Baketon, and Wytton, co. Norfolk, Giselingham, Bedingfeud, Culeslegh, Dalingho,

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Alderton, Resshemere, Horham, Chikering, Bulge, Bergholt, Benhale, and Badingham, co. Suffolk, which William de Bovill holds, and which are extended at 60*l.* yearly; three fees in Westleveton, in the same county, which Peter de Donewico holds, and which are extended at 20*l.* yearly; four fees in Asphale, Debenham, Rendlesham, Perham, and Categrave, in the same county, and Claxthorp and Matelask, co. Norfolk, which Adam de Hudleston holds, and which are extended at 20*l.* yearly; three fees in Kenton, Finigham, and Horpel, co. Suffolk, which Roger son of Osbert holds, and which are extended at 15*l.* yearly; two fees in Kelton, Rode, Wylesbeye, and Horpel, in the same county, which Guy Ferre holds, and which are extended at 40*s.* yearly; a fee in Stonham and Horham, in the same county, and Ethill, co. Norfolk, which Peter Jernegan holds, and which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; a fee in Buckeslawe and Knotteshale, co. Suffolk, which the heirs of John Quoer de Boef holds, and which is extended at 40*s.* yearly; a fee in Becling and Sternefeud, in the same county, which Muriel de Becling holds, and which is extended at 40*s.* yearly; four fees in Okenhill, Sternefeld, Acle, and Cleydon, in the same county, and Gissing, co. Norfolk, which Roger de Huntingfeld, the elder, holds, and which are extended at 20*l.* yearly; a fee in Bures and Bergholt, co. Essex, and Wykham, Cotton, Brisewych, Rissshangeles, Farnham, and Rendham, co. Suffolk, which the heirs of Sakevill hold, and which is extended at 20*l.* yearly; a fee in Manewyk, Jakeslegh, and Craneslegh, in the same county, which Godfrey de Straton holds, and which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; a fee and a half in Bedingfeud, Dersham, and Laxfeud, in the same county, which William le Flemying holds, and which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Jakeslegh and Benynggham, in the same county, which moiety Adam Bule holds, and which is extended at 40*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Denham, in the same county, which moiety Robert de Denham holds, and which is extended at 40*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Brom, in the same county, which moiety Adam de Brom holds, and which is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; a third of a fee in Gosewolde, in the same county, which third John de Gosewolde holds, and which is extended at 10*s.* yearly; a third of a fee in Giselingham and Thornham, in the same county, which third John de Boylund holds, and which is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; a third of a fee in Brisewych and Thornton, which third Hugh Troye holds, and which is extended at 20*s.* yearly; a fee in Laxfeud, in the same county, which the heirs of Laxfeud holds, and which is extended at 60*s.* yearly; three quarters of a fee in Rissshemere, Wytton, and Chikering, in the same county, which three quarters William de Tinteshale holds, and which are extended at 100*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Creting, in the same county, which moiety William de Creting holds, and which is extended at 40*s.* yearly; a fee in Chatesham and Thornham, in the same county, which Thomas Talevaz holds, and which is extended at 4*l.* yearly; two fees and three quarters in Baketon, co. Norfolk, and Horham, Alderton, Dalingho, Wytton, Chikering, Rissshemere, Bulge, and Glenham, in co. Suffolk, which Roger de Huntingfeld, the elder, holds, and which are extended at 20*l.* yearly; two fees and three quarters in Baketon, co. Norfolk, Horham, Alderton, Dalingho, Wytton, Chikering, Resshemere, Chatesham, and Benhale, co. Suffolk, which Thomas Pecche holds, and which are extended at 20*l.* yearly; two fees and a quarter in Baketon and Dilham, co. Norfolk, which the heirs of Roger de Gunton hold, and which are extended at 20 marks yearly; a quarter of a fee in Billesford, which quarter William de Tinteshale holds, and which is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly; a fee in Alynton, co. Lincoln,

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which William Burdet holds, and which is extended at 10*l.* yearly; a fee in Bernby, in the same county, which Stephen Pessun holds, and which is extended at 8*l.* yearly; a fee in Neubo, in the same county, and Acastre and Acom, co. York, which Richard Malebyse holds, and which is extended at 20*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Anecastre, Wyvelesford, Ingoldesby, and Herlaston, co. Lincoln, which moiety John Malet holds, and which is extended at 8*l.* yearly; a fee in Norton and Sutton, co. Southampton, which Richard de Sancto Walerico holds, and which is extended at 40*l.* yearly; a fee in Gomyngton and Pertenhale, co. Huntingdon, which Robert de Baiocis holds, and which is extended at 30*l.* yearly; an eighth of a fee in Embury, co. Middlesex, which eighth William de Stanton and Amabilla, his wife, hold, and which is extended at 12*s.* 6*d.* yearly; a quarter of a fee in Istelworth, in the same county, which quarter William de Estaynes and Robert de Pirie hold, and which is extended at 25*s.* yearly; a fee in Pickeworth, co. Rutland, which Roger de Gyneto holds, and which is extended at 25*l.* yearly; a fee in Kilpesham, in the same county, which William la Zusche holds, and which is extended at 20*l.* yearly; a fee in Braunston, in the same county, which Theobald de Nevill holds, and which is extended at 16*l.* yearly; a fee in Belton, in the same county, which William le Blound holds, and which is extended at 10*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Wardeleye, in the same county, which moiety Robert de Tateshale holds, and which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Knossington, co. Leicester, which moiety the said Robert holds, and which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Thorp and Twyford, in the same county, which moiety the abbots of Osolveston and Vaudey, the prior of Chaucumbe, the Master of Burton St. Lazarus, and others hold, and which is extended at 40*s.* yearly; a quarter of a fee in Dalewode, co. Dorset, which quarter John Chauntermerle holds, and which is extended at 20*s.* yearly; two fees in Cruwes Morchard and Alfreseworth, co. Devon, which Robert de Cruwes holds, and which are extended at 15*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Pountingdon, in the same county, which moiety the heirs of Rôbert Walerand holds, and which is extended at 8*l.* yearly; an eighth of a fee in Middleton, in the same county, which eighth John de Mohun holds, and which is extended at 20*s.* yearly; a moiety and an eighth of a fee in Yolleston, in the same county, which moiety and eighth John Fraunceys holds, and which are extended at 45*s.* yearly; a quarter and an eighth of a fee in Combe, in the same county, which quarter and an eighth the said John holds, and which are extended at 10*s.* yearly; a quarter of a fee in Boclaunde and Dyneham, in the same county, which quarter the heirs of Maud de Hardeneshull hold, and which is extended at 20*s.* yearly; an eighth of a fee in Suthradeworth, in the same county, which eighth Thomas de Ralegh holds, and which is extended at 40*s.* yearly; a ninth of a fee in Bykeworth and Fenne, in the same county, which ninth the said Thomas holds, and which is extended at 20*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Bradeford, in the same county, which moiety John de Legh holds, and which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Esse, in the same county, which moiety Richard le Flemyng holds, and which is extended at 10*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Botyngdon and Haggeston, in the same county, which moiety the said Richard holds, and which is extended at 20*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Wellecombe and Stottenelegh, in the same county, which moiety John Tracy holds, and which is extended at 10*l.* yearly; an eighth of a fee in Lyn, in the same county, which eighth the heirs of Geoffrey de Pyn holds, and which is extended at 20*s.* yearly; a tenth of a fee in Welhangre, in the same

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county, which tenth the said heirs hold, and which is extended at 20s. yearly; an eighth of a fee in Lyn, in the same county, which eighth William de Estcombe holds, and which is extended at 20s. yearly; an eighth of a fee in Little Cadelegh, in the same county, which eighth John de Mohun holds, and which is extended at 15s. yearly; a twelfth of a fee in Hikerington, in the same county, which twelfth David de Forshull holds, and which is extended at 10s. yearly; a twelfth of a fee in the same town, which twelfth William Radesprey holds, and which is extended at 5s. yearly; a fee in Nitherton and Bockeland, in the same county, which Eustace Baron holds, and which is extended at 100s. yearly; two knights' fess in Touceynston and Bockelaund Kaillou, in the same county, which John de Weston holds, and which are extended at 7l. yearly; a third of a fee in Houlecombe, in the same county, which third William le Espek holds, and which is extended at 40s. yearly; a third of a fee in Cobbe Wymple, in the same county, which third William holds, and which is extended at 40s. yearly; a quarter of a fee in Matford, in the same county, which quarter the said William holds, and which is extended at 20s. yearly; a third of a fee in Estlegh, in the same county, which third John Hureward holds, and which is extended at 26s. 8d. yearly; two parts of a fee in the same town, which two parts the said John holds, and which are extended at 53s. 4d. yearly; a fee in Suthlegh, in the same county, which John de Legh holds, and which is extended at 40s. yearly; a moiety of a fee in Axministre, in the same county, which moiety Stephen de Hatcombe holds, and which is extended at 42s. yearly; a fee in Estmembury, in the same county, which Reginald Bernhus holds, and which is extended at 40s. yearly; a fee in the same town, which Henry de Membre holds, and which is extended at 26s. 8d. yearly; a fee in Weringeston and Rappingesheye, in the same county, which John Tolbyro holds, and which is extended at 40s. yearly; a fee in Harrigge and Nitherton, in the same county, which John Parcot holds, and which is extended at 53s. 4d. yearly; a moiety of a fee in Farewode, in the same county, which William Dammey holds, and which is extended at 40s. yearly; a moiety of a fee in Prewill, in the same county, which moiety the said William holds, and which is extended at 100s. yearly; a quarter of a fee in Cuddeford and Combe, in the same county, which quarter Reginald de Clyfford holds, and which is extended at 11l. 6s. 8d. yearly; a third of a fee in Forshull, in the same county, which third Richard de Forshull holds, and which is extended at 10s. yearly; and a fee in Staford, Sakemanneton, and Combe Launceles and a third of a fee in Staford, in the same county, which Richard de Launceles holds, and which are extended at 50s. yearly.

To the same. Order to deliver to the said Margaret the following of the said earl's advowsons of churches and priories, which the king has assigned to her in dower: the advowson of the church of Helmeswell, co. Lincoln, which is extended at 20l. yearly; the advowson of the church of Pyleham, in the same county, which is extended at 10l. yearly; the advowson of the church of Springthorn, in the same county, which is extended at 10l. yearly; the advowson of the church of Hephham, in the same county, which is extended at 10l. yearly; the advowson of the church of Frothingham, in the same county, which is extended at 70 marks; the advowson of the church of St. John the Baptist, Iwelcestre, co. Somerset, which is extended at 5 marks; the advowson of the church of St. Denis, Braynes, co. Devon, which is extended at 20l. yearly; the advowson of a fifth of the churches of Alderton and Dalingho, co. Suffolk,

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which [is] extended at 10 marks; the advowson of the priory of Eye, in the same county, which is extended at 40*l.* yearly; the advowson of the priory of Snapes, in the same county, which is extended at 40*s.* yearly; and the advowson of the church of Ridelingfeud, in the same county, which is extended at 40*s.* yearly.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to the said Margaret a knight's fee in Neubo, co. Lincoln, and Acastre and Acon, co. York, which Richard Malebys holds, and which is extended at 20*l.* yearly, as the king has assigned it to her as dower of the knights' fees that belonged to the said earl.

MEMBRANE 10.

March 26.
Evesham.

To the keepers of the port of Sandwich. Order to restore to Peter de Herribery, merchant of Bayonne, 45*l.* of his money arrested by them in that port, as the king lately, upon Peter's complaint that the keepers had arrested this money without reasonable cause, ordered Robert de Burghersshe, warden of the Cinque Ports, to call before him the said keepers and Peter, and to hear the proofs (*racionibus*) on both sides, and to certify the king what he should find to be the truth in this matter, and he has written back to the king that Peter was coming (*fuit in veniendo*) to the said town at the time of the arrest, and that the keepers arrested the money in a ship of Bayonne that was then prepared to sail (*sigland'*), because they suspected that Peter wished to take the money to parts beyond sea.

March 27.
Evesham.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to deliver to John atte Halle, a baron of Dover, a ship of Spain that is in the sheriff's custody at Portsmouth and that is forfeited to the king, as the king has granted to John whatever pertains to the king of the ship. By K.

The like to the mayor and bailiffs of Portsmouth.

To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Robert Honsum of Gloucester, who is incapacitated by infirmity, as the king learns upon trustworthy authority.

March 25.
Evesham.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to permit the attorney of Geoffrey de Lesiniaco to bring 100*l.* sterling from Ireland to Chester for the expedition of his affairs there, taking from him security that he will not take the money or cause it to be taken elsewhere than to Chester.

By K.

March 28.
Evesham.

To the abbot of Ramsey's bailiffs at St. Ives. As the king learns from the complaint of William de Donecastre, citizen and merchant of Chester, that John, duke of Brabant, caused 22 marks sterling and 35 sacks of wool, price 420 marks, belonging to William, who had caused them to be taken to Brabant for the purposes of trade, to be arrested without reasonable cause at Andverwep (*sic*) in that land, and that he still detains them from William: the king orders the bailiffs to cause goods and wares of the merchants of the said duchy to be arrested within that town to the value aforesaid, and to cause them to be kept safely until due restitution be made to William or until the king shall otherwise ordain.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas John Tregoz, deceased, was indebted to the king in divers sums and the king is indebted to him for his wages and for his costs and expenses at divers

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times in the king's service, and the king wishes allowance to be made to John's executors in this behalf: he orders the treasurer and barons to search the rolls of the exchequer for all debts due to the king from John at his death, and to make account with the executors for the debts due to John from the king, and to cause allowance to be made therefor to the executors in the debts due from John.

March 23. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver
Winchcombe. to Sarah, late the wife of Richard de Belhus, the manors of Bylneye and Bodeneye, co. Norfolk, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of Richard's death, and the issues received from them by the escheator since they were taken into the king's hands, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Richard and Sarah were jointly enfeoffed and seised of the manors, which are held of the king in chief by the service of one knight's fee, at Richard's death, and the king has taken Sarah's fealty for them.

March 27. To the sheriff of Kent. Although the king lately, at the denunciation
Evesham. of R. archbishop of Canterbury by his letters patent that Alice, late the wife of John Fraunceys, and Margery ad Crucem of Faversham are excommunicate for contumacy and that they will not permit themselves to be justified by ecclesiastical censure, ordered the sheriff to justice them by their bodies according to the custom of England until Holy Church should be satisfied for the contempt and wrong: the king, by reason of an ordinance made before him and his council, orders the sheriff to take security from Alice and Margaret to be before the king at his will to answer to all as to the premises, and not to proceed to arrest Alice and Margery until otherwise ordered by the king, and to deliver them from prison, in case he have already taken them, by the security aforesaid.
By K.

March 27. To William de Rodeston, keeper of the manor of Wodestok. Order to
Evesham. cause five hundred pike to be bought in order to stock the king's fish-ponds of that manor, against the coming of Queen Margaret, the king's consort, and to cause two deer-leaps (*saltatoria*) to be made in the king's park there and a kiln (*rogum*), for making lime where this may best be done, as the king has enjoined upon him more fully by word of mouth.
By K.

March 30. To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Evesham. to be elected in place of Robert Honsum, who is incapacitated by infirmity, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony.

April 4. To Robert de Burghessh, constable of Dover castle and warden of the
Feckenham. Cinque Ports. Order to permit certain jewels that the king and Queen Margaret, his consort, have given and have ordered to be carried to parts beyond sea, as shall appear to him by the letters testimonial of the king or of his consort, to cross to parts beyond sea from the port of Dover without hindrance, notwithstanding the ordinance previously made by the king and his council.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to Joan, late the wife of William de Grey, as nearest [friend] to the heir of Richard de Grey, the custody of a messuage and fifteen bovates of land in Sandiacre, saving the right of others, as the king learns by inquisition taken by John de Lythegrayns, late escheator beyond Trent, that the said Richard at his death held no lands of the

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king except the said messuage and land, which he held by the service of 33s. 4d. to be rendered to the exchequer and 17s. 4d. to be rendered to the sheriff of Nottingham and Derby yearly, and that Richard de Sandiacre formerly held the messuage and land by serjeanty, which were taken into the hands of the king's progenitors by reason of the alienation of the serjeanty without their licence, and were arrented to the ancestors of Richard de Grey at the aforesaid sums, whereby the serjeanty is now changed into sockage, so that the wardship of the lands that belonged to Richard de Grey cannot and ought not to pertain to the king.

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Feckenham.

To Robert de Burgherssh, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to permit certain jewels that the king and Queen Margaret, his consort, have given and have ordered to be carried to parts beyond sea, as shall appear to him by the letters testimonial of the king or of his consort, to cross to parts beyond sea from the port of Dover without hindrance, notwithstanding the ordinance previously made by the king and his council.

To the king's bailiffs of Wylton. Order to pay to the poor brethren and sisters of the Hospital of St. Giles, Wilton, six marks of yearly rent from the town of Wilton as they were wont to have it in times past, until inquiry be made concerning any right that the king may have in this behalf or until otherwise ordered, as it is found by an inquisition taken by Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent, that the brethren and sisters received this rent of the gift of the king's progenitors, formerly kings of England, for the maintenance of a chaplain celebrating divine service in the hospital daily for the souls of the king's ancestors, and that the brethren and sisters of the hospital have received it from the first gift made to them of certain rents and issues of that town by the hands of the bailiffs thereof, both when the town was in the hands of the king's progenitors and when it was in the hands of Sir Richard, late king of Almain, and of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, without any interruption until Christmas last, at which time the town came to the king's hands by the death of the said Edmund.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to permit the said brethren and sisters to have the aforesaid six marks as they had them in times past, until inquisition be made concerning any right that the king may have therein or until otherwise ordered by the king.

March 27.
Evesham.

To Master John Bonich' of Florence, appointed to receive in the pope's name payment of 10,000 marks due from certain abbots and priors of the realm by reason of certain obligations that they lately made for the king and in his name. The king is given to understand that he exacts a mark upon each hundred marks of the said money for his expenses from the abbots and priors before he will restore to them their said obligations, which are in his hands, unjustly and to the grievous expense of the abbots and priors, or more truly of the king, who is bound to save them harmless in this behalf as they entered into the said obligation and security for him and at his instance: the king orders John to desist entirely from exacting the said mark on the hundred marks, and to restore to each of the abbots and priors their respective obligations without difficulty upon their satisfying him for the amounts due from them according to the obligations, so conducting himself in this behalf that it may not be necessary for the king to provide another remedy owing to his acting otherwise. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 908.]

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Feckenham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king has granted to Amadeus, count of Savoy, for his costs and expenses in the king's service upon divers occasions and for his good service to the king, the wardship of all the lands that belonged to Nicholas de Audeleye, tenant in chief, on the day of his death, during the minority of Nicholas's heir, as contained in the king's letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 27 Edw. I, p. 457] to the count, and the count has given the king to understand that the treasurer and barons cause 12*l.* wherewith the manor of Forde, co. Salop, which is of the wardship aforesaid, is charged yearly at the exchequer to be exacted, contrary to the form of the grant aforesaid; the king orders them, if be so, to desist from exacting this sum from the count during the wardship aforesaid.

March 26.
Evesham.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause John de Braye, king's clerk, to have in the forest of Chippenham four oaks fit for timber, together with all their strippings (*escaetis*), of the king's gift.

By K.

MEMBRANE 9.

April 9.
Feckenham.

To Stephen Sprot, constable of Hastin[ges] castle. As the king understands that R. archbishop of Canterbury intends to visit the king's free chapel in that castle, which is exempt from all jurisdiction of the ordinary, to the prejudice of the king and the injury of the liberty of the chapel: the king orders the constable not to permit the archbishop or any one else coming to the castle on his behalf, for the purpose of visiting the chapel or of doing or attempting anything else that may result in the king's prejudice or the injury of the liberty of the chapel, to enter the castle without consulting the king. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, p. 904.]

April 8.
Feckenham.

To Sir John, count of Hainault. Letter recommending to him Gerard de Freney, knight, and Walter Bacun, clerk, whom the king has caused to be sent to those parts to supervise the state of the affairs in those parts concerning Elizabeth, countess of Holland, the king's daughter, and to ordain concerning the same, and requesting him to permit them to dispose of, and ordain concerning, the said affairs without hindrance, and to support them therein, as the affairs of the countess in those parts progress badly now-a-days owing to the hindrances of certain men, and the king is given to understand by one of the count's men that such hindrances are not set up by the count's order or will. The count is desired not to marvel at the king sending such simple envoys at this time, as he has done this because the said envoys are more experienced in the state of the said affairs and also of the condition of those parts than more solemn or greater envoys might be.

April 10.
Feckenham.

To the king's bailiffs of Ravensere and keepers of that port. John Case, burgess and merchant of St. Omer, has intimated to the king that whereas a ship of Flanders laden with the goods and things of certain men of Scotland arrived at that port owing to stress of wind and sea, the bailiffs and keepers arrested 102*l.* in pollards and crockards and four cups, four spoons, and six small pieces of silver of the said John's goods found in that ship, by virtue of the king's ordinance that no one shall bring bad money into the realm under the penalties contained in the ordinance; whereupon the king, at the request of Queen Margaret, his consort, ordered them not long ago to deliver the said money and goods to John: as the

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king now understands that the money and goods pertain not only to John but also to him and to John fiz Duyt, Thomas Shen, and Paul de Plunk', he orders the bailiffs and keepers to deliver the said 102*l.* with the other goods aforesaid to John, John, Thomas, and Paul, to wit each their portion as they can show and prove it before the bailiffs and keepers, so that renewed complaint may not come to the king; provided that the bailiffs and keepers be secure that they shall carry all the money with the cups, spoons, and pieces aforesaid to the king's exchange to be exchanged there.

[March] 25. Thomas Wale who is going to the court of Rome by the king's orders
Evesham. upon the king's affairs, has letters of protection for one year with the clause *volumus*.

Vacated because on the Patent Roll.

April 12. To the sheriff of Worcester. Order to cause Geoffrey Abytot to have
Evesham. seisin of a messuage and a virgate of land in Rudmerleye, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which Richard Warde, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Richard held them of Geoffrey, and that the township of Rudmerleye had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king, and that the messuage and land are in the king's hands.

April 6. To William de Sancto Georgio. As the king has enjoined upon the
Feckenham. treasurer and barons of the exchequer certain things to be intimated to him on the king's behalf, he orders William to be at the exchequer on the quinzaine of Easter next, to do those things that the treasurer and barons shall enjoin upon him on the king's behalf.

The like to Robert de Bayouse.

April 19. To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and to Master Thomas Cantok,
Worcester. chancellor of Ireland. Whereas the king—upon its being found by an inquisition taken by Robert de Ufford, justiciary of Ireland, returned into the chancery of England and enrolled there, that Geoffrey de Geynvill and Maud, his wife, hold certain lands in Meath (*Midia*) of her inheritance that are outside the boundaries of any of the king's counties, and that the king's writ was wont before the liberty of Meath was taken into the late king's hands to be directed immediately to Hugh de Lasey and Walter de Lasey, Maud's ancestors, and to their bailiffs there, and that this was changed from the time when the liberty was taken into the late king's hands by the justiciary, chancellor and other ministers of the king at their will and not for any cause, and likewise that it is not to the king's damage if his writs be directed immediately to Geoffrey and Maud and their bailiffs of that liberty, as was wont to be done in times past—granted that his writs touching the said liberty should be directed immediately to Geoffrey and Maud, or to the heirs of Maud, or to their bailiffs of that liberty, in accordance with the tenor of the inquisition aforesaid and as they were wont to be directed to Maud's ancestors before the liberty was taken into the late king's hands; wherefore he ordered Stephen, bishop of Waterford, then justiciary of Ireland, and also him who was then chancellor of Ireland to direct, or cause to be directed, such writs to Geoffrey and Maud and Maud's heirs and to their bailiffs in form aforesaid, as is more fully contained in the king's order, which is or ought to be in the possession of the justiciary and chancellor; and all the king's writs touching the liberty have been wont to be directed to Geoffrey and Maud and their bailiffs of the liberty without hindrance from the time of the king's grant aforesaid in all the times of the justiciaries and

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chancellors of Ireland until the time of the present justiciary and chancellor, by virtue of the king's order aforesaid, as Geoffrey and Maud have given the king to understand: the king, willing that Geoffrey and Maud shall not be unduly aggrieved (*fatigari*) in the premises contrary to the tenor of the king's grant aforesaid, but wishing to treat them most favourably in consideration of the good service that has been long and gratefully rendered to him by Geoffrey, orders the justiciary and chancellor to cause his writs concerning the liberty to be directed to Geoffrey and Maud or their bailiffs, in accordance with the tenor of his order aforesaid, without inflicting any grievance or impediment upon them in this behalf. If by chance they have any reasonable cause why they ought not to do the premises or any of them, they shall make it known to the king without delay under the seal that he uses in Ireland, so that he may cause to be done further in this matter what shall seem fit by his council.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas the king is indebted to Geoffrey de Geynville in 124*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for his expenses in the king's service in going by his order to the court of Rome, staying there, and returning thence, as appears by a reckoning (*computacionem*) made in the king's wardrobe at Worcester before John de Drokenesford, keeper of the wardrobe, on 19 April, in the twenty-ninth year of the reign: the king orders the treasurer and barons to allow to Geoffrey the said sum in the debts due from him to that exchequer. In case the king be still indebted to him after such allowance have been made, they shall make it known to the king under the seal of that exchequer.

By bill of the wardrobe.

April 26.
Lugwardine

To the justices next in eyre for pleas of the Forest in co. Gloucester. Notification that the king has pardoned Eustace de Hacche and Walter de Redmarlegh the trespass committed by them in taking without his licence a buck and a doe in the forest of Dene during the time when Grimbald Pauncefot was keeper of that forest, and order not to molest or aggrieve Eustace and Walter before them for this reason. By p.s. [2268.]

April 18.
Worcester.

Alice de Morisdenne, imprisoned at Maydenstan for the death of Alice de Blakebrok, wherewith she is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Kent to bail her until the first assize.

April 26.
Lugwardine.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that William le Brun held at his death no lands of the king in the escheator's bailiwick except the manor of Fordinggebrugge, co. Southampton, by the service of a third of a knight's fee, and the manor of Rughenore, in the same county, by serjeanty, rendering therefore yearly 40*s.* to the king at Michaelmas, and the manor of Randolveston, co. Dorset, by the service of a moiety of a knight's fee, whereof Isolda, late his wife, was jointly enfeoffed by the king, to hold of him as of the honour of Camel, which is in his hands, by the services aforesaid, and that Maurice le Brun, William's son, is his nearest heir and is aged twenty-one years and over, by reason whereof the wardship of the lands that belonged to William cannot and ought not to pertain to the king at present: the king therefore orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the other lands that belonged to William, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of William's death.

May 2.
Kempsey.

To the sheriff of Worcester. Order to cause Lucy de Abitot to have seisin of a messuage and six acres of land in Rydmerele, as the king

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learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that the messuage and land, which Richard Warde, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Richard held them of Lucy, and that the township of Rydmerle had the king's year, day and waste thereof, for which it ought to answer to him.

May 4.
Kempsey.

To the keepers of the passage of the port of Dover. Order to permit Master Peter de Latilliaco, canon of the church of Paris, and Master Peter de Monziaco, canon of the church of Angers, and John de Barr, knight, envoys of the king of France lately sent to the king in England, who are now returning home, to cross with their men, horses, arms, equipments, and all their other things that they brought with them to England or that were given to them after their arrival in England, as shall appear to the keepers by the testimony of the envoys. The keepers are ordered to deliver to the envoys a letter under their seal that the envoys wished to send to parts beyond sea and that was arrested by the keepers in that port.

May 8.
Kempsey.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Whereas it was found by an inquisition taken by Robert de Harughdon, supplying the justice's place when he was in the king's service in parts beyond sea, that Gervase de Holeweye, the king's yeoman, to whom the king lately granted by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 27 Edw. I, p. 405], for his long service to the king, the custody of the bailiwick of his forest of Briggestok and Geytington for life, ought to appoint and amove foresters and other ministers of the forest in the said custody by reason of his bailiwick at his will; the king orders the justice to permit Gervase to appoint and amove foresters in that forest without hindrance, not permitting him to be hindered or molested concerning this by anyone.

To William de Bereford. Order to be with the king at Northampton at Holy Trinity next, laying aside all other things, as the king specially needs his presence for certain things that concern the king.

May 4.
Kempsey.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Patrick, son and heir of Adam Bonche, to have seisin of the lands that his father held at his death of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

May 12.
Kempsey.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to receive William de Veupont, knight, and William de Neuton, yeomen, Scots, the king's prisoners and rebels, from the constable of the castle of Porcestre, who will deliver them to him by the king's order, by indenture, and to cause them to be kept safely in prison in the castle of Winchester, and to pay to them their wages, to wit 3*d.* a day to the knight and 2*d.* a day to the yeoman, until otherwise ordered by the king.

By K.

To the constable of Porcestre castle. Order to send the said prisoners to Winchester castle, and to cause them to be there delivered to the sheriff by indenture.

May 13.
Kempsey.

To the sheriff of Hereford and to the coroners of that county. Order to restore to Gilbert de Bohun his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the outlawry promulgated against him in the king's court because he did not answer to Roger de Mortuo Mari for a trespass committed against him, as the king lately pardoned him the outlawry by his letters patent [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 29 Edw. I, p. 565], and he has now granted to him his lands, goods and chattels, as he wishes to show him more ample favour because he is setting out for Scotland in his service.

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May 13.
Kempsey.

To John de London[ia], constable of Windsor castle. Order to cause the abbot of Westminster to have eight bucks for the present year, in accordance with the late king's grant by his charter, which the king has confirmed, to God and the church of St. Peter and the abbot of Westminster of eight bucks yearly, to be taken in the forest of Windsor at the king's cost by the hands of the constable of the castle and to be carried by him to Westminster on the eve of St. Peter ad Vincula, so that those who bring the venison shall make two (meneias) before the great altar of St. Peter in that church.

May 12.
Kempsey.

To the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk. As the king proposes to be at Berwick-on-Tweed at Midsummer next to set out thence with his army against the Scots, so that he needs horses and carts for carriage of victuals and divers other things, he orders the sheriff immediately upon sight hereof to cause twelve carts and thirty-six horses to draw the carts and two drivers (*fugatoribus*) for each cart to be purveyed in those counties, and to cause them to come to the said place by the said feast at the latest. He is to inform the men of religion and others from whom the carts shall be taken that the king will cause the price thereof to be paid to them at Michaelmas next without delay. He is also ordered to certify the treasurer and barons of the exchequer as quickly as possible of the price of the horses and carts and of the names of their owners.

The like to the sheriff of Lincoln.

The like to the sheriff of Nottingham and Derby.

May 13.
Kempsey.

To the sheriff of Gloucester. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that a messuage and six acres of land in Bolesdon, which John atte Wode, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that John held them of William de Belesdon (*sic*), and that the township of Bolesdon had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to him: the king orders the sheriff to cause John (*sic*) to have seisin of the said messuage and land.

May 21.
Kenilworth.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to restore to Erneburga de Hardreshull, elected abbess of Pollesworth, any issues of the abbey that he may have received by reason of the voidance of the abbey, as the king lately at the suit of the nuns of the abbey—suggesting that he ought not to receive anything from the issues of the abbey by reason of its voidance, and that neither he or his ancestors were wont to receive any issues there by reason of voidance of the abbey in times past—ordered the treasurer and barons of the exchequer to search the rolls of the exchequer concerning this, and they have certified him that having searched the rolls of the time of Master Richard de Clifford, Master Henry de Bray, and Malcolm de Harle, formerly escheators this side Trent, and of the time of Richard de Holebrok, formerly the king's steward this side Trent, during whose times the abbey was often void, they do not find in the accounts of the escheators and steward that they received anything by reason of the voidance of the abbey or answered to the king for anything thereof in their accounts, and the king has taken Erneburga's fealty and restored to her the temporalities of the house.

To the sheriff of Cornwall. Order to retain in the king's hands the manor of Karyas, which the sheriff took into the king's hands upon the death of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, and to cause the lands pertaining to it to be tilled and sown and the houses thereof to be maintained, and to keep the remainder of the issues thereof without waste until otherwise ordered.

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To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As the king wishes to provide for his indemnity and to observe equity concerning the allowances that sheriffs, bailiffs and fermors of manors demand for money in pollards and crockards received by them of the issues and fermes of the bailiwicks and manors and of the king's debts, and to defeat the schemes and frauds of certain persons, he orders the treasurer and barons to cause inquisition to be made by all means that they shall deem fit in the presence of those who paid such pollards and crockards, if they wish to be present, as to which sheriffs, bailiffs and fermors of his manors have received pollards and crockards current for sterlings in the realm from the issues of their bailiwicks and fermes and from the debts due to the king that they levied by his writs between Michaelmas, at the end of his twenty-seventh year, and the following Christmas, upon which day he caused proclamation to be made that two pollards or crockards should be current for one sterling throughout the realm, and as to what persons made to them full acquittances, and as to what persons they received such pollards and crockards from in place of sterlings before the proclamation, and for which they did not have full allowance in their payments at the exchequer, but only half the full allowance (*tantummodo semi-plenam*), such as an allowance for a half-penny where they made an acquittance for a penny and delivered the acquittance to those who paid them such money in pollards and crockards, and as to how much each of them thus received, and also as to what ministers of the king received such pollards and crockards at the rate of two for a sterling from the said issues, fermes and debts between Christmas aforesaid and the following Easter, to wit in the twenty-eighth year of the reign, at which feast the king caused the currency of such money of pollards and crockards throughout his realm to be forbidden, for which reason it was necessary for them to pay pure sterlings thenceforth, and as to how much each of them received in this form and as to how much damage each of them sustained, having due respect and consideration to the terms and days at which the issues, fermes and debts ought to have been levied and paid to the exchequer or otherwise expended about the king's affairs and also to the distance of the places and the difficulties (*discrimina*) of the roads, so that there shall be no fraud or deceit in the receiving or levying of such money in the said time or in the payments afterwards made from it, and to cause reasonable allowance to be made to each sheriff, bailiff, fermor, and minister in accordance with the tenor of the inquisitions.

May 22.
Kenilworth.

To the mayor, bailiffs and men of the city of York. Order to receive John de Ville of Bayonne from the bearer of the presents, and to cause him to be kept safely within the city until otherwise ordered by the king, so that they may answer for his body to the king at his order.

Like letters for the following men to the mayors, bailiffs and men of the cities and towns named below :

Nottingham, for Garsias Arnald de Puinz.
Gloucester, for Peter Arnald de Bonyerd.
Oxford, for Peter de Franc[ia].
Hereford, for Bernard de Pereres.
Norwich, for Peter Arnald de la Perere.
Lincoln, for William Pierres de Franc[ia].
Shrewsbury, for Peter Andreu du Rok'.
Northampton, for Peter Bernard de Toluse.

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Kenilworth.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause to be replevied to Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and Marshal of England, until Whitsuntide next his liberty of Catherlagh in Ireland, which was lately taken into the king's hands by the justiciary for certain causes, and which the king afterwards ordered to be replevied to the earl until a certain term now past, and which has been again taken into the king's hands, certifying the king in the meantime of the reason for taking the liberty into his hands.

Roger le Bercher of Bretford, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of Hugh de la Marche, whom he slew in self-defence, as appears to the king by the record of W. Inge and N. Fermbaud, his justices appointed to deliver that gaol, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him.

May 25.
Kenilworth.

To John de Tyngewyk, keeper of the forest of Whitelwode. Order to cause Hugh de Veer to have in the king's wood called 'the park of Haunle,' which is within the bounds of that forest, twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K.

To the same. Order to cause Robert son of Nigel to have in the king's wood of Pokesle, which is within the bounds of that forest, eight oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K.

May 20.
Kenilworth.

To the sheriff of Cornwall. Order to deliver to Brother Robert de Penlyn, hermit, the island surrounded (*inclusam*) by the water of Fawe, with a rent of 56s. 2d. from certain tenants of the manor of Penkneth, to be held by him for life as he held them before the death of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, by reason of whose death the sheriff took them into the king's hands, as the earl granted them, together with the houses built on the island, to Robert by his charter, which the king has inspected.

May 22.
Kenilworth.

To all Italian (*ultramontanis*) and other foreign merchants in Ireland, of whatsoever society they may be. Whereas the king lately ordered the justiciary and treasurer of Ireland to receive by way of loan in his name and also to take money and money's worth (*denarios et denaratas*) from merchants and others wherever found in those parts, in as great a sum as the promotion of the king's affairs should require: the king requests the merchants to bear patiently the seizure of money and other goods in their possession or custody or deposited elsewhere in their name that the justiciary and treasurer shall make for the king's use, as they love the king and as the king puts his trust in them. He gives them to understand that he will cause them to be satisfied in England for the money and goods thus taken when he has been certified by the justiciary and treasurer. It seems to him that it will be to their advantage and profit to receive the money in England, since they will thus avoid the perils of the sea and many other risks. The king desires that they will have such consideration in this matter and that they will so conduct themselves in it that he shall be bound to forward their interests when required.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. As the king needs a great sum of money for the expedition of his war in Scotland, which sum it does not appear to him he can obtain at present with the rapidity necessary without the money that he caused to be arrested by the justiciary in the hands of certain merchants and which he ordered should not be carried out of that land: the king orders the justiciary to take without delay all the money that he shall find in the possession of Italian (*Italicos*) merchants or of others, or that may be found by inquisition, which shall be

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made secretly, for making speedy execution of the expedition, certifying the king by his letters of the total of the money thus taken, so that the king may satisfy them for it in England.

John le Muner of Stretham, imprisoned at Chichester for the death of John de Wantele, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

May 27.
Kenilworth.

To the king's bailiff of Braneys. As the king has taken the homage of John Fraunceys for all the lands that he held of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, which came to the king's hands by the earl's death, he orders the bailiff to release any distrain that he may have made for the homage.

The like to the same for Henry de Membury.

June 1.
Kenilworth.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to respite until a month from Midsummer the demand made upon Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, kinsman and co-heir and parcener of the inheritance that belonged to Richard son of John, tenant in chief, for his homage and relief for his purparty of the inheritance, and also for the debts due from Richard to the exchequer.

By K.

The like to the sheriff of Buckingham.

Thomas de Barynton, chaplain, imprisoned at Beverley for the death of William de Galmeton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

May 28.
Kenilworth.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the wife of John de Vienna, the king's yeoman, to have in the forest of Clarendon six oaks fit for timber and timber for forty rafters (*cheverones*), of the king's gift.

By K.

June 2.
Kenilworth.

Roger le Bercher of Bretford, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of Hugh de la Marche, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

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Kenilworth.

Roger de Sutton and Benedict and Ranulph, his sons, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of William de Lannesdale, wherewith they are charged, have letters to bail them until the first assize.

June 2.
Kenilworth.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Whereas John de Kent, who was indicted before Nicholas de Warrwik and Simon de Grenhill, justices appointed to enquire concerning a robbery committed upon William de Bereford at Brightwell, co. Oxford, of the said robbery, and who was afterwards attached by the justiciary by virtue of the king's order to arrest him if found in Ireland and who found the justiciary mainprise to stand to right in the king's court concerning the robbery, has rendered himself to prison at Oxford, wherein he still is: the king orders the justiciary not to molest the mainpernors by reason of the mainprise aforesaid, but to permit them to be acquitted in this matter.

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Jan. 28.
Nettleham.

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Robert, archbishop of Canterbury, in default for not appearing on Friday the quinzaine of St. Hilary, in the suit before them between John de Lenham and the archbishop and Henry de Peddyngg, Adam de Brocton and Richard Petyclerk concerning a trespass committed by them upon John, as the archbishop was in the king's service on that day by his order.

By C.

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William son of William de Karliolo was in the king's service by his order on Friday the quinzaine of St. Hilary, so that he could not be present with Eudo de Karliolo and Ida, his wife, and Agnes, late the wife of William de Preston, before the king to hear the record that the king caused to come before him of the suit before John de Vallibus and his fellows, justices late in eyre at Carlisle, between William de Karliolo, demandant, and Richard Maunsel, tenant, concerning 16 bovates and 25½ acres of land, 60 acres of wood and a moiety of a mill in Comquyntyn. This is signified to Roger de (*sic*) Brabazon and his fellows, justices appointed to hear and determine the king's pleas.

By K. by the testimony of John de Sancto Johanne.

Jan. 28.
Nettleham. To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Thomas de Berkelegh in default for not appearing on Friday the octaves of St. Hilary in the suit before the justices between Nicholas son of Ralph and him concerning the unjust taking and detaining of Nicholas's cattle, and in the suit before them by another writ between Nicholas and Thomas concerning the unjust taking and detaining of a plough beast (*jumento*) of Nicholas, as Thomas was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Feb. 5.
Nettleham. To the same. Order not to put the abbot of Barlinges in default for not appearing on Friday the quinzaine of St. Hilary in the suit before the justices between the dean and chapter of St. Mary's, Lincoln, and the said abbot and the prior of St. Katharine's without Lincoln, the prior of Catteleye, and Roger de Ingoldeby of this that the abbot, prior, prior and Roger should acknowledge by what services they hold their tenements in Navenby of the abbot of Fécamp, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Feb. 6.
Nettleham. Thomas de Sancto Laudo was in the king's service by his order on Saturday the morrow of St. Martin, in the 28th year of the reign, so that he could not appear in the suit before the justices of the Bench between Richard de Howelle and him and William de Cressy, whom Thomas vouched to warranty against Richard, of this that Thomas should permit Richard to demolish a mill in Claypol, and the justices are ordered not to put Thomas in default for his absence on that day.

Feb. 10.
Nettleham. To Adam Crokedayk and Lambert de Trikyngnam, justices appointed to take assizes in co. Derby. Order not to put Urian son of John de Sancto Petro in default because he did not appear on Monday the octaves of the Assumption at the assize of novel [*disseisin*] that he arramed before the justices against William de Monte Gomery and others named in the original writ concerning tenements in Eyton in Duvedale, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Feb. 22.
Lincoln. To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Walter de Teye in default because he did not appear on Thursday the morrow of All Souls last in the suit before them between him and John de Dayntre and John, his son, concerning the unjust taking and detaining of Walter's cattle, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

March 1.
Lincoln. To the bailiffs of Aymo de Quarto, provost of Beverley. Order not to put Richard Oysel in default for not appearing on Tuesday before the Conversion of St. Paul in the suit in the provost's court at Beverley by the king's writ between Henry son of John Quinzemars, demandant, and him, tenant, concerning a messuage in Beverley, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By K.

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May 14.
Kempsey.

To John de Batesford. Order not to put John de Roches in default for not appearing on Thursday the eve of the Epiphany at the assize of mort d'ancestor that Geoffrey son of Geoffrey de Wengham arramed before Richard Pyk against John concerning two parts of 100s. of yearly rent in Stivynton, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By K.

June 2.
Kenilworth.

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Giles de Aldithelegh in default for not appearing on Monday the morrow of three weeks from Easter last in the suit before them between Bogo de Knovill and Eleanor, his wife, Robert de Bracy and Maud, his wife, and Joan, late the wife of William Barentyn, demandants, and Giles, tenant, concerning a messuage and a carucate of land in Loskesford, as to which Thomas son of Nicholas de Aldithelegh vouched the said Giles to warranty against Bogo, Eleanor, Robert, Maud, and Joan, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

May 28.
Kenilworth.

To the bailiffs of the Hundred without the North Gate of Oxford. Order to pay out of the ferm of the Hundred to Robert de Crevequer 10*l.* for Easter term last of the 20*l.* yearly for life granted to him by the king from that ferm for the release that Robert made to him and Queen Eleanor, his late consort, of the manor of Ditton.

*MEMBRANE 7.*June 2.
Kenilworth.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest beyond Trent. Order to cause Adam de Ryston to have in the forest of Shirewode six oaks fit for timber, of the king's grant.

By K.

June 6.
Newark.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the forest of Shirewode. Order to cause Henry de Grey to have ten bucks in that forest, of the king's gift.

By K.

June 6.
Newark.

William Gerneter of Holtham, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of William son of Beatrice de Holtham, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lincoln to bail him until the first assize.

John de Sunnesthorp, imprisoned at York for the death of Alan son of Anketil de Sunnesthorp and Andrew, Alan's brother, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him.

June 6.
Newark.

Nicholas le Taillur of Exeter, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of John son of Nicholas de Trevoscarwer, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

June 2.
Kenilworth

To the keeper of the king's [park] at Tonebrigge. Order to cause the prior and brethren of the orders of Preachers at London to have in the king's chace there twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

June 10.
Beverley.

Thomas de Lynton, imprisoned at Royston (*de Cruce Roesia*) for the death of William Peny of London, has letters to the sheriff of Hertford to bail him until the first assize.

June 14.
Eversley.

To Richard Oysel, bailiff of Holdernes. Order to replevy to Thomas, archbishop of York, during the king's pleasure his liberty, which the king caused to be taken into his hands for a contempt lately committed in his presence at Beverley. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 861.]

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June 13.
Kirkham.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Ralph de Eyncourt, whom the king has caused to be amoved from office because he learns upon trustworthy testimony that he is insufficiently qualified and unfit.

June 11.
Beverley.

To the sheriff of Nottingham. Order to pay to the prisoners from Scotland who were captured in the conflict of Dumbard and who are imprisoned in the castle of Nottingham and to their keepers the arrears of their wages for all the sheriff's time, and to pay them their wages henceforth, to wit 3*d.* a day to each esquire and 2*d.* a day to each of the keepers, until otherwise ordered.

June 14.
Thirsk.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place in the forest of Shirewode. Order to cause William de Spofford to have in the forest of Shirewode four oaks fit for timber towards rebuilding the bridge of Heybrigg over (*ultra*) the water of Trent near Muksham (*sic*), which is broken down.

By K.

June 15.
Thirsk.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Richard, son and heir of John Danyel, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Like order, referring also to the lands that came to the king in the name of wardship by reason of Richard's minority.

June 22.
Tynemouth.

Walter le Sack, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Robert son of Richard de Cokemanton, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him until the first assize.

June 23.
Tynemouth.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to deliver to Margaret, late the wife of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, 21*l.* of yearly rent in that city from Queenhythe (*Ripa Regine*), which the king lately assigned to her in dower among other lands that belonged to Edmund, and which he ordered Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent, to deliver to her, as Walter has signified to the king that the rent is in the hands of the sheriffs, wherefore he was unable to execute the king's order.

To the keeper of the king's wood of Horeston. Order to cause Ralph de Shirle, constable of Horeston castle, to have in that wood twelve oaks fit for timber for the repair of the houses within the castle.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry.

June 23.
Tynemouth.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king has given power to W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield to receive oath from Agnes, late the wife of Richard de Pesmere, which Richard held by knight service of the heir of Brian de Braunton, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, that she will not marry without the king's licence: the king orders the escheator to cause dower to be assigned to her when the bishop shall certify to him that she has taken such oath.

To the same. Order to deliver to Alice, late the wife of Simon de Combe, as nearest [friend] of his heir, the wardship of two carucates of land in Feleton, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Simon at his death held them of the king in fee-farm, rendering therefor to the exchequer 12*l.* yearly for all service, and that Richard, his son, is his next heir and is aged ten weeks, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition that Simon held of him elsewhere at his death by reason whereof the wardship of his land ought or might pertain to the king.

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June 26.
Tynemouth

To the same. Order to cause Maud, daughter and heiress of Philip de la Rokele, and Maurice le Brun, her husband, to have seisin of the lands whereof Philip was seised at his death, as she has proved her age before the escheator and the king has taken Maurice's fealty. By p.s. [2290.]

June 27.
Horton.

To William Inge and Roger de Suthcotes, justices appointed to deliver Stafford gaol. It is shown to the king on behalf of the dean and chapter of St. Mary's, Stafford, that whereas Adam Coly and William de Offeleghe lately fled to that church for sanctuary for certain trespasses charged against them, certain of their enemies violently dragged them out of the church and delivered them to the aforesaid gaol: the king orders the justices to cause Adam and William to be restored to the church if they ascertain that it is as stated.

June 22.
Tynemouth.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause to be restored to the dean and chapter of St. Ethelbert's, Hereford, a messuage and four bovates of land in Long Staunton and the advowson of the church of that town, together with the issues received thence, if they were taken into the king's hands solely by reason of the statute of mortmain, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that the dean and chapter acquired the messuage and land—which the escheator took into the king's hands asserting that they had acquired them after the publication of the statute without the king's licence—ten years and over before the publication of the said statute from Eynion, formerly prior of Wenlok, and the convent of that place, in frankalmoin.

June 24.
Tynemouth.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the abbot and convent of Thornton-on-Humber are indebted to the king in 995 marks for the crop (*vestura*) of his wood of Rumwode, co. Nottingham, sold to them and also for the market, fair, warren and confirmation of certain charters granted to them, and the king is indebted to them in 384 marks for forty-eight sacks of wool bought from them for his use by Robert de Basing and Richard de Bella Fago of Lincoln and their fellows, appointed by his letters patents to buy wool in that county for the king's use in the twenty-fifth year of his reign: the king orders the treasurer and barons to allow to the abbot and convent the latter sum in the said 995 marks.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause the lands mentioned below to be restored to the dean and chapter of St. Ethelbert's, Hereford, as the king learns by an inquisition that he caused to be taken by the escheator that the dean and chapter acquired two messuages in Hereford, to wit one from Agnes la Gloverie and the other from Absolom (*de Aspilone*) le Clerk, seventeen years before the publication of the statute of mortmain, and 13s. 4d. of yearly rent in the same town from Hugh le Clerk, citizen of Hereford, ten years before the publication of the statute, and 12s. of yearly rent in the same town from John de Glouc[estria] eight years before the publication of the statute, and a messuage and eighteen acres of land in the canons' moor (*in la more canonicorum*) from John de (*sic*) Breton thirty years before the publication of the statute, and 60 acres of land in Baysham and Selak from Aytrop de la More and Adam de la Felde fifty years before the publication of the statute, and 30 acres of land in Pencoit from David Colling and William Colling forty years before the publication of the statute, and 12d. yearly of rent in Hereford from Reginald Moniword twenty years before the publication of the statute, to them and their church in free, pure and perpetual alms, which land, etc. the escheator has taken into the king's hands, asserting that the dean and chapter had

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acquired them after the publication of the statute without the king's licence, and order to restore everything received thence since they were taken into the king's hands.

June 28.
Morpeth.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. It is shown to the king on behalf of N. archbishop of Armagh that whereas 40*l.* at which he was amerced before the justices of the Bench at Dublin without reasonable cause, as it is said, were exacted from him by summons of the said exchequer, and the king lately ordered the treasurer and barons to moderate the amercement at their discretion after considering the nature (*quantitate*) of the offence for which he was thus amerced, and to release the distraint made to him for this reason until the moderation should be made, the treasurer and barons, although they have moderated the amercement, in accordance with the aforesaid order, to 100*s.*, and although the archbishop paid that sum immediately afterwards to the king at the said exchequer and had quittance thereof, cause him to be distrained for 35*l.* as if the 100*s.* had been paid in part payment of the 40*l.* and not by reason of the moderation of the amercement: the king orders them to inspect the acquittance for the 100*s.* and to cause the archbishop to be acquitted of the said 35*l.* by reason of the amercement, if it appear to them that the amercement was thus moderated to 100*s.* [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 914.]

June 28.
Morpeth.

To William Inge and Roger de Suthcotes, justices appointed to deliver Stafford gaol. Order to cause Adam Coly and William de Offelegh, imprisoned in Stafford gaol for robberies and other offences, to be restored to St. Mary's church, Stafford, if they satisfy themselves that Adam and William broke the gaol and fled for sanctuary to the said church and that they were dragged out of it by violence by certain of their enemies, as it is shown to the king by the dean and chapter of the church that Adam and William were thus drawn out of the church and delivered to gaol.

David Hakun of Fynnynglay, imprisoned at York for the death of Jordan le Fayre of Besacre, wherewith he is indicted, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to restore to Alice, late the wife of William Wymark of Sumercotes, and to her children the goods and chattels of William for their maintenance, as the king lately ordered the sheriff to certify him of the reason for taking into the king's hands the goods and chattels that belonged to William, who was lately indicted of the death of Gilbert le Muner of Sumercotes and who was imprisoned at Lincoln for that reason, and who died in prison, and the sheriff has returned that he learned by inquisition that the goods and chattels were taken into the king's hands because William was [present] when one Hugh Tan slew the aforesaid Gilbert at Sumercotes, and that William did no harm to Gilbert and was in no way consenting to his death, but was arrested and imprisoned at Lincoln as suspected, in which prison he died before the gaol could be delivered of him according to the law and custom of the realm.

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June 28.
Morpeth.

To the sheriff of Lancaster. Whereas the king lately—upon its being found by an inquisition taken by the sheriff by his order and returned into chancery that a messuage and three bovates of land in Longeton, which Michael son of John de Hole, who was outlawed for felony

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committed in co. Cumberland, held, had been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Michael held them of Nicholas le Butiller, and that Ralph de Munjoye and Thomas Banastre had the king's year and day thereof, and that they ought to answer to the king therefor—ordered the sheriff to cause Nicholas to have seisin of the messuage and land, saving the right of others; and afterwards the king, because he was given to understand that Michael was not outlawed, ordered the sheriff and coroners of co. Cumberland to certify him as to the record and process of any outlawry that might have been pronounced against Michael in those parts; and it appeared fully to the king by their certificate that Michael was not outlawed in those parts; whereupon he ordered the said sheriff of Lancaster to certify him of the cause for taking the messuage and land into the king's hands; concerning which the sheriff wrote back that Ralph de Munjoye, late sheriff of Lancaster, took the messuage and land into the king's hands by virtue of a writ directed to him to take into the king's hands the lands of the Scots, his enemies, and of all their adherents, because it was found by an inquisition taken by Ralph that Michael was of Scotch origin and dwelt with his relations in Scotland, and that the messuage and land were in the king's hands for this reason solely; and whereas Alan del Kar and Joan, his wife, afterwards came to the chancery and asserted that Joan is the sister and heiress of Michael, and prayed the king that the messuage and land might be delivered to them as her right and inheritance, wherefore the king, willing that the messuage and land should be detained in his hands until he should be more fully certified concerning the premises, ordered the sheriff of Lancaster to supersede the execution of his order to deliver seisin of the messuage and land to Nicholas, or to resume them into the king's hands if he had already delivered seisin thereof to Nicholas, so that the sheriff should answer to the exchequer for the issues thence arising until otherwise ordered, and to warn Nicholas to be before the king in fifteen days from Holy Trinity last, which day he gave to Alan and Joan, to show cause why the messuage and land should not be delivered to Alan and Joan as Joan's right and inheritance; at which day the sheriff returned that Nicholas was dead; whereupon the king ordered him to make inquisition whether Michael at his death was at the king's faith and peace or not, and whether Joan was his nearest heir, and of whom the messuage and land are held, and by what services; by which inquisition it was found that Michael died at the king's faith and peace and that Joan is his next heir, and that the messuage and land are held of the heirs of the said Nicholas: the king orders the sheriff to deliver the messuage and land to Alan and Joan, if they are in the king's hands solely for this reason.

July 1.
Bamburgh.

To the mayor, bailiffs and men of the town of Southampton. Whereas Bernard de Perers, one of the hostages of Bayonne, has fled to the church of the Friars Minors, Southampton, in which he has remained for forty days and more, and he wishes to leave the church if he can obtain the conditions and state of the other hostages of Bayonne dwelling in divers parts of the realm, as the king understands: the king orders them, if Bernard wish to leave the church and to be put in safe custody, so that he may have the state that the other hostages have, to receive him as soon as he comes out of the church, and to carry him under safe and sure conduct to Winchester, there to be delivered to the mayor and bailiffs, whom the king has ordered to receive him and to keep him safely until the king shall cause ordinance to be made otherwise by his council. If

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by chance Bernard will not do this, they shall then place such good custody over him that he can in no way escape, as John le Flemeng, their fellow-burgess, upon whom the king has caused his will to be enjoined by his council, shall tell them on the king's behalf. By C.

To the mayor, bailiffs and men of the town of Winchester. Mandate in pursuance.

June 28.
Morpeth.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to Robert Strech, son of Ralph Strech, three virgates of land in Astwode and $9\frac{1}{2}$ acres in the same town, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Ralph at his death held of the king the said three virgates by the service of 20s. and the said $9\frac{1}{2}$ acres of the sokemanery (*sokemaneria*) of the manor of Feckenham, by the service of 3s. 2d. yearly to the said manor, and that he held no other lands of the king at his death, and that Robert Strech, his son, is his next heir and is aged twenty years, and the king has taken Robert's fealty for the lands.

July 5.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To the sheriff of Oxford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Robert de Romeny, as Robert has sold all his lands in that county, so that he is insufficient to execute the duties of the office.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Alan de Assh, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony that Alan is so broken by age and so blind that he is insufficient for the execution of the duties of the office.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to Agnes, late the wife of Laurence de Bluntesdon, as nearest [friend] of his heir, a virgate of land in Bluntesdon, together with the issues thereof since Laurence's death, as the king learns by an inquisition that the king has caused to be taken by Walter that Laurence at his death held of the king the said virgate only as of the king's manor of Sevenhampton, rendering therefor 12d. yearly at Michaelmas and doing suit at the king's court there from three weeks to three weeks for all service, whereby the wardship of the lands that belonged to Laurence on the said day cannot and ought not to pertain to the king, and that Joan, his daughter, is his next heir and is aged nine years.

To the same. Whereas the king ordered the escheator not to intermeddle further with the other lands that the said Laurence held in his bailiwick, and the king is given to understand that Fulk son of Warin has entered a carucate of land in Bluntesdon, co. Wilts, and John Golafre has entered a carucate of land in the same town, and Laurence de Louches has entered a messuage and four virgates of land in Little Milton, co. Oxford, which the said Laurence held of them by knight service, as is found by the inquisition aforesaid, by virtue of the king's order last mentioned, and that they hold the lands in peace: the king orders the escheator to deliver to them the issues of their respective lands from the time when they were taken into the king's hands.

July 10.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To the same. Whereas the king lately granted to William de Valencia, his uncle, the custody of all the lands that belonged to William de Say, tenant in chief, with the knights' fees, advowsons of churches, wardships, reliefs, escheats, and all other appurtenances, during the heir's minority, saving to Elizabeth, late the wife of William de Say, her dower and saving to Henry de Grey the custody of the manor of Burgham, which belonged to William de Say, to whom the king granted the custody

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during the heir's minority; and the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator concerning the lands that belonged to Alice, late the wife of Richard de Brewosa, that she held of the said heir at her death the manor of Stynton, co. Norfolk, by knight service: the king, willing that the grant made to William [de Valencia] shall be observed in all things, orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the manor or its appurtenances, and to permit the executors of William de Valencia to have in peace what pertains to them by virtue of the grant aforesaid.

July 9. To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margaret, late
Berwick-on-Tweed. the wife of Jocus de Dynham, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Bartholomew, prior of St. Andrew's, Northampton, imprisoned at Northampton for the death of William de Blaston, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Northampton to bail him until the first assize.

July 15. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause
Berwick-on-Tweed. Franco de Scolond, kinsman and heir of Geoffrey de Scoland, to have seisin of the lands whereof Geoffrey, his uncle (*avunculus*), was seised at his death in his demesne as of fee, as Franco has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage. By p.s.

July 12. To John de London[ia], constable of Windsor castle. Order to pay to
Berwick-on-Tweed. two chaplains celebrating in the king's chapel in the castle 50s. each yearly; to Roger de Wyndesore, janitor of both gates of the castle, 4*d.* a day; to Thomas Burnel, one of the viewers of the king's works in the constable's bailiwick, 2*d.* a day; to Roger de Wyndesore, one of the viewers of the said works, 2*d.* a day; to Master John de London[ia], clerk of the king's works, 2*d.* a day; to four watchmen of the castle, 2*d.* a day each; to Adam the gardener of the king's garden without the castle, 2½*d.* a day; to John de Bathonia, janitor of the king's park at Windsor and keeper of his houses there, 4*d.* a day; to Robert de Say, chief forester of the forest of Windsor, 12*d.* a day; and to William the parker of the king's park of Kenyton, 1½*d.* a day, being their stipends and wages from Midsummer last until Michaelmas next.

To the same. Order to cause the houses, tower, walls and bridges of that castle, with the stable and the wall of the king's garden without the castle, the houses and ponds of the park at Windsor, with the paling round it, the houses and walls of the manor of Kenyton, with the paling and wall round the king's park there, and the houses and walls of the manor of Bray to be repaired where necessary.

July 16. To the same. Order to cause Rhys (*Reso*) Vaghan, who is staying in
Berwick-on-Tweed. the castle and who receives 1½*d.* a day, and two serjeants guarding him, who receive 3*d.* a day each, to have the arrears of their wages and robes for the time of the constable's office, and to pay them to them henceforth until further orders.

July 11. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause
Berwick-on-Tweed. dower to be assigned to Alice, late the wife of Robert de Hughham, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

July 19. John son of John Baldechose, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of
Berwick-on-Tweed. Peter son of William de Stowe, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him until the first assize.

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Robert de Milford, imprisoned at Beverley for the death of Jordan de Burton, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him until the first assize.

Thomas Margarete of Hoveton, imprisoned at Norwich for the death of Richer Berd, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Norfolk to bail him.

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July 14.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the abbot of Holmcoltran is indebted to the king in 100 marks, by which he made fine with him before the treasurer for having a charter for a fair and market at Skynburnesse, co. Cumberland, and the king is indebted to the abbot in 107 marks 7s. for wool lately taken from him by Harsculph de Clesby for the king's use at Carlisle, as will appear to them by a tally lately made between the abbot and Harsculph, and the abbot has besought the king to cause the 100 marks to be allowed to him at the exchequer in the aforesaid 107 marks 7s.: the king orders them to inspect the tally and to allow this sum to the abbot.

By p.s. [2308.]

July 20.
Coldstream
(Coldstream).

To the executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall. Whereas it is found by an inquisition taken by Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent, that Geoffrey de Nevill held nothing at his death of the king in chief, but that he held on that day 5 acres and a perch of meadow and 6s. of yearly rent in the town of Appelby of Geoffrey son and heir of Hugh de Nevill by the service of rendering to Geoffrey at Midsummer a chaplet of roses (*unum capellum rose*) for all services; and it appears to the king by the return of the escheator that the meadow and rent were the acquisition (*perquisitum*) of Geoffrey, and that Master Henry de Bray, then escheator beyond Trent, took them into the king's hands with the manor of Appelby, which Geoffrey held of the king by serjeanty of the inheritance of Margaret, his wife, by reason of Geoffrey's death, which manor was afterwards delivered to Margaret at her suit as her right, the meadow and rent always remaining in the king's hands until Malcolm de Harlegh, then escheator, delivered them by the king's order to the earl with other lands in the king's hands and wardship, for a debt in which the king was bound to the earl: the king orders the escheator not to intermeddle further with the meadow and rent aforesaid, which are in the hands of the executors by reason of the earl's death.

July 21.
Coldstream.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Gilbert de Gaunt of Bynnebrok, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Gilbert at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

Agnes de Herington, imprisoned at York for the death of William de Boulton near Richemund, wherewith she is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail her until the first assize.

Aug. 2.
Peebles.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Roesia, late the wife of Roger de Moubay, tenant in chief, such of the following of his knights' fees, which the king has assigned to her in dower, as are in the escheator's bailiwick: a third of a fee in Hoton Lungevilers, co. York, which third Margaret de Nevill holds and

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which is extended at 8*l.* yearly; a sixth of a fee in Westpilgarth, in the same county, which sixth Hugh son of Henry holds, and which is extended at 4*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Coldeneuton, in the same county, which moiety Alan de Catherton holds, and which is extended at 10*l.* yearly; a fee in Flasceby, in the same county, which William Grayndorge holds, and which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Wellom, Sutton, Norton and Knapton, in the same county, which moiety William de Vescy of Kildare holds, and which is extended at 8*l.* yearly; a fee in Sledmer, in the same county, which John de Wyvill holds and which is extended at 20*l.* yearly; a quarter of a fee in Langelethorp, in the same county, which quarter Simon de Stutevill holds, and which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; a quarter of a fee in Hundesburton, in the same county, which quarter John Pecche holds, and which is extended at 100*s.* yearly; two fees and a half in Kilburn, Thornton-on-the-Hull, and Athelingflete, in the same county, which John de Eyvill holds, and which are extended at 50*l.* yearly; a fee in Thurkilby, Osgodeby, and Silton, in the same county, which William de Buscy holds, and which is extended at 20*l.* yearly; a third of a fee in Carleton and Iselbeck, in the same county, which third Walter de Carleton holds, and which is extended at 4*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Sandhoton, in the same county, which moiety William le Gra holds, and which is extended at 10*l.* yearly; a fee in Brumpton, in the same county, which William de Vescy of Kildare holds, and which is extended at 20*l.* yearly; two fees in Langeton and Wyntringham, in the same county, which the said William holds, and which are extended at 40*l.* yearly; a quarter of a fee in Aldefeld and Stodleye, in the same county, which quarter William de Aldefeld holds, and which is extended at 6*l.* yearly; a quarter of a fee in Stodleye aforesaid, which quarter Agnes, daughter of John de Stodleye, holds, and which is extended at 6*l.* yearly; a sixth of a fee in Azerle and Kirkeby, in the same county, which sixth Roger de Beltoft and Thomas de Beltoft hold, and which is extended at 4*l.* yearly; a sixth of a fee in the same towns, which sixth John son of Alan de Walkyngham holds, and which is extended at 10*l.* yearly; a seventeenth of a fee in Grenehamerton, Quixleye, Usburn, Allerton, Hoperton, Clarton and Weteneuton, in the same county, which seventeenth John de Bella Aqua holds, and which is extended at 22*l.* yearly; a fee in Slengesby, in the same county, which John de Wyvill holds, and which is extended at 15*l.* yearly; a fifth of a fee in the same town, which fifth John Wake holds, and which is extended at 10*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Fryton, in the same county, which moiety Ernulph de Percy holds, and which is extended at 6*l.* yearly; a fourteenth of a fee in Holthorp, in the same county, which Matthew de Loveyn holds, and which is extended at 4*l.* yearly; a tenth of a fee in Gillyng, in the same county, which tenth Ivo de Etton holds, and which is extended at 40*s.* yearly; a quarter of a fee in Colton-in-Rydale, in the same county, which quarter John de Wyvill holds, and which is extended at 4*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Calveton, in the same county, which moiety Joan Wake holds, and which is extended at 12*l.* yearly; a tenth of a fee in Buttrewyk, in the same county, which tenth Robert le Conestable holds, and which is extended at 60*s.* yearly; a fee in Thorpe Arches and Walton, in the same county, which John de Bella Aqua holds, and which is extended at 20*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Wyhale and Esdyk, in the same county, which moiety Ranulph de Albo Monasterio holds, and which is extended at 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly; a quarter of a fee in Helawe, in the same county, which quarter Richard le Waleys holds, and

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which is extended at 100s. yearly; a quarter of a fee in the same town, which quarter William le Vavasur holds, and which is extended at 100s. yearly; a quarter of a fee in Scalleby, co. Lincoln, which quarter John de Staunton holds, and which is extended at 100s. yearly; a quarter of a fee in the same town, which quarter Richard Wacelyn holds, and which is extended at 100s. yearly; a fee in Haxeye and Buttrewyk, in the same county, which Oliver de Buscy and Robert Takel hold, and which is extended at 15*l.* yearly; a tenth of a fee in the said town of Haxeye, which tenth Roger the cook (*cocus*) of Westwode holds, and which is extended at 10s. yearly; two parts of a fee in Beltoft and Buttrewyk, in the same county, which parts Roger de Beltoft and Roger son of Henry de Beltoft hold, and which are extended at 20*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Stacthern, co. Leicester, which moiety Lambert de Trikyngham holds, and which is extended at 100s. yearly; a moiety of a fee in Gouteby, in the same county, which moiety William Maureward holds, and which is extended at 20*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Burton St. Lazarus, in the same county, which moiety the abbot of Vaudey holds, and which is extended at 10*l.* yearly; a moiety of a fee in Wyvordeby, in the same county, which John Chevercourt holds, and which is extended at 60s. yearly; a moiety of a fee in Levithorp, in the same county, which moiety the abbot of Vaudey holds, and which is extended at 60s. yearly; a moiety of a fee in Aston, in the same county, which moiety John de Perers holds, and which is extended at 6*l.* yearly; a fee in Thurstinton and Radeclive, in the same county, which John Wak holds, and which is extended at 11*l.* yearly.

The like to Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent, to deliver to her such of the fees aforesaid as are in his bailiwick.

Aug. 2.
Peebles.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause the abbot and convent of St. Mary's, York, to have a tenth of the venison taken, and hereafter to be taken, in the forest of Galtres, in co. York, as they ought to have by charter of King Richard a tenth of the king's venison taken in co. York, and they have, as they say, been wont to have such tenth from the time of the making of the said charter.

To Walter de Aylesbury, constable of Walingford castle. Order to pay to Edward de Balliolo, who is staying in the castle by the king's order, 6*d.* 8*d.* a day for the maintenance of himself and his household there, for all the time during which he has been in the constable's custody, and to pay him the same for so long as he shall remain there by the king's order.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

To the king's steward of Cornwall. Order to cause forty bucks (*domos*, for *damos*) to be taken in the present grease time, and to cause them to be salted and well-prepared, placed in barrels, and safely kept until the king shall otherwise ordain.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

The like to John de Tresympel, keeper of the king's manor of Braynes, for ten bucks.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Aug. 12.
Peebles.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of Roger de Caroun, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

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Aug. 2.
Peebles.

To the mayor, bailiffs and the whole community of the city of York. The king has enjoined certain of his affairs that he has much at heart upon John de Drokenesford, keeper of his wardrobe, and John de Insula, to be related by them by word of mouth to the mayor, bailiffs and community; and the king therefore requires them to give credence to what John and John shall cause to be expounded to them on the king's behalf, and to study to do and complete these things by all means, as the king trusts to them and as they tender the king and the advantage of him and his realm.

The like to the mayor, bailiffs, men, and whole communities of the following cities and towns:

Scardeburgh	}	to give credence to the said John and John.
Kyngeston-on-Hull		
Ravensere		
Borough Bridge (<i>Pontis Burgi</i>)		
Beverley		
Rypun		
Donecastre		
Pontefract		
The city of Lincoln		
Barton-on-Humbre		
Grymesby		
Castre		
Grantham	}	to give credence to John de Berewyk, William de Carleton, and Roger de Hegham, or two of them.
Staunford		
Boston		
Newcastle-on-Tyne, to give credence to the treasurer.		
The city of Norwich		
Great Yarmouth		
Lenne		
Ipswich		
Dunwich		
Cambridge		
Huntingdon		
Bedeford	}	to give credence to Peter de Leycestre and Hugh de Notingham.
Dunestaple		
St. Albans		
The city of Coventry		
Notingham		
Derby		
Warwick		
Leicester		
Bristol		
Shrewsbury		
Gloucester		
Worcester	}	to give credence to Peter de Leyc[estria], Nicholas Fermbaud, and Nicholas de Warr[ewyk], or two of them.
Hereford		
Stafford		
Lichfield		
Burton-on-Trent		
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The city of Canterbury
 The city of Rochester
 The city of Chichester
 Gildeford
 Winchester
 Southampton
 Portsmouth
 Andevre
 Wylton
 New Sarum
 Somerton
 The city of Wells
 The city of Bath
 Dorchester

to give credence to Master
 Richard de Abyndon and
 John de Kirkeby.

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To John de Droknesford, keeper of the king's wardrobe. Whereas the king has ordered by divers writs the mayors, bailiffs, men and communities of the city of York and of the towns of Scardeburgh, Kyngeston-on-Hull, Ravenesere, Borough Bridge, Beverley, Rypun, Doncaster, Pontefract, the city of Lincoln, Barton-on-Humber, Grymesby, Castre, Grantham, Staunford and Boston to give credence as above to him and John de Insula: the king orders John de Droknesford to go in person to the said places without delay, and to explain with the said John to the said mayors, bailiffs and communities such affairs, of which he may be informed by the schedule enclosed in the presents, so prudently and circumspectly for securing the more useful and speedy expedition thereof, according to his discretion, that he may earn the king's commendation. In order that he may be more fully instructed in this behalf, the king has ordered the rolls of the taxation of the fifteenth of the said cities and towns granted to the king in the eighteenth year of his reign to be searched by John de Kirkeby, his clerk, and has caused the totals of the taxation to be sent to John de Droknesford with the said writs; beyond which taxation John shall strive to add as much as possible, but shall not permit the taxation to be diminished. He knows how the present fifteenth was granted to the king for the surrender (*dimissione*) of his hereditary right and under the stress of great necessity (*in majori necessit[atis] articulo*) and for a matter touching the common interest of all. He is advised to go first to the king's own towns in prosecuting this affair before other towns.

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The like to the said John de Insula, John de Berewyk, William de Carleton, Roger de Hegham, Peter de Leycestr[ia], Hugh de Notingham, Peter de Leycestr[ia], Nicholas Fermbaud, Nicholas de Warwyk, Master Richard de Abyndon; but John de Kirkeby is written to in the following form:

To John de Kirkeby. Like order to go to the places aforesaid. In order that he may be more fully instructed in this behalf, he is ordered to come to London, laying aside all other things, and to cause the rolls of the taxation of the fifteenth of certain cities and towns granted to the king in the eighteenth year of his reign, concerning which he has been enjoined on the king's behalf, to be searched, and to cause the totals of the taxation thereof to be sent speedily under his seal, together with the king's writs of credence

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directed to the mayors, bailiffs and communities of the cities and towns aforesaid, to Richard de Abyndon and the king's other faithful subjects in certain other cities and towns appointed for the execution of this affair, and also with the king's writs directed to them in this behalf; beyond which sum, etc. *as above*.

Form how the men assigned above ought to induce the men of the cities and towns aforesaid to grant a subsidy to the king as above:

Primerement q'il dient coment le roi est ore a pres meismes en les parties d'Escoce a graunt meschief par le profit de eus e de tout le roiaume, e coment il ne porra . . . cele busoigne mener ne mettre a bone fin sanz aide de Dieu e de eus e des autres bones gentz de sa terre, les queus busoignes, si eles soient mises a bone fin, turneront a grant honneur du roiaume e a perpetuele pees e quiete a l'aide de Dieu; par quoi nostre seigneur le roi si ad ja fet mustrer cest grant busoign as prodes hommes e as bones gentz de aucunes bones villes de son roiaume, sicome Londres, Eeveryk, Northampton, Oxenford, e autres, qi deboneirement e curtoisement regard[ant] la charge du dit busoign e le grant profit qi en put avenir, ont granté au roi une certaine somme de deners en aide de luy, de quei le roi e son conseil se . . . bien aparez. Dont les ditz assignetz prient de par le roi meismes celes gentz des villes, come ceus de queus le roi se fie si avant come des autres, qe e[ux] ly aident a cest busoigne, e a ceo se preignent si pres qe le roi puisse aparcever l'affection e la bone volonte q'il ont devers luy e de avancer la dit busoigne, qe n'est mie soulement sone mes la leur, e qe le roi leur soit touz jours le plus tenuz en les busoignes q'il averont a fere. E les aranditz assignetz ne se teignent mie tant soulement as paroles susdites, mes dient outre totes les autres bones paroles q'il porront penser e estudier solom leur avisement, s[ens] e descrecion, par queus il peussent plus tost meutz attirer les quors des bones gentz de assentir a fere ceste requeste, e qe les ditz assignetz soient avisez q'il eient des dites villes al afferaynt du quinzime grauntée a roi a son retourner de Gascoigne quant les Jeux furent exilletz, ou au plus ou au plus (sic) pres q'il porront; de queu quinzime Johan de Kirkeby, remembraunce le roi, certifiera les ditz assignetz desouz son seal. E si les bones gentz des villes demaundent e facent les requestes desusesrites ou aucunes de eles soient grauntées avant qe les busoignes se deffacent, c'est a saver qe si le roi ne prieigne le dit quinzime en son roiaume, le roi graunte qe ceo q'il dorront pur le quinzime leur soit allouré ausi bien en la ferme de leur rille come en issues de meismes la rille ou autres (entres MS.) dettes q'il deivent au roi, e a ceuz qi nule ferme rendent ne dettes ne deivent, qe le roi leur soit tenuz par ses lettres overtes de le rendre de son tresor.

Aug. 2.
Peebles.

To the merchants of the society of the Mori of Florence dwelling in England. Request that they will give credence to what John de Droknesford, keeper of the king's wardrobe, and John de Insula shall communicate to them on the king's behalf, and that they will do and execute such things.

The like to the merchants of the society of the Spini of Florence, the merchants of the society of the Circuli Albi, the merchants of the society of the Circuli Nigri, the merchants of the society of the Pulci (*Pullicum*) and Rëmbertini of Florence.

Aug. 18.
Peebles.

John son of Richard de Walleford, imprisoned at Shrewsbury for the death of Adam son of William de Muleford, whereof he is appealed, has letters to the sheriff of Salop to bail him until the first assize.

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Peebles.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king lately appointed Walter to receive from the issues of the bishopric of Lincoln, then void and in the king's hands, a certain sum of money by the hands of the king's guardian thereof, in which sum Peter de Mauley was bound to merchants of Bayonne for his costs and expences in the king's service in Gascony, for which debt Peter stayed as hostage (*in hostagiam*) at London, so that Walter should cause Peter to be delivered from the hostage-ship by the money to be thus received from the said issues, as was fully enjoined upon Walter by the king; and the king now understands that the debt has not yet been satisfied: the king orders Walter to cause what still remains to be paid of the debt to be paid out of the said issues or out of money coming otherwise from the issues of his bailiwick.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

Aug. 22.
Glasgow.

William son of Philip de Ounesby, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of Henry de Cotebache, formerly parson of the church of Scot Wylgheby, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lincoln to bail him.

Hugh son of Thomas Osebern of Croft, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of Walter son of Ernis de Waynflete, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lincoln to bail him.

Aug. 22.
Glasgow.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Ralph Pypard to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the service of two knights' fees, which he ought to have done in the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign and which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears by inspection of the rolls of the marshalsea of that army, as Ralph was in England by the king's order with Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, the king's kinsman, then supplying the king's place at the time when the king was in his army of Wales in the said year.

Aug. 23.
Glasgow

To the same. As it was the king's intention when he granted to Amaneuus de la Bret the castle and manor of Tykehull that he should have the wardships and marriages then in the king's hands by reason of the castle and manor aforesaid, and the king is given to understand that the wardships of the lands and heirs of Robert de Hayton and Thomas de Eton were thus in the king's hands at the time when the grant was made: the king orders them to cause the said wardships, with the marriages of the heirs, to be delivered to Amaneuus or his attorney without delay.

By p.s. [2338.]

Aug. 23.
Glasgow.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause a verderer for the forest of Thomas, earl of Lancaster, at Pykering to be elected in place of Robert de Clif, whom the king has removed from office because he is incapacitated by age, as the king learns by trustworthy testimony.

To Adam de Welles, steward of the forest between the bridges of Oxford and Staunford, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause the abbot of Peterborough to have a tenth of the venison taken in the king's forests in co. Northampton in the twenty-seventh, twenty-eighth, and in the present year of the king's reign, as it appears to the king by inspection of the charters of Kings William, Richard and John, his progenitors, and of King Henry, his father, that the abbot ought to have such tenth of the grant of the said kings, and it also appears by inspection of the rolls of the late king's chancery that the abbots of that place always had the said king's writ to have the tenth aforesaid.

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Peebles. To Robert de Burgherssh, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports. As the king has granted licence to the priors of the order of Cluny resident within the realm to cross to their chapter-general to be shortly celebrated at Cluny, he orders Robert to permit them to cross from the port of Dover; provided that they do not carry with them to parts beyond sea any money or silver against the form of the inhibition of such travellers (*transfretantibus*) made to Robert. By p.s. [2325.]
- Sept. 15.
Bothwell. Henry Galsh and Simon Halyman, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of William Brun of Colby, whereof they are appealed, have letters to the sheriff of Lincoln to bail them.
- Sept. 4.
Glasgow. To the sheriff of Devon. Whereas the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff and Master William de Kilkenny, the king's clerk, that a ship belonging to William le Ken, Philip Rurde and Roger Beynyn, merchants of Exeter, laden with wines, was wrecked on the sea coast between Dertemuth and Exemuth by tempest (*maris intemperiem*), and ten tuns of the wine were thrown upon the land of Geoffrey de Alba Marlia at Wodebury and Luneston, in the sheriff's bailiwick, and also that the men in the ship at the time of the wreck escaped alive, and that the wine came to the hands of the said Geoffrey and of Adam Turnehond and Robert Tubba, and that they are detained by them from the said merchants, although the latter proved before the sheriff and Master William, in the presence of Geoffrey, Adam and Robert, that the wine was theirs, and that each tun was worth 4 marks when it came to the hands of Geoffrey, Adam and Robert: the king orders the sheriff to distrain Geoffrey, Adam and Robert without delay to satisfy the merchants for the aforesaid ten tuns of wine or for the price of them, so that the king may not hear renewed complaint for lack of justice, taking from the merchants security to answer for the wine if anyone claim right in it hereafter.
- Sept. 4.
Glasgow. Thomas son of Thomas Wylot, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of William de Salesby, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lincoln to bail him.
- Sept. 17.
Glasgow. Hamo le Pertrikour of Ampelford, imprisoned at York for the death of John de Braby, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him.
- Sept. 16.
Bothwell. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Roger de Bagesore, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Roger at his death held no lands of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.
- Sept. 16.
Bothwell. To the same. Whereas the king learnt by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Simon de Cumbe at his death held of the king two carucates of land in Fitelton at a fee ferm rent, rendering therefor to the king 12*l.* yearly for all service, and that Richard, his son, is his nearest heir and is aged ten weeks, and it did not appear to the king by the inquisition that Simon held of him elsewhere by reason whereof the wardship of his lands could or ought to pertain to the king, and the king therefore ordered the escheator to deliver to Alice, late the wife of Simon, the custody of the two carucates which the escheator took into the king's hands by reason of Simon's death, as nearest [friend] of the heir, saving the right of others; and the escheator has done nothing in this matter, as the king

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learns: the king orders him to deliver the custody of the two carucates to Alice without delay, in accordance with his previous order, together with the issues received thence by him in the meantime, or to signify to the king why he would not or could not execute his other order. He is ordered not to intermeddle with the other lands of Simon, which he has likewise taken into the king's hands.

To the sheriff of Huntingdon. Order to release to Adam Crokedayk, tenant of certain lands that belonged to Robert de Brus in Coldecote, the distress levied upon him for scutage for one knight's fee in Writtele and Hatfeld for the king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as Robert had his services with the king by his order in the said armies for that fee, which he acknowledged to the king in both armies, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his marshalsea for those armies.

Sept. 15. Robert de Grymeston, imprisoned at York for the death of Robert le Bothwell. Sivier, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him until the first assize.

Aug. 23. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the Glasgow. king has granted, at the instance of Fulk Lestrage (*Extranei*), to Roger Corbet that he may pay all debts due to the exchequer, as well the debts of his ancestors as his own, by five marks yearly, and order to cause him to have these terms and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

By p.s. [2340.]

Sept. 30. To the bailiffs of the Hundred without the Northgate of Oxford. Order Stirling. to pay out of the ferm of the Hundred to Robert de Crevequer 10*l.* for Michaelmas term last of the 20*l.* yearly that the king granted to him yearly for life from that ferm for the remission and quit-claim that Robert made to the king and Queen Eleanor, his late consort, of the manor of Ditton.

Oct. 2. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit the Stirling. abbot of Abyndon of 60*l.* that they exact from him for scutage for three knights' fees in the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of the reign, as the abbot had his service with the king by his order in that army for those fees, which he then acknowledged, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his marshalsea.

Sept. 27. Thomas son of Richard le Meire of Barton, imprisoned at Warwick for Dunipace the death of William Malyn of Barton, wherewith he is charged, has (Donypas). letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him until the first assize.

Sept. 28. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Dunipace. John, son and heir of Robert le Butiller, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father at his death was seised in his demesne as of fee, saving the right of others, as the king, pitying the poverty of John, who has proved his age before the escheator, has taken his fealty for his father's lands. It is provided that John shall come to the king when the king next comes to London to do his homage for the said lands.

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Sept. 27. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. The abbot and convent Dunipace. of Peterborough have shown the king, by their petition exhibited before him and his council in the parliament at Lincoln, that whereas they

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lately bound themselves to the pope for the king by their letters patent in 500*l.* sterling that came to the king's hands of the money of the tenth of the realm granted in aid of the Holy Land, and the king bound himself by his letters patent to the abbot and convent and their successors to make full payment thereof within two months after he should be required to do so by them, and to save them harmless, and they have satisfied the collectors of the tenth appointed by the pope for that sum, and they have besought the king to cause this sum to be allowed to them in the debts due from them to the exchequer; the king orders the treasurer and barons, if they ascertain that the abbot and convent have paid this sum, to cause it to be allowed to them in the aforesaid debts. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 910.] By pet. of C.

Sept. 30.
Dunipace.

To William Inge and his fellows, justices appointed to deliver the gaol at Gloucester. Whereas Henry de Pynkeny, who is appealed by Robert Nurry, the king's approver imprisoned at Gloucester, of robbery done in the church of Suthwell, co. Nottingham, and who found mainpernors to be before the said justices on Wednesday after SS. Peter and Paul last to answer to the appeal aforesaid, was unable to appear before them on that day by reason of the king's service in which he was then and is still engaged in the king's army of Scotland by the king's order: the king orders them not to molest or aggrieve Henry or his mainpernors by reason of his absence on the said day. By p.s.

Sept. 30.
Dunipace.

To Walter de Gloucestria, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margaret, late the wife of Jocus de Dynham, tenant in chief, of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to him, as she has not yet been dowered thereof.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to release to Joan la Butillere, niece and co-heiress of Richard son of John, tenant in chief, the distress levied upon her for her homage for her purparty of the inheritance that belonged to Richard, as the king has taken her homage and rendered to her her purparty, as appears to him by inspection of the rolls of chancery.

Oct. 27.
Dunipace.

To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to restore to Benedict le Graunt of Alvrinton, clerk, his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being indicted before William Ing and Nicholas Fermbaud, the king's justices lately appointed to deliver the gaol at Gloucester, with larceny and other crimes, as he has purged his innocence before G. bishop of Worcester, to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy.

Oct. 2.
Dunipace.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause William le Venur and Sibyl, his wife, daughter and heiress of Robert le Blund, to have seisin of the lands that Robert at his death held of the king in chief, as Sibyl has proved her age before the escheator and the king has taken William's fealty for the lands. By p.s.

Sept. 13.
Bothwell.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has pardoned Grimbald Pauncefot, for his good service in the past and future, 401*l.* 11*s.* 10*d.* of the 803*l.* 3*s.* 8*d.* in which he is indebted to the king for the debts of Grimbald Pauncefot, his father, and has granted that he may pay the remainder by 10 marks yearly during the life of Sibyl, his mother, of whom he is the heir, and by 20*l.* yearly after her death, and order to cause Grimbald to be acquitted of the said 401*l.* 11*s.* 10*d.* and to cause this to be so done and enrolled. By p.s. [2371.]

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To the same. Notification that the king has granted to the said Grimbold, in addition, that if he can show before them that his father or he paid anything to the king of the debts aforesaid, the sum thus paid shall be allowed to him in the said debts, and order in pursuance.

By the same p.s. [2371.]

Oct. 13.
Dunipace.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his place. Order to release a sum of money levied and collected from the lands of Joan la Butillere in Ireland by her order by her bailiffs there, which the bailiffs wished to carry to her in England and which the justiciary caused to be arrested, as the king learns from her complaint, by virtue of the king's late ordinance that no good money of his coinage (*cuneo*) or of that of others should be carried out of his power, which the king ordered to be firmly observed in Ireland, and to permit the bailiffs to carry it into England without impediment, upon their finding security that they will not take it elsewhere than into England to Joan, as it was not and is not the king's intention that such money might not be carried from that land to England.

Oct. 13.
Dunipace.

To William Merre, constable of Berchamstede castle. Order to receive from the bearer of the presents Alexander son of Alexander de Balliolo by indenture, and to cause him to be kept safely in the castle without iron bonds, and to cause him to have 4*d.* a day and his keeper 2*d.* a day for their wages until otherwise ordered.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Oct. 14.
Dunipace.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause Ralph de Shirle, sheriff of Nottingham, to have in the forest of Shirewode six oaks fit for timber to repair the houses of the king's prison of the town of Nottingham and the hall of the king's pleas in that town.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Oct. 14.
Dunipace.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause the abbot of Peterborough to have a tenth of the venison taken within the king's forests in co. Northampton in the twenty-seventh, twenty-eighth and in the present year of the king's reign, unless he have previously had it by another writ, as it appears to the king by inspection of the charters of Kings William, Richard and John, his progenitors, and of King Henry, his father, that the abbot for the time being ought to have of the said kings' grant a tenth of such venison, and it also appears to him by inspection of the rolls of the late king's chancery that the abbots always had the said king's writ to have the tenth aforesaid.

To the sheriff of Middlesex. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Laurence Duket, deceased.

Oct. 14.
Dunipace.

To the executors of the will of the late earl of Cornwall. Whereas the king—upon its being found by inquisitions taken by the escheators north and south of the Trent that Roger le Sauvage, deceased, held nothing of the king but the manor of Staynesby by the service of a sore-coloured sparrow-hawk yearly for all service, by reason whereof the wardship of the other lands that he held at his death ought not to pertain to the king—took the fealty of John, son and heir of the said Roger, for the manor, and ordered the escheator this side Trent to cause John to have seisin of the manor, upon his finding security to answer to the king at the exchequer for his relief, saving the right of others, and to restore to

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John the issues received from it in the meantime, or to certify the king of the reason why he delayed doing so; and the escheator has signified to the king that he had never received the issues of the manor because it was delivered, before the office of the escheatry was committed to him, to the said earl by the king's order, and the earl received the issues thereof until the day of his death, and the manor was in the custody of the executors on the day when the escheator received the king's order to deliver seisin thereof to John, and that the executors received the issues thereof from the day of the earl's death until the day when he delivered the manor to John, for which reason he could not deliver any issues to John as ordered: the king orders the executors to deliver to John the issues of the manor thus received by them.

Sept. 17.
Bothwell.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king, at the instance of Walter de Burghdon, who is staying in Scotland in the king's service by his order, has pardoned John de Burghdon and Alice, his wife, 18*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* by which Maurice de Eworth, Alice's father, of whom she is the heir, made fine with the king to have respite of making himself knight, and order to cause them to be acquitted of the said sum.

By p.s. [2373.]

* Oct. 10.
Dunipace.

To the constable of Ledes castle. As the king wills that Adam de Moravia, knight, who is imprisoned in that castle, shall be released in exchange for (*pro*) William Ridel, who was lately captured by the Scots, he orders the constable to deliver Adam without delay to the sheriff of Kent, whom the king has ordered to receive Adam from the constable and to send him to York under safe and sure conduct, there to be delivered to the sheriff of York.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to receive the said Adam from the constable and to cause him to be sent to the sheriff of York, in order to be taken by the latter to Berwick-on-Tweed, as the king has enjoined upon him.

The like to the constable of Corfe castle to deliver William de Somervill, knight, imprisoned in that castle, to the sheriff of Dorset in exchange for the said William Ridel.

To the sheriff of Dorset. Order to receive the said William from the constable, and to send him to York, and to cause him to be delivered to the sheriff of York, to be taken by him to Berwick.

Oct. 14.
Dunipace.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to restore to the abbot of Battle a messuage and a carucate of land in Brightwalton, saving the right of the king and of others, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that the abbot acquired the messuage and land of his own fee from Elias de Lynmenesfeld, and was in full and peaceful seisin thereof before the publication of the statute of mortmain, which messuage and land the escheator took into the king's hands, asserting that the abbot had acquired them after the publication of the statute.

Oct. 14.
Dunipace.

To the bailiff of Marleberge. Whereas the late king granted by his charter to the infirm brethren of St. Thomas, Marleberge, that they and their successors should receive for ever 50*s.* yearly from the issues of the manor of Marleberge at Michaelmas by the bailiff thereof, for the maintenance of a chaplain celebrating divine service for the soul of Isabel, sometime queen of England, his mother, and the brethren have received that sum yearly since the making of the charter as well when the manor was in the late king's hands as afterwards when it was in the hands of

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Eleanor, late queen of England, the king's mother, in name of dower, by the hands of the bailiff of the manor, as they say: the king orders the bailiff, if it be so, to cause the brethren to have 50s. for Michaelmas term, in the twenty-eighth year of his reign, and 50s. for the twenty-ninth year of his reign, unless they have previously received these sums wholly or in part.

MEMBRANE 2.

Oct. 16. To the treasurer, or to him who supplies his place, and to the barons of
Dunipace. the exchequer. Order to audit the account of Hugh de Leminstre, the late treasurer of the king's exchequer of Kaernervan, of all the payments and expenses about the works of the castle of Kaernervan and about the repair of the wall of that town and divers other necessities that he says he has expended by the testimony of John de Havering, then supplying the king's place in North Wales, for all the time when he was treasurer there, and to cause him to have due allowance for such payments and expenses.

Oct. 14. To the keeper of the manor of Langeleye. Order to cause up to 40*l.* to
Dunipace. be expended from the issues of his bailiwick in repairing the king's houses of the manor.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Oct. 14. To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause a coroner for that county
Dunipace. to be elected in place of Robert de Joneby, as he cannot attend to the office because he is staying in Scotland in the king's service with Edward, prince of Wales, the king's son, as the sheriff has signified to the king.

Oct. 14. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the
Dunipace. king has lately granted to the abbot and convent of St. Albans that the prior and convent of the abbey shall have the custody of the abbey and of all its temporalities upon each voidance of the abbey, as fully as any abbot of that place was wont to have the abbey and temporalities at any times past, so that the prior and convent shall have full and free administration of the temporalities and goods, saving to the king the knights' fees that are held of the abbey and the advowsons of churches in the times of such voidance, and that no sheriff, escheator or other bailiff or minister of the king shall in any way intermeddle with the custody of the abbey or of its cells, manors, or other things whatsoever pertaining to the abbey and its cells, with this exception that the escheator or other minister of the king shall take a simple seisin within the gates of the abbey at the commencement of each such voidance in the name of the king's royal dominion, and shall then go away without taking or carrying away anything else, provided that he shall not stay there beyond one day by reason of such seisin and shall not substitute any one there in his place: the king orders the escheator not to molest or aggrieve the prior and convent of the abbey during the present voidance in any way contrary to the letters patent making the aforesaid grant.

Oct. 26. To John de London[ia], constable of Windsor castle. Order to pay to
Dunipace. two chaplains celebrating divine service in the chapel of the castle 50s. a year each; to Roger de Wyndes[ore], janitor of both gates of the castle, 4*d.* a day; to Thomas Burnel, one of the viewers of the king's works in the constable's bailiwick, 2*d.* a day; to Roger de Wyndesore, the other viewer of the said works, 2*d.* a day; to Master John de London[ia], the

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king's clerk of the aforesaid works, 2*d.* a day: to the four watchmen of the castle, 2*d.* a day each; to Adam the gardener of the king's garden without the castle, 2½*d.* a day; to John de Bathon[ia], janitor of the king's park of Windsor and keeper of the king's houses there, 4*d.* a day; to Robert de Say, chief forester of the forest of Windsor, 12*d.* a day; and to William the parker of the king's park of Kenyton, 1½*d.* a day, being their wages and stipends from Michaelmas last until next Michaelmas.

To the same. Order to cause the houses, tower, walls and bridges of the castle, with the stable and the wall of the king's garden without the castle, the houses and ponds of the king's park of Windsor, with the paling about the park, the houses and walls of the manor of Kenyton, with the paling and wall about the king's park there, and the houses and walls of the manor of Bray to be repaired where necessary.

To the same. Order to cause hay and oats to be found for the king's deer (*feris*) in the parks of Windsor and Kenyton during the present winter season, so that they shall not perish for lack of sustenance.

Oct. 30. To Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent. Order to
Dunipace. cause Thomas de Botland and Margery, his wife, daughter and heiress of Elias Cusyn of Matfen West, to have seisin of the lands whereof Elias at his death was seised in his demesne as of fee, as Margery has proved her age before the escheator and the king has taken fealty of Thomas for all the lands that Elias at his death held of him in chief.

Oct. 14. To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to cause Thomas de Riggesby to
Dunipace. have seisin of 8 acres of land in Brunne, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the said land, which Thomas Fevre of Caxton, who was hanged for felony, held, has been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and Thomas held them of Thomas de Riggesby, and that it is still in the king's hands, and that Thomas de Gardinis had the king's year and day thereof, for which he ought to answer to the king.

Oct. 24. To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. York. Whereas the
Dunipace. king has pardoned the master and brethren of the military order of the Temple in England, in consideration of 700 marks delivered by them to the king by the hands of John de Drokenesford, keeper of the king's wardrobe, for the expedition of certain of the king's arduous affairs, the fifteenth due to him of their own goods and the goods of their villeins by reason of the fifteenth lately granted to the king by the community of the realm in the parliament at Lincoln, as is contained in his letters patent made to them: the king orders the taxors and collectors to supersede entirely the taxation, collection and levying the fifteenth of the goods of the master and brethren and of the goods of their villeins in that county.

The like to the sheriff of—[*Incomplete*].

To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. York. Like order in favour of the prior and brethren of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England.

The like to the sheriff of—[*Incomplete*].

Oct. 27. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause
Linlithgow. Roger de Bavent, son and heir of Adam de Bavent, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the king and the king has taken his homage for the lands.

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Linlithgow.

To the same. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Michael de Cakewell, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Michael at his death held no lands of the king in chief.

Nov. 1.
Linlithgow.

Robert del Punt of Lacford, imprisoned at Bury St. Edmunds for the death of William le Warrenner, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Suffolk.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Joan, late the wife of Roger Tany, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Nov. 1.
Linlithgow.

To the executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall. The king learns by an inquisition taken by Master Richard de Haveringe, escheator this side Trent, that Roger de Moubray long before his death granted to Ralph de Kirketon for life the forestry of Hovyngham, together with the trees thrown down by the wind and the branches and bark of all trees there given, and with a quarter of wheat every ten weeks to be received from Roger's manor of Hovyngham, and also a robe of the suit of Roger's esquires, or 20s. for it, to be received at Christmas at the said manor, rendering therefor to Roger 1*d.* yearly at Christmas, and that Ralph was in full and peaceful seisin of the forestry and the other things aforesaid from the time of the making of the charter until the day of Roger's death, and that John de Lythegrayns, late escheator this side Trent, took the forestry, etc. into the king's hands by reason of Roger's death with the other lands that belonged to Roger in his bailiwick, and that he delivered them to the earl among other wardships of lands and heirs under age and in the king's wardship, which were granted to the earl by the king by his letters patent in part payment of a debt in which the king was bound to him; and Ralph has shown to the king that although the forestry has been restored to him, the executors do not permit him to receive the aforesaid wheat and robe in the manor, which is in their hands by virtue of the delivery aforesaid: the king orders them to cause Ralph to have the wheat and robe or 20s. and the arrears thereof from the manor from the time when the manor came to their hands by the king's grant, and to cause him to have it henceforth for so long as the manor shall be in their hands.

Nov. 8.
Linlithgow.

Geoffrey Beaugrant, imprisoned in Warwick gaol for the death of Richard de Assheby, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him until the first assize.

Nov. 1.
Linlithgow.

To the sheriff of Kent. Although the king lately—on the information (*denunciacionem*) of R. archbishop of Canterbury that Thomas de Combok, Walter (?) [de] Hugham, Juliana atte Fispole, Elias de la Thegh, Joan le Couhird, John Russel and John le Delver were excommunicated for contumacy and would not permit themselves to be justified by ecclesiastical censure—ordered the sheriff to justice them by their bodies according to the custom of England until they should satisfy holy church for the contempt and wrong; he now, because the abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, asserts that the said men and women are subject to him and are wholly exempt from the archbishop's jurisdiction by virtue of an exemption newly granted to the abbot by the pope, concerning which an ordinance was made before the king and his council in his parliament at Lincoln, orders the sheriff to supersede the taking of the said men and women until the octaves of St. Hilary next, which day the king has given

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to the archbishop and the abbot, so that there may then be done what the king shall cause to be ordained by his council, upon the said men and women finding the sheriff security to be before the king at his will to answer. If he have arrested them by virtue of the said order, he shall deliver them from prison in the meantime by such security. By C.

Nov. 4.
Linlithgow.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Reginald de Bittrindenn, who is incapacitated by age, as the king learns.

Nov. 6.
Linlithgow.

To Walter de Gloucestria, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Thomas de Luton, son and heir of William de Luton, to have seisin of the lands that his father held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

By p.s. [2583.]

Oct. 27.
Linlithgow.

To the treasurer, or to him who supplies his place, and to the barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has pardoned John le Convers, his serjeant, 20 marks of the 40 marks by which he made fine at the exchequer for having the marriage of Robert, son and heir of William de Bromfeld, tenant in chief, and order to cause him to be acquitted of this sum.

By p.s. [2558.]

Nov. 1.
Linlithgow.

John son of John le Whitesmith, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of John de Wytteneye, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

Nov. 8.
Linlithgow.

To the sheriff of Essex (*sic*). As the king wills that a market shall be held weekly at his manor of Wylendon, in that county, and a fair there yearly for three days on the eve, the day and the morrow of the Assumption, and that a fair shall be held yearly at his manor of Mersefeld for three days on the eve, the day and the morrow of St. Bartholomew, and that a fair shall be held yearly in his town of Seford for three days on the eve, the day and the morrow of St. James; the king orders the sheriff to cause the said markets and fairs to be publicly proclaimed and held.

MEMBRANE 1.

Nov. 16.
Linlithgow.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to deliver to Ralph de Monte Hermeri, earl of Gloucester and Hertford, and to Joan, his wife, the king's daughter, the castle and honour of Tun[brigge] and the other lands of the countess in cos. Kent, Surrey and Sussex, together with the Isle of Portland, and all their appurtenances, which the king caused to be taken into his hands with the other lands of the countess by reason of a trespass committed by her, to be held in the same manner and under the same conditions as the countess held them before they were taken into the king's hands, together with as much stock of oxen, plough-cattle (*affrorum*) and other beasts as were in them on the day when the king caused them to be taken into his hands, if there be as much there now, saving to the king any excess; as the king has rendered the castle, lands and isle to Ralph and Joan for the good service rendered to him by Ralph in Scotland.

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MEMBRANE 17d.

Nov. 23.
Knares-
borough.

Ralph de Jaru of York acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 60s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

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Alice, late the wife of Stephen le Waleys, acknowledges that she owes to Emma, daughter of Laurence de Bouthum, 60s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of her lands and chattels in co. York.

Nov. 24. John de Boklonde acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft, clerk, 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

Nov. 27. William Danyel of Hikilton, Giles de Hikilton, Thomas de Asshebury of Hikilton, and Walter de Apperleye acknowledge that they owe to William de Crescey, the younger, 60l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. York.

Nov. 26. To John, duke of Lorraine (*Lotrich'*), Brabant and Limburg, the king's Wetherby son. Request that he will give credence to what Master Richard de Havering, the exhibitor of the presents, whom the king is sending to the duke in Brabant for the expedition of certain of the king's arduous affairs there, shall say to him touching these affairs and in other things that Richard shall explain to him by word of mouth, and that he will give his counsel and aid towards the expedition of the said affairs. [*Fwtera.*]

The like to Margaret, duchess of Lorraine, Brabant and Limburg, the king's daughter. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 26. William de Mortuo Mari came before the king, on Monday the feast of Northampton. St. Stephen, and sought to replevy his and his wife Joan's land in Yickeleye, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before him against Joan, late the wife of John Gosse. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

William de Mortuo Mari of Yekele came before the king, on Tuesday after Christmas, and sought to replevy to Roger Godyng and Joan, his wife, their land in Yekele, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Joan, late the wife of John Gosse. This is signified to the justices.

Simon le Blund came before the king, on the said Tuesday, and sought to replevy his land in Yekele, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Joan, late the wife of John Gosse. This is signified to the justices.

Dec. 26. John de Pateshull acknowledges that he owes to Robert Peverel 100l.; Northampton. to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Northampton and Bedford.—The chancellor received the acknowledgment.

Dec. 26. Theobald de Nevill acknowledges that he owes to Ralph Malorre 12 Northampton. marks yearly during Ralph's life; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Leicester.—The chancellor received the acknowledgment.

Agnes, late the wife of John de Hodebovill, puts in her place William de Sandcroft to demand her dower of the lands that belonged to John.

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Jan. 4. Thomas le White acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, Northampton. clerk, 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in the city of London.

Cancelled on payment.

Jan. 9. William de Sutton came before the king, on Monday after the Epiphany, Northampton. and sought to replevy to Walter de Huntyngheld the land of Gilbert, son and heir of Gilbert de Theydene, in Theydene, which land is in Walter's

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custody, which land was taken into the king's hands for Walter's default before the justices of the Bench against Henry de Euefeld, who vouched him to warranty in the same court against Roesia, late the wife of Gilbert de Theydene.—This is signified to the justices.

Jan. 21.
Welling-
borough
(*Wendling-
burgh*).

Adam de Runhale came before the king, on Saturday after St. Hilary, and sought to replevy his and Maud his wife's land in Orwell and Wynpol, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Alan Fraunceys of Wynpol. This is signified to the justices.

Jan. 16.
King's Cliffe
(*Clyce*).

John Miles came into the king's court, on Monday after St. Hilary, and sought to replevy the land of Emma, late the wife of Simon Blundel, in Northyevele and Beston, which was taken into the king's hands for her default in his court against Eleanor, late the wife of Walter de Traylly. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

John Miles came before the king, on the said day, and sought to replevy his land in Northyevele, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against the aforesaid Eleanor. This is signified to the justices.

Walter de Kirvington acknowledges that he owes to William de Suththorp and John, his brother, clerks, 26s. 8d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Lincoln, Northampton, Norfolk and Suffolk.

Jan. 27.
Nettleham.

The abbot of Rievaulx acknowledges that he owes to Simon Guidonis and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Circuli Nigri of Florence, 100 marks and six sacks of wool, price 9 marks a sack; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

John Abbadam acknowledges that he owes to John de Sancto Johanne, the elder, 100s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Sussex.

Nicholas Carbonee of Bannebury acknowledges that he owes to Reginald de Thundrelegh 46s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

John de Eyvill acknowledges that he owes to Peter de Brewos[a] 14 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. York and Lincoln.

Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

William Tochet acknowledges that he owes to Walter, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, 43*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Northampton and Huntingdon.

Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

Ralph de Secchevill came before the king, on Tuesday after the conversion of St. Paul, and sought to replevy a mill of his in Thorp Secchevill, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Alice, late the wife of John de Secchevill. This is signified to the justices.

Memorandum, that the temporalities of the house of St. John the Baptist at Bykenacre were restored to Brother Robert de Blakenham, prior of that place, on 10 January, upon condition that he shall bring a sufficient letter patent making mention of the king's consent to his election before Sunday in Mid Lent; otherwise the temporalities shall be re-taken into the king's hands.

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*Membrane 17d—cont.*Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

William Toly of Wodenderby and Robert in Thethornes of Morby acknowledge that they owe to John de la Lude 12 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

John de Clavinger, son of Robert son of Roger, and William de Pategle acknowledge that they owe to Donus de Podio, knight, and Freduchius Hubertini de Luk' 51*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

John de Sothull, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Guy Bonaventur[a], merchant of Florence, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Robert de Monte Alto acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Halghton 80*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Norfolk and Warwick.

Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

Master Hugh Duket acknowledges that he owes to John de Langeton, the chancellor, 80*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

Jan. 30.
Nettleham.

Ralph de Secchevill came before the king, on Tuesday after the Conversion (*Circumcisionis*) of St. Paul, and sought to replevy to Roger de Waltham and Maud, his wife, their land, which was taken into the king's hands for the default that Maud made before the justices of the Bench against Alice, late the wife of John de Secchevill. This is signified to the justices.

Feb. 4.
Nettleham.

Master Peter de Insula and Master Roger Flemyng of Southampton acknowledge that they owe to Reyner, proctor in England of the abbot of Lyre, 16 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Southampton and York.

William de Cressi of Hoddesak acknowledges that he owes to William de Cressi, his son, 200*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Lincoln and Nottingham.

Robert son of Payn and Ingelram Beringer, knights, acknowledge that they owe to Dynus Reyneri de Luca 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Somerset and Dorset.

Cancelled on payment.

Clement de Melton Moubray acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Tolthorp and John, his brother, 4*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Leicester.

Feb. 4.
Nettleham.

Henry Tregoz of Garinges acknowledges that he owes to John de Segrave 2,000*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Kent and Sussex.

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Nettleham.

Philip de Illeye acknowledges that he owes to Guy Bonaventur[a], merchant of Florence, 34 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Partition of the lands that belonged to John Tregoz made, in accordance with the tenor of the king's order, by the assent of John la Warre, kinsman and co-heir of John Tregoz, begotten on Clarice, his eldest

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daughter, and by the assent of William de Grandi Sono, who married Sibyl, the youngest daughter and co-heiress of the said John Tregoz, before the escheator this side Trent, 21 December, in the 29th year of the reign :

The part of John la Warre. There are assigned to John la Warre the manor of Ewyas, in Wales, which is extended at 31*l.* 9*s.* 0½*d.* and is worth yearly in all issues 60*l.*, as John acknowledged; the manor of Alyngton, co. Wilts, which is extended at 25*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* yearly; the manor of Cheleworth, co. Somerset, which is extended at 59*s.* 4½*d.*; the manor of Ailbrizton, co. Salop, which is extended at 30*s.* yearly. There are assigned to him lands in Eskenet, co. Wilts, which are extended at 77*s.* 1½*d.* yearly, on condition that, when he shall have had seisin thereof, he shall cause them to be assigned to William de Grandisono and Sibyl, his wife, as for 60*s.* yearly of land, in recompence for the body of the castle of Ewias Harald, saving to John la Ware 17*s.* 1½*d.* yearly of land and rent, with all other appurtenances, there, to wit 8*s.* of rent by the hands of Avice de Luttlecote, 4*s.* of rent by the hands of Augustine de Elyngdon, 5*s.* of rent by the hands of Hamo Virgille, and 1½*d.* of rent by the hands of William Nichole. There are also assigned to him 10*l.* (*decem liberi*) in the manor of Dodyngton, co. Northampton, to be received by the hands of the heirs of Pinus Bernardyn, after the death of Pinus.

The part of William de Grandisono and Sibyl, his wife. There are assigned to them the manor of Burnham, co. Somerset, which is extended at 46*l.* 16*s.* 1½*d.* and is worth yearly in all issues 60*l.*, as William acknowledged for himself and his wife; the manor of Eton, co. Hereford, which is extended at 31*l.* 3*s.* 4½*d.* and is worth yearly 33*l.* 7*s.* 11¾*d.*, as William acknowledged for himself and his wife. There are assigned to them 10*l.* of rent in the aforesaid manor of Dodyngton, co. Northampton, to be received by the hands of the heirs of Pinus Bernardyn after his death.

Feb. 4. Adam de Everingham acknowledges that he owes to Henry de Lascy, Nettleham. earl of Lincoln, John Boteturte, Baldwin de Maners and John le Moygne, executors of the will of Robert Tybetot, 600 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Nottingham, Lincoln and York.

Jan. 30. To the sheriff of Kent. Writ for payment to Waresius de Valoines and Nettleham. Henry de Appeltrefeld, knights of that county, of their expenses in coming to the king at Lincoln in order to treat with him concerning divers affairs touching him and the people of his realm, in staying there and in returning home. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriffs of nine other counties and to the mayor and bailiffs of Bedford, the bailiffs of Leoministre, the mayor and bailiffs of Rading', the mayor and bailiffs of Oxford, the mayor and bailiffs of Cambridge (*Cant'*), the bailiffs of Droitwich (*de Wycho*), and the mayor and bailiffs of Wilton, for their respective knights, citizens and burgesses. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 30. To the sheriff of Northampton. Renewed order for payment to Hugh Nettleham. Wak and John de Deen, knights of that county, of their expenses in attending the parliament of Lincoln, or to certify the king why he would not or could not execute his order, as the king learns from the complaint of Hugh and John that the sheriff has not yet paid them their wages. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriffs of sixteen other counties for their respective knights. [*Ibid.*]

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*Membrane 16d—cont.*Jan. 27.
Nettleham.

The abbot of Rievaulx acknowledges that he owes to Simon Guidonis and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Circuli Nigri of Florence, 100 marks and 6 sacks of wool, price 9 marks a sack; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Vacated, because it was enrolled above and in this place by inadvertence (ignoranciam).

Feb. 5.
Nettleham.

The abbot of St. Augustine's, Bristol, and John de Bedewyne acknowledge that they owe to Reginald de Radenore 66s. 7d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands in co. Gloucester.

John la Warre acknowledges that he owes to James Barr' and the abbot of St. Augustine's, Bristol, executors of the will of John de Tregoz, 27l. 18s. 4d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hereford.

Feb. 7.
Nettleham.

Thomas de Burnham, Ranulph de Freskeney and Osbert Motekan acknowledge that they owe to Hugh, abbot of Hayles, and Walter de Aylesbury, executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, 105l. 11s. 8d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Feb. 11.
Nettleham.

Simon de Baston, parson of the church of Hekynton, and Robert atte Halle of Gretford acknowledge that they owe to John de Drokenesford 120l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Feb. 12.
Nettleham.

To the bailiffs of the master of the military order of the Temple in England at Alderford. Notification that John de la Wade came before the king, on Sunday after St. Scholastica, and sought to replevy his land in Alderford, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the bailiffs in their lord's court at Alderford against Andrew le Fevre of South Elmham and Alice, his wife.

Simon de Monte Acuto acknowledges that he owes to W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield 60l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Somerset.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by John de Langton, one of the executors of the bishop's will.

Philip de Lyndeseye, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Isabel de Escotenev 25 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

Feb. 12.
Nettleham.

John de Rede, parson of the church of Wivelingham, diocese of Ely, acknowledges that he owes to Bonruncinus Walteri de Luca and Burnettus and Richard, his son, 34l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cambridge.

Feb. 12.
Nettleham.

Guy Ferre, the elder, and John son of Simon acknowledge that they owe to Hugh, abbot of Hayles, William de Bereford and Walter de Aylesbury, executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Cambridge, Huntingdon and Essex.

William son of Glay and Henry de Baiocis acknowledge that they owe to the aforesaid executors 60l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

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Cancelled on payment, acknowledged at three different times by Gilbert de Holm, attorney of the executors, and by Walter de Aylesbury, one of the executors.

Memorandum, that these recognisances were made to the said executors in the king's name in part payment of a debt in which he was bound to the earl.

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Feb. 13.
Nettleham.

John de Lokynton acknowledges that he owes to Master William de Appirleye 100*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Wilts and Gloucester.

John Lestrangle (*Etraneus*) acknowledges that he owes to Aynerus de Podio 60 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

Feb. 14.
Lincoln.

The said John acknowledges that he owes to Guiotus Bonaventura, merchant of Florence, 65*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.—The chancellor received the acknowledgment.

John de la Rivere and Roger de Ingepenne acknowledge that they owe to Walter de Aylesbury 45*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Gloucester and Berks.

*Note of payment of 32*l.**

Feb. 15.
Lincoln.

Master Roger Flemmyng acknowledges that he owes to Master Peter de Insula, archdeacon of Wells, 16 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Leicester, Southampton and Wilts.

Feb. 16.
Lincoln.

To the prior and convent of Ely. Request that they will admit into their house John de Hibernia, the king's serjeant, who has long and faithfully served the king, and whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing according to the requirements of his estate.

Reginald de Dene acknowledges that he owes to Richard Costantyn 500 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in Ireland.

Feb. 21.
Lincoln.

To the prior and convent of Coventry. Request that they will admit into their house Roger de Cestr[ia], the king's serjeant-at-arms, who has long and faithfully served the king and was maimed in his service, so that he is unable to serve longer, and whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing according to the requirements of his estate. [*Prynne, Records, iii, p. 909.*]

Feb. 23.
Lincoln.

To the abbot of Le Pin (*de Pynn*). Whereas it is provided, by reason of the war between the king and the king of France, by the council of the realm that the issues and profits of lands, rents and other goods that aliens have in the realm shall remain within the realm at least until peace be wholly re-established between the two kings, and the abbot, as the king understands, impleads the abbot of Rewley near Oxford, the fermor of the church of Saham, before the abbot of Cîteaux, and molests him in many ways to the prejudice of the king and the damage of the abbot and against the form of the provision aforesaid, at which the king is much

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surprised, because the profits that used to be paid to the said abbot of Le Pin from the said church before the war remained within the realm: the king, being unwilling that any one shall be drawn into a plea or be otherwise molested for those things that are established for the benefit of the realm, inhibits the abbot from prosecuting the aforesaid plea hereafter, under pain of forfeiture to the king of everything that he can forfeit within the realm. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 904.] By C.

To the sheriff of Somerset. Order to cause Simon de Monte Acuto to have respite until the quinzaine of Michaelmas for all debts that he owes to the king at the exchequer, as the king has granted such respite to him. By pet. of C.

John de Basingges of London acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 6 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in London.

Cancelled on payment.

To the bishop of Hereford. Request that he will be present with the king at the burial of the body of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, the king's kinsman, in the monastery of Hailes on Thursday before Palm Sunday next. [*Federa.*]

The like to the bishops of Worcester and Exeter and to twelve abbots and the prior of Worcester. [*Ibid.*]

Feb. 14.
Lincoln.

To John de Warenn, earl of Surrey. Summons to be with the king at Berewyk-on-Tweed at Midsummer next with horses and arms, prepared to set out against the Scots, as the king intends to proceed against them after Whitsuntide, when the truce granted to them at the request of the king of France expires. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to other earls and seventy-seven others. [*Ibid.*]

March 1.
Lincoln.

To Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln. Like summons to be at Carlisle on Saturday the feast of St. John the Baptist next with Edward, prince of Wales, as the king has now decided by his council that he shall be at Berwick-on-Tweed on the said day and that the prince of Wales shall be at Carlisle on that day with their forces (*comitiva*) to invade the Scots. [*Ibid.*]

The like to three earls and eighteen others. [*Ibid.*]

To Edmund de Mortuo Mari. Order to be at Carlisle on the said day, or to send thither some of his men with horses and arms as befits his estate. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Theobald de Verdun. [*Ibid.*]

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to request all able men at arms of his county, both horsemen and footmen, on behalf of the king and the prince of Wales, to be with the latter at Carlisle at Midsummer next, ready to set out against the Scots. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriffs of Westmoreland and Lancaster.

Feb. 14.
Lincoln.

To Robert de Burgherssh, warden of the Cinque Ports. Whereas the king lately ordered him not to permit any silver money or any other white money of the king's or of any other's coinage, or any silver vessels, or any silver in mass or in any other form to be taken to parts beyond sea from those ports without the king's special licence, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb and of all other things that may be forfeited to the king; and the king now understands that certain persons scheming together have carried such money and silver out of the realm secretly in sacks of

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wool, hides, bales, and otherwise in divers manners, and do still from day to day, contrary to the ordinance made by the king's council and his order aforesaid, at which he is much surprised and annoyed: he orders the warden to carry himself so prudently henceforth in searching wool, hides, bales and all other merchandise and also all persons and vessels (*vasorum*) whatsoever passing through those ports that such money or silver shall not be taken in any way by anyone from the realm to parts beyond sea through those ports without the king's special licence.
[*Fœdera.*]

The like to the following :

The mayor and bailiffs of Dover.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Sandwich.
 The barons of Romenhale.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Wynchelese.
 The mayor and barons of La Rye.
 The bailiffs and barons of Hethe.
 The bailiffs of Faversham.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Hastings.
 The bailiffs of Shorham.
 The bailiffs of Seford.
 The bailiffs of Portesmouth.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Southampton.
 The bailiffs of Dertemuth.
 The bailiffs of Lymyngton.
 The bailiffs of Weymuth.
 The bailiffs of La Pole.
 The bailiffs of Hamele.
 The bailiffs of Lym.
 The bailiffs of Sydemouth.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Exeter.
 The bailiffs of Teyngemuth.
 The bailiffs of Plymuth.
 The bailiffs of Fowy.
 The bailiffs of Lo.
 The bailiffs of Bodmyn.
 The bailiffs of Warham.
 The bailiffs of Falemuth.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Bristol.
 The constable of Bristol.
 The bailiffs of Briggewauter.
 The bailiffs of Osterimue.
 The bailiffs of Roucestre.
 The bailiffs of Gravesende.
 The bailiffs of Northflete.
 The mayor and bailiffs of London.
 The bailiffs of Colecestre.
 The bailiffs of Herewyz.
 The bailiffs of Ipswich.
 The bailiffs of Dunwich (*de Donewico*).
 The bailiffs of Oreford.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Yarmouth.
 The bailiffs of Blakeneye.
 The bailiffs of Lenne.
 The bailiffs of Boston.
 The bailiffs of Weynflete.

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The bailiffs of Saltfleteby.
 The mayor and bailiffs of Grymesby.
 The bailiffs of Hull.
 The bailiffs of Ravenesere.
 The bailiffs of Scardeburgh.
 The bailiffs of Tynemuth.
 The bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne.
 The constable of Bamburgh.
 The keeper of the town of Berewyk.
 The bailiffs of Dumbar.
 Richard de Masey, justice of Chester.
 John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland.
 John de Havering, justice of Wales.
 Otto de Grandisono, keeper of the islands of Gern[eseye] and
 Jeres[eye], or to him who supplies his place.

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Feb. 14. To Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and Marshal of England. Request
 Lincoln. that he will come to the king at Berwick-on-Tweed at Midsummer next
 with horses and arms, as the king has ordered the earls, barons and other
procures and magnates of the realm to be with him at that date with horses
 and arms to set out with him against the Scots. If by any chance the earl
 be prevented by bodily illness from coming in person, the king requests
 him to send to him as many of his men with horses and arms as he can.
 He shall also send a circumspect man to execute his office in those parts
 in his place. [*Fædera.*]

MEMBRANE 14d.

March 25. John Marmyon of Chakeden acknowledges that he owes to W. bishop
 Hailes, of Coventry and Lichfield 60 marks; to be levied, in default of payment,
 of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Master Thomas de Abbebur[y] in the bishop's name.

William Tuchet acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Veer of Suthburgh 25*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

Hugh de Mortuo Mari acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 81 marks 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

Master Nicholas de Luvetot acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft, clerk, 6*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Devon and Cumberland.

Feb. 14. To the bailiffs and men of Yarmouth. Order to be with the king at
 Lincoln. Berwick-on-Tweed at Midsummer next with six of their ships well found
 with men and other necessities, ready to set out at the king's wages
 against the Scots. [*Fædera.*]

Like order to the bailiffs and men of the following towns for the number of ships mentioned below:

Herewych, one ship.
 Ipswich, two ships.

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Goseford and Baldeseye, two ships.
 Oreford, one ship.
 Donewyz, one ship.
 Blakne, two ships.
 Skottemuth and Brunnemuth, one ship.
 Thornham and Holm, one ship.
 Hecham and Flychene, one ship.
 Lenne, three ships.
 Hull, one ship.
 Waynflete and Saltflet, two ships.
 Boston, one ship.
 Whyteby, one ship.
 Ravenesere, one ship.
 Hedon, one ship.
 Grymmesby, one ship.
 Newcastle, two ships.
 Scardeburgh, two ships.
 London, two ships.
 Northflete, one ship.
 Gilingham, one ship.
 Sheford, one ship.
 Aldrington, two ships.
 Hampton, two ships.
 Weymuth, one ship.
 Exemue, one ship.
 Dertemuth, two ships.
 Clyve, one ship.
 Pole, one ship.
 Lym, one ship.
 Tynemue, one ship.
 Plemmue, one ship.
 Loo, one ship.
 Brigge Water, one ship.
 Vawy, one ship.
 Bristol, two ships.
 Shorham, Brighthelmeston and Portemue, one ship.
 Wales.—Hareford, one ship.
 Ireland {
 Cork, two ships.
 Waterford, one ship.
 Dublin, one ship.
 Yoghal, three ships.
 Ros, two ships.
 Droughda, one ship.

March 11. John Druel, the elder, acknowledges that he owes to Robert Peverel 9l.;
 Northampton. to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Bedford.

Thomas le Latimer acknowledges that he owes to William Persone of
 Florence 65 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and
 chattels.

Cancelled on payment.

March 11. To the prior and convent of Suthwyk. Request that they will admit
 Northampton. Gilbert le Braconer, who has long and faithfully served the king and whom
 the king has caused to be sent to them, into their house, and that they will
 find him the necessaries of life in food and clothing in accordance with the
 requirements of his estate. By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

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March 13. Simon le Neweman of Wapenham and Hawisia, his wife, came before Northampton. the king, on Monday the morrow of St. Gregory, and sought to replevy their land in Wapenham, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Thomas le Hunte and Sibyl, his wife. This is signified to the justices.

Nicholas de Turvill acknowledges that he owes to Master Nicholas de Appeltre 24*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Northampton and Buckingham.

March 23. Ralph Pipard acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 20*l.*; Winchcombe. to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

March 18. To the mayor and bailiffs of Oxford. As the masters and scholars of Woodstock. the University of Oxford have complained to the king that the pavement of that town is so out of repair and broken that all persons passing and walking through the town sustain considerable damage and annoyance, and also that the air there is so much corrupted and infected by dung and dunghills and many other sorts of filth placed in the streets and lanes of the town that the masters and scholars and others there dwelling and passing are filled with loathing (*horror abhominabilis*), and men's health is injured, and other intolerable inconveniences and great losses are known to arise from such corruption: the king orders the mayor and bailiffs to cause the pavement in the streets and lanes of the town to be repaired by the view of one or more persons whom the chancellor and proctors of the university shall cause to be deputed for this purpose, and to compel, if need be, every one to cause the land before his tenements and tenures in the town to be paved, and to cause the streets and lanes to be cleansed of all dung and dunghills, and to cause them to be kept thus cleansed henceforth, and to cause the pigsties in the streets and lanes (*vicis*) whereby such filth is accumulated to be removed, so that the king's town aforesaid may be hereafter kept so clean of such filth that renewed complaint shall not reach the king, whereby he would be obliged to apply a heavier hand in this matter. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, 909.]

To the sheriff of Oxford. Like order to cause the pavement in the suburbs of Oxford to be repaired as above, and to induce burgesses and others having lands and tenures in the suburbs to cause the land before their tenements to be paved, and, if need be, to compel them to do so. [*Ibid.*]

March 27. To the abbot and convent of Stratford. Request that they will admit Evesham. into their house Richard de la Croysneyth, who has long and faithfully served the king and whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing in accordance with the requirements of his estate. By K.

Walter, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, acknowledges that he owes to Hugh, abbot of Hayles, and Walter de Aylesbury, executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, and to the other executors 104*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Oxford and Northampton.

Cancelled on payment.

At the king's parliament at Lincoln in the octaves of St. Hilary it was agreed by the king's council, before the king, who consented and ordered it to be done and observed henceforth, by the counsel of Walter de Langeton, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, then treasurer, John de Langeton, then chancellor, Roger le Brabazon, John de Metingham,

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Ralph de Hengham, William de Bereford, Roger de Hegham, Gilbert de Roubir[y], William Haward, William de Carleton, William Inge, John de Lithegreyns, Adam de Crokedayk, William de Brompton, John de Drokensford, John de Benstede, William de Mortuo Mari, Walter de Glouc[estria], then escheator this side Trent, that when inquisitions taken by the king's escheators by whatsoever writs of the king have been returned into chancery, and when it shall have been found by such inquisitions that nothing is held of the king whereby the wardship of the lands taken into the king's hands by reason of such inquisitions ought to pertain in any way to the king, order shall be given forthwith without delay by the king's writ to be ordered by the chancellor that the escheators shall wholly amove the king's hands from the lands thus taken by them into the king's hands, and that they shall render any issues that they may have levied from such lands during the time when they were in the king's hands to him or those to whom it shall have been found by inquisitions previously taken by the escheators that the lands ought to remain, saving always to the king that if after the escheator have amoved the king's hand by writ as is aforesaid, anything shall be found in the chancery or at the exchequer or elsewhere in the king's court whereby the wardship of the lands from which the escheator has amoved his hands in form aforesaid shall pertain to the king, then he in whose seisin the tenements are shall be warned by writ of chancery to be before the king at a certain day to show cause why the king ought not to have the wardship of the tenements in accordance with the form of the evidences or memoranda found for the king, and if he come and show why the wardship should not or ought not to pertain to the king but ought to remain to him, he shall go quit and shall retain the wardship. If, however, he do not come when summoned or if he come and say nothing why the king ought not to have the wardship, the lands and tenements shall be forthwith seized into the king's hands, to be held in the name of wardship until the heirs come of age. And, as is said above, if it be found by the inquisitions taken and returned by the escheators that the wardship of the lands contained in the inquisitions and seized into the king's hands ought not to remain to the king, that order shall be immediately given to the escheators to remove their hands and to restore the issues in full, etc. In the same manner, if it be afterwards found out by the evidences and memoranda in the chancery, at the exchequer or elsewhere that the king ought to have the custody thereof, answer shall be made to him for the issues entirely by the hands of those who held the lands from the whole time after the tenements were first taken into the king's hands by his escheators by the writs aforesaid. And this method shall be observed henceforth in the chancery notwithstanding an ordinance lately made by the king concerning lands and tenements taken into his hands by his ministers and not to be delivered except by the king himself and as is contained in an indenture (*dividencia*) made between the king and the chancellor, whereof one part remains with the chancellor.

April 6.
Feckenham.

Walter, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, acknowledges that he owes to Hugh, abbot of Hayles, and Walter de Aylesbury, executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, and to the other executors the 600*l.* by which John Butteturte made fine with the king before the said bishop for the custody of the manor of Dursle, which 600*l.* were assigned to the executors in part payment of a debt in which the king was indebted to the earl; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

Cancelled on payment.

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Memorandum, that on Saturday the feast of the Annunciation, 29 Edward, it was agreed before the king at Evesham between Walter, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, and Nicholas de Segrave, knight, that whereas the bishop had arramed an assize of novel disseisin of the manor of Cristeshale against Nicholas and others contained in the king's writ, which assize has been delayed hitherto by the king's order, the parties have granted that the assize shall be taken within a certain time by the assent of the parties, without any challenge or delay being made by Nicholas or anyone in his name. And after judgment concerning the manor have been rendered and seisin thereof have been delivered to the bishop and have been had in peace by him, the bishop shall be bound to render to Nicholas 100*l.*, and Nicholas shall make to the bishop and his heirs a good quit-claim and remission of his right in the manor, saving to Nicholas and his heirs their tenements in Elmedon, and Nicholas shall render to the bishop the charter of feoffment that he has from Henry de Pinkeny, together with a deed of covenant between the bishop and Henry concerning the manor of Cristeshale, which instruments are still in the hands of Nicholas. Made in the presence of Sir Guy de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, Aymer de Valencia, earl of Pembroke,³ Reginald de Grey, John de Sancto Johanne, Robert son of Roger, Robert son of Payn, John Bouteturt and Robert de la Warde.

This schedule was delivered by the chancellor in full council at Evesham into the chancery to be enrolled.

MEMBRANE 13*d.*

March 12. To William la Zusche. Summons to be with the king at Berwick-on-Northampton. Tweed at Midsummer with horses and arms, ready to set out with the king at his wages against the Scots. [*Parl. Writs*; Ryley, *Placita*, p. 483.]

The like to numerous other persons in various counties. [*Ibid.*]

MEMBRANE 12*d.*

March 26. To Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster. The king has caused to be committed to and enjoined upon John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, Richard de Bereford, treasurer of the exchequer of Dublin, Roger de Inkepenne, Walter Wogan and Master John de Ockle certain affairs touching the expedition of the king's war in Scotland that the king has much at heart, to be told to Richard and other subjects of the king in Ireland by them, or four or three of them, on the king's behalf by word of mouth: the king requests Richard to give credence to what they shall tell him and to carry it into effect. [*Parl. Writs*; Ryley, *Placita*, p. 495.]

The like to thirty-five others of Ireland. [*Ibid.*]

March 27. To Robert de Burghersshe, warden of the Cinque Ports. Whereas the king has caused the barons and men of the Cinque Ports to be requested to have twelve ships, well found with men and other necessities, from those ports and their members at Dublin in the octaves of Holy Trinity next, ready to set out at the king's wages for Scotland against the Scots: the king orders the warden to induce and procure the barons and men by

* The words '*Com, Pen[brochie]*' are under-dotted for deletion.

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all ways and means that he shall deem expedient to have the ships ready and found with men and other necessities without delay, and so placed in the sea with their tackle and munitions ready to go to the said place so that they may be there at the said day in accordance with the king's request. When the ships have been placed in the sea and are ready and prepared to go to the said place, he shall certify the king of his proceedings in this matter as speedily as possible.

To Nicholas Fermbaud, constable of Bristol Castle. Like order concerning the two ships from Bristol.

To William Hakelute, bailiff of Haverford. Like order concerning the ship from that town.

April 3.
Feckenham

Nicholas son of Auger de Tatlington came before the king, on Monday in Easter week, and sought to replevy his land in Frankeleye, which was taken into the king's hands for the default that Nicholas, who was vouched to warranty by John de Benstede, made before the justices of the Bench against John son of Thomas de Tresil. This is signified to the justices.

April 4.
Feckenham

Aymer de Valencia acknowledges that he owes to Adam Martel 122*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Oxford and Berks.

William de Thorntoft acknowledges that he owes to William de Camhou 32*l.* 7*s.* 11*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

John de Drokenesford acknowledges that he owes to Joan, late the wife of Henry Thurmound, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

April 4.
Feckenham

To Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex. Request that he will come to Carlisle at Midsummer with horses and arms, ready to set out for Scotland with Edward, prince of Wales, although the king lately requested him to be with him at Berwick-on-Tweed at that time. He is to send to the king at Berwick a fit and sufficient man of his to execute what pertains to the earl in that army by reason of his constableness of England. The king considers that the earl will do this the more willingly because he is related to the king's son and because the latter therefore wishes to have the earl in his company. The king wills that the earl shall be henceforth of his son's council and household. [*Federa: Parl. Writs.*]

April 8.
Feckenham.

James Brabanzonis and Conrad Bermonis, citizens and merchants of Siena (*de Cene*), of the society of the Bonseignori, acknowledge, for themselves and their fellows, that they owe to Margaret, queen of England, 200*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels.

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April 13.
Feckenham.

Robert Waryn came before the king, on Thursday after the octave of Easter, and sought to replevy to Osbert Giffard the latter's land in Wynterburn Huton, which was taken into the king's hands for his default in the king's court against Henry de Grey. This is signified to the justices.

April 12.
Feckenham.

To the sheriff of Cornwall. Whereas the king has requested certain earls, barons and other magnates of his realm to go to Edward, prince of

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Wales, with horses and arms to Carlisle by Midsummer next, to set out with the prince against the Scots; wherefore the king has requested the bailiffs and men of Bodmyn and of other good towns where there are harbours (*ricagium*) in the sheriff's bailiwick by his letters to require and induce all merchants and others of those towns who wish to sell victuals and other necessities to bring victuals and other necessities by land and by sea to Skynburneyse near Carlisle against the arrival of the prince and his army there, or to cause them to be taken or otherwise carried thither: the king orders the sheriff to induce and procure from the merchants and others of those towns that they shall not omit to do and complete the king's request at this time by all means, telling them on the king's behalf that they are bound to do this the more willingly because they have come to the king by right of inheritance by the death of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, and because these are the first requests that the king remembers making to them since the earl's death, and that they shall do so much in the premisses as to earn the king's commendation. The king moreover wills and orders the sheriff, as before, to cause proclamation to be made that all who wish to sell victuals and other necessities as is aforesaid shall not omit to bring them to the town of Skinburneyse against Midsummer, and to induce them to do this by all ways and means that he shall think fit, promising them that they shall find good sale (*deliberacionem*) for the said victuals and necessities when they come thither and also prompt satisfaction for the price thereof, and that the king will cause them to be saved harmless in all things. In order that a good example shall be afforded to others in speedily doing the premisses, he wills that the sheriff shall cause any of the king's corn and other necessities of maintenance that may be in the sheriff's custody to be brought to his son at the said day and place, and that the sheriff shall also apply the issues of his bailiwick in providing such victuals and in carrying them to the said day and place.

To the archbishop of Canterbury. The king remembers that he lately, when the church of Rolvyngden, in the archbishop's diocese, was void by the death of so and so, the late rector, which pertained to the king by reason of the wardship of the land there of J. de S., tenant in chief, then in his hands, caused his clerk William de Halstede to be presented to that church to J. then archbishop of Canterbury, who committed the custody of the church to R. de S., the king's chaplain, in the name of the said clerk, because the latter was then under canonical age; as, however, the present archbishop found no one instituted in the church, he has admitted to it Stephen de Certeseya, clerk, at the presentation of J. de Lenham, knight, who asserts that he is patron of the church, to the prejudice of the king's right, since time does not run against the king in such matters, taking away from the said clerk the custody of the church: the king, being unwilling that his royal right, which the archbishop is bound to preserve by his fealty to the king, should be thus annulled, orders the archbishop to revoke speedily what has been thus attempted by him to the prejudice of the king's right, and to admit the king's said clerk, whom the king believes to be now under no canonical disqualification, to the church at the king's presentation. The archbishop is directed to write back by the bearer what he shall have caused to be done in this matter. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, 907.]

April 12.
Feckenham.

To Robert de Monte Alto. Request that he will go in person to Edward, prince of Wales, at Carlisle with horses and arms at Midsummer, ready to set out with him against the Scots, although the king lately requested him to be with him at Berwick-on-Tweed at that time. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to sixteen others. [*Ibid.*]

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April 11.
Feckenham.*Membrane 11d cont.*

To the mayor, sheriffs, aldermen and all the other men of the city of London. Order to request and induce merchants and others of the city, who wish to sell victuals or other necessities, to carry or cause to be carried by land and by sea victuals and other necessities to Berwick-on-Tweed against the arrival of the king and his army there at Midsummer, promising them faithfully that they shall find good sale (*deliberacionem*) for the victuals and necessities aforesaid when they arrive there and also prompt satisfaction for the price thereof, and that the king will cause them to be saved harmless in all things. They are directed to certify the king as speedily as they can of their proceedings in this matter.

The like to the following :

The bailiffs and men of Colecestre.
 The bailiffs and men of Herewiz.
 The bailiffs and men of Ipswich.
 The bailiffs and men of Dunwich (*de Donewico*).
 The bailiffs and men of Oreford.
 The mayor, bailiffs and men of Yarmouth.
 The bailiffs and men of Blakeneye.
 The bailiffs and men of Lenne.
 The bailiffs and men of Boston.
 The bailiffs and men of Waynflete.
 The bailiffs and men of Saltfleteby.
 The mayor, bailiffs and men of Grymesby.
 The bailiffs and men of Hulle.
 The bailiffs and men of Ravenesere.
 The bailiffs and men of Scardesburgh.
 The bailiffs and men of Tynemue.
 The mayor, bailiffs and men of Newcastle-on-Tyne.
 The bailiffs and men of Bamburgh.

To Robert de Burghershe, warden of the Cinque Ports. Like order for victuals and necessities to be taken to Skynburneyse near Carlisle against the arrival of Edward, prince of Wales, at the latter place at the aforesaid time.

The like to the following :

The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Dover.
 The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Sandwich.
 The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Romenhale.
 The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of La Rye.
 The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Hasting[es].
 The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Wyneh[eleseye].
 The bailiffs and men of Seford.
 The bailiffs and men of Portesmuth.
 The mayor, bailiffs and men of Southampton.
 The bailiffs and men of Dertemuth.
 The bailiffs and men of Lymyngton.
 The bailiffs and men of Weymuth.
 The bailiffs and men of La Pole.
 The bailiffs and men of Hamele.
 The mayor, bailiffs and men of Exeter.
 The bailiffs and men of Tenge[m]ue.
 The bailiffs and men of Plummue.
 The bailiffs and men of Fowy.
 The bailiffs and men of Loo.
 The bailiffs and men of Bodmyn.
 The bailiffs and men of Warham.

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The bailiffs and men of Felemue.

The bailiffs and men of Haverford.

The bailiffs and men of Briggewauter.

The mayor, bailiffs and men of Bristol.

The bishop of Durham's bailiffs in the Isle of Man and the whole community of the island.

The warden of the Isle of Wight and the whole community of the island.

The bailiffs and men of Seford.

MEMBRANE 10d.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause proclamation to be made in cities, boroughs, market towns and other places that he shall deem fit that all merchants and others who wish to sell victuals and other necessities shall take them to Berwick-on-Tweed by land and by sea against the arrival there of the king and his army at Midsummer, and to induce them to do this by all ways and means that he shall see fit and to require them specially on the king's behalf, if need be, promising them faithfully that they shall find good sale (*deliberacionem*) for the victuals and other necessities when they come thither and also prompt satisfaction for the price thereof, and that the king will cause them to be kept harmless in all things. He is enjoined to execute this order in such manner that the king shall recognize the effects of his intervention. He is directed to certify the king of his proceedings in this matter as speedily as possible.

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties :

Norfolk and Suffolk.

Northumberland.

Essex.

York.

The like to the following sheriffs for victuals and necessities to be brought to Skynburneyse against the arrival of Edward, the king's son :

Kent.

Somerset and Dorset.

Sussex.

Devon.

Southampton.

April 18.
Worcester.

Reginald Porter of Pershore acknowledges that he owes to Nicholas de Whethampstede 5 marks 6s. 8d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Worcester.

April 21.
Kempsey.John de Suleye, knight, acknowledges that he owes to John de Wenland 50*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Gloucester and Warwick.*Cancelled on payment.*April 21.
Kempsey.

Elias de Chelmesford came before the king, on Friday before St. Mark, and sought to replevy to Isabel, late the wife of Thomas de Stodham, the latter's land in Sutton, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices of the Bench against the master of the military order of the Temple in England. This is signified to the justices.

April 19.
Worcester.Robert Bagard of Hope acknowledges that he owes to Nicholas de Whethampstede 50*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.April 26.
Hereford.

William son of Simon de Buredale came before the king, on Wednesday the morrow of St. Mark, and sought to replevy his land in Barton, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Adam de Pulhowe. This is signified to the justices.

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*Membrane 10d—cont.*May 4.
Kempsey.

John son of Richard le Sumenur of Bureford came before the king, on Thursday the morrow of the Invention of the Holy Cross, and sought to replevy his land in Bureford, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the bailiffs of Ralph de Monte Hermeri, earl of Gloucester and Hertford, and of Joan, his wife, in their court of Bureford, against Ralph de Whitindon and Richard, his brother. This is signified to the bailiffs.

May 7.
Kempsey.

To pope B[oniface]. Long letter declaratory of the king's right to the over-lordship of the kingdom of Scotland, consisting of historical notes from the time of Brutus the Trojan of the relations of that kingdom with the crown of England, requesting the pope not to give credence to the king's enemies in this matter. [*Fœdera*; Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 887 *sqq.*; Ryley, *Placita*, p. 496 *sqq.* Also in *Annales Londonienses*, ed. Stubbs, *Chronicles of the reigns of Edward I. and II.*, i, p. 12 *sqq.*; *Eulogium Historiarum*, iii, p. 174 *sqq.*; Thomas Walsingham, *Historia Anglorum*, i, p. 87 *sqq.*; *Ypodigma Neustrie*, p. 220 *sqq.*]

MEMBRANE 9d.

May 21.
Kenilworth.

Alexander de Muyton acknowledges that he owes to Master William de Apperle 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

May 26.
Kenilworth.

Edmund de Cornubia came before the king, on Friday in Whitsun week, and sought to replevy his land in Asthalle, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Margaret, late the wife of Edmund, earl of Cornwall.—This is signified to the justices.

In like manner Edmund sought to replevy to Joan, late the wife of Richard de Cornubia, her land in Asthalle, which was taken into the king's hands as above (*sic*).

May 26.
Kenilworth.

Urian son of John de Sancto Petro came before the king, on Friday after St. Dunstan, and sought to replevy his land in Walton near Drakelow, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Joan, late the wife of Gilbert Haunsard.—This is signified to the justices.

May 26.
Kenilworth.

To the prior and convent of Ely. John de Hibernia, who has long and faithfully served the king, has told the king that they have admitted him at the king's request to the receipt of the necessities of life in their house for his life, for which the king renders them thanks. As, however, John has not yet had their letters patent under their common seal concerning this, the king requests them to cause such letters to be made for John to receive his maintenance for life from their house even if he shall happen to dwell outside their house by reason of the infirmity of his body.

May 28.
Kenilworth.

Thomas de Coting acknowledges that he owes to Alexander le Chaundeler 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

May 28.
Kenilworth.

To Theobald de Verdun. Renewed request that he will go in person to join Edward, prince of Wales, at Carlisle at Midsummer, or to send, in case he be prevented by illness, his son Theobald with a befitting company of men-at-arms, certifying the king by the bearer of his proceedings, as the king has this matter much at heart. [*Parl. Writs.*]

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*Membrane 9d—cont.*May 30.
Kenilworth.

Peter de Molyngton acknowledges that he owes to John de Leek, clerk, 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

June 2.
Kenilworth.

Bartholomew de Walecote came before the king, on Friday after Holy Trinity, and sought to replevy his land in Walecote of (*de*) Shorthampton, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Avicia, late the wife of Stephen de Walecote. This is signified to the justices.

Agnes, late the wife of Richard de Cornbury, came before the king, on Friday after Holy Trinity, and sought to replevy her land in Walecote in Shorthampton, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices of the Bench against Avicia, late the wife of Stephen de Walecote. This is signified to the justices.

June 2.
Kenilworth.

Nicholas de Gildeford, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft, clerk, 12 marks 5s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

MEMBRANE 8d.

May 18.
Warwick.

To the mayor and *échevins* of Amiens. The king understands from the complaint of Thomas de Tilley, burgess and merchant of Bristol, that they have arrested certain goods and wares belonging to Thomas by reason of a deed done lately during the war between the king and the king of France, and that they still detain them from him: as such arrest is clearly contrary to the form of the sufferance concluded between the king and the king of France, the king requests them to cause the goods and wares thus arrested to be restored to Thomas without delay, so conducting themselves in this matter that renewed complaint shall not reach the king, whereby it would behove him to provide another remedy.

May 21.
Kenilworth

Thomas de Cauceys of Suthcaldecote acknowledges that he owes to Robert Cheval 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Buckingham.

Memorandum, that it is found by an inquisition taken by the treasurer and barons of the exchequer by the king's order and returned into chancery that both in the time of Master Richard de Clifford, Master Henry de Bray and Malcolm de Harle, sometime escheators beyond ——— [Incomplete].

May 21.
Kenilworth

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to come to the king in person in Scotland, together with the others of his subjects of those parts who are coming to him in the form that the king made known to John by the credence of Roger de Inkepenne, Walter Wogan and Master John de Ockle at another time, as the king wills that the justiciary shall come in person with all speed, provided that he find some fitting person to hold his place in his absence and who can execute what pertains to the justiciary's office during his absence. [*Fædera*.]

R. de Ret[eford] and H. Spig[urnel] are appointed to take the assize of novel disseisin arramed by John son of Walter de Cumberton against John de Merk and Mary, his wife, and others concerning a tenement in Cumberton.

Vacated, because on the dorse of the Patent Roll.

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Membrane 8d—cont.

W. Ing and N. Fermb[aud] are appointed to take the assize of mort d'ancestor arramed by Isabel, daughter of Richard Choghe of Coventry, against John son of Hugh de Cundelme concerning a messuage in Coventre.

[Vacated as above.]

They are also appointed to take the assize of mort d'ancestor arramed by Richard Godknavé and Amice, his wife, against Alexander Kenun and Master Richard de Filyngeleye concerning 10 acres of land, an acre of meadow and an acre of wood in Oldefilyngeleye.

[Vacated as above.]

A. de Crok[edayk] and Henry de Sutton are appointed to take the jury of twenty-four knights arramed by Robert de Flixthorp against Peter de la Sarre of Blyth (*Blida*) to convict the jury of an assize of novel disseisin summoned and taken between them at Notingham before the said A. and Lambert de Trik[ingham] concerning a tenement in Blyth.

[Vacated as above.]

They are also appointed to take a jury of twenty-four knights arramed by Agnes de Morton against Alexander, prior of Thurgeston and others to convict the jury of an assize of novel disseisin summoned and taken between them at Notingham before the said A. and L. concerning a tenement in Morton near Fiskerton.

[Vacated as above.]

J. de Bat[esford] and J. Randolf are appointed to take an assize of novel disseisin arramed by John de Pype and Margaret, his wife, against John de Harecurt concerning a tenement in Stanton Harecurt, Suthleye and More.

[Vacated as above.]

To the mayor, bailiffs and men of the city of York. Order to ———
[Incomplete].

May 27.
Kenilworth.

Robert de Val, Richard Poer of Clifford, William Eode of Benynton and Henry de Stodleye acknowledge that they owe to John de Staneweye, clerk, 59 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

Thomas le Latimer acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Secchevill 18*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

The abbot of Stonle acknowledges that he owes to Nicholas de Gildeford, parson of the church of Cestreton, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

June 4.
Whitwick.

Henry Austyn came before the king, on Sunday the octaves of Holy Trinity, and sought to replevy his land in Hertforthton, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against John de Dunkelton. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

June 2.
Kenilworth.

William son of Alan de Leyk, chaplain, and Robert son of Alan de Leyk acknowledge that they owe to Ralph de Hengham 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Nottingham.

The abbot of Stonle acknowledges that he owes to Brachius Gerardi and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Pulci and Rembertini of Florence, 12 marks and 5 sacks of wool; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

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*Membrane 8d—cont.*June 2.
Kenilworth.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted respite to William de Sutton, who is staying by his order in Wales in the service of Edward, prince of Wales and earl of Chester, for all debts due to the exchequer until All Saints next, and order to cause him to have such respite and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

By K.

The like to the sheriff of Norfolk, Suffolk and Essex.

June 11.
Beverley.

John de Menyngthorp and William de Wetewang, of co. York, and Nicholas de Killum, of co. Northumberland, acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, dean of St. Peter's, York, 1,200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. York and Northumberland.

Vacated, because otherwise below.

June 23.
Tynemouth.

William de Cantilupo acknowledges that he owes to John (*sic*) de Cantilupo 80 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Memorandum that William came into chancery at Rading' with the letters patent of the said Joan under her seal, whereby it appeared that William had paid the said sum to Joan, who acknowledged that she had been satisfied for this sum.

June 27.
Horton.

Robert son of Walter acknowledges that he owes to the king 18s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Essex and Sussex.

June 27.
Horton.

Richard de Molins came before the king, on Tuesday after Midsummer, and sought to replevy to himself the land of Walter le Deveneys in Whitchurch, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against John son of Henry le Spescer of New Sarum. This is signified to the justices.

William de Aldefeld acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Bordesdene 4 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Enrolment of deed of William le Latimer, the elder, witnessing that whereas he has enfeofed Sir William Paynel and Margaret, his wife, of the manor of Westcote, co. Surrey, to them and to the heirs of Margaret, of which manor Roger de Milnhowe and Godfrey de Fristeling have delivered seisin in his name to William and Margaret, William hereby confirms the livery of seisin, confirming his said gift and feoffment in each and all of its articles, and grants that he will warrant the manor to William and Margaret and the heirs of Margaret against all men. Witnesses: Sir John Bacun, Hervey de Stanton, John Loveday, Robert Bacun, John de Aubrenon, William Aunmesas, Henry de Somerbury, William de Weston. Dated at York, on Tuesday after SS. Peter and Paul, 29 Edward.

Enrolment of letters of attorney of the said William le Latimer, the elder, appointing the aforesaid Roger and Godfrey to deliver seisin to William and Margaret of a third of the whole tenement that belonged to John de Camoys, Margaret's first husband, in the town of Assh, co. Kent, which third falls to her in name of dower from the said John: to hold of William le Latimer, the elder, to them during Margaret's life. Witnesses: John de Aubernon, William Aunnesas, John de Burstowe, John de Hamme, Henry de Somerbury, William de Weston, William de Northwode and John Loveday. Dated at York, on Tuesday after SS. Peter and Paul, 29 Edward.

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June 28.
Morpeth.*Membrane 8d—cont.*

To Robert de Burghersh, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order not to permit any canon of the order of Premontre, or any yeoman or other envoy whatsoever carrying money, to pass to parts beyond sea without the king's special licence, as the king is given to understand that the abbot of Premontre has specially sent some of his canons into England to raise a great sum of money for his use from the abbots of that order in England and from all persons upon whom the abbots have conferred ecclesiastical benefices, and it has not been usual to raise such a subsidy in the realm without the licence and consent of the king or of his progenitors, and the inordinate subsidy of such a subvention might redound to the prejudice of the said abbots and of all the king's realm. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 905.]

Aug. 10.
Peebles.

To Richard son of Alan, earl of Arundel. Order, under pain of forfeiture of all that he holds of the king, not to attack Fulk son of Warin with armed force or to do anything whereby the king's peace would be disturbed while the king is engaged upon the expedition of his war of Scotland, and to leave Fulk in peace, as the king understands that Richard is preparing to attack Fulk by reason of certain disputes that have arisen between them. The king is, and will be, prepared to exhibit justice, as he is bound, to Richard or his men for any trespasses and injuries inflicted upon them by Fulk or his men. The king has ordered Fulk to leave Richard in peace in the premises and to attempt nothing against him or his men whereby the king's peace might be broken.

The like to the said Fulk.

Peter de Wetewang, vicar of the church of Neuton-in-Glendale, John Aunsel of Wetewang, Simon de Spynes of Naffreton, Simon de Coupeland, John de Menyngthorp, William de Wetewang and Nicholas de Killum acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, dean of St. Peter's, York, 1,200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. York and Northumberland.

Cancelled on payment.

Enrolment of release by Roger de Taney, son and heir of Sir Richard de Taney, made when of full age to Benedict de Cokefeud and Avicia, his wife, and to the heirs and assigns of Benedict of his right after the death of his father or of Richard de Skeitone in the manor of Cokayne in the town of Elmesstede, with all appurtenances and liberties: to have and to hold of the releasor and of his heirs, but so that he and his heirs shall not be able to exact anything in the tenements or liberties except a chaplet of roses at Midsummer yearly. For this release Benedict and Avicia paid him 60*l*. Witnesses: Nicholas Gernoun of Manitre, John le Afete of Misteleie, Stephen (?) le Afete of the same, John de Bromleie Parva, Henry Kaperoun of Manitre, Thomas de Stebbinge of Misteleie, Adam de la Rivere of Manitre, Robert le Mount of Lalleforde, John Rosse of Lalleforde, Edmund son of Geoffrey de Misteleie. Dated at Lalleforde, on Friday after St. James, 29 Edward.

Memorandum that Roger de Taney came into chancery, on 11 August, and acknowledged the aforesaid deed, and that it was done in Benedict and Avicia's seisin of the manor.

Membrane 8d—Schedule.

Letter of Joan de Cantilupo acknowledging receipt from Sir William de Cantilupo, her brother, of 80 marks, in which he was bound to her by a recognisance in chancery, and granting that the recognisance shall be withdrawn and annulled.

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MEMBRANE 7*d.*

Enrolment of an inquisition taken at Torpel before William de Carleton, Walter de Gloucestr[ia] and John de Kirkeby, on Wednesday in Easter week, to wit, 5 April, 29 Edward, concerning the marriage of John, son and heir of Geoffrey de Suthorp, and also the marriage of Walter, son and heir of Walter de Offord, which heirs are in the wardship of the abbot of Peterborough, the marriages of whom the abbot asserts ought to pertain to him and not to the king, because the said Geoffrey and Walter and their ancestors held of his predecessors in Peterborough and Stokes near Undele by knight service long before the said Geoffrey and Walter held anything of John Camoys in Loholm, which is held of the manor of Torpel, which is now in the king's hands, as to whether Geoffrey and Walter or their ancestors were first enfeoffed to hold of the abbot's predecessors or of the said John or his ancestors etc. by the oath of Hugh de Gorham, Robert de Veer, Henry de Tychemersh, William Jordan, Nicholas de Sancto Marco, John de Folkesworth, Peter de Burlee, William de Picworth, Henry le Lord, William Walrand, John Lucas and John de Adington, jurors; who say upon their oath that Geoffrey de Suthorp held at his death certain tenements in Suthorp, Gunthorp, Hemmyngton and Stokes of the abbot by the service of three knights' fees, and that his ancestors held them of the abbot's predecessors by the same services from time out of mind, and they say that Geoffrey acquired in the fifth year of the present king from Ralph de Loholm a messuage and two carucates of land in the town of Loholm by the service of half a knight's fee, to be held of the said manor of Torpel and by suit at the court of that manor from three weeks to three weeks. They also say that Walter de Offord held at his death a messuage and half a virgate of land in Peterborough of the abbot of Peterborough by the service of the twentieth of a knight's fee; and that Thomas de Offord, Walter's ancestor, and other his ancestors held the same tenements of the predecessors of the abbot by the same service from time out of mind, to wit before the time of King Richard, and afterwards in the time of the said King Richard, Thomas was steward of Peterborough and then acquired certain tenements in parcels from divers persons in the town of Offord, to be held of the chief lords of the fee of the manor of Torpel by the service of 2*s.* and of half a pound of cumin yearly and by doing suit at the court of the manor of Torpel from three weeks to three weeks, and so that he should render to scutage 2*s.* 11*d.* when the scutage is at 40*s.* and more or less when it is above or below that sum, and 7*d.* for the custody of the castle of Rokingham and for the sheriff's aid, to be received by the hands of the abbot's bailiffs of Peterborough, who hold the hundred of Nass (*de Nasso*), which 7*d.* the bailiffs of the manor of Torpel shall receive from Walter and his heirs and shall pay that sum to the abbot's bailiff in form aforesaid.

And therefore the abbot shall make his profit of the marriage of the said heirs.

July 13.
Berwick-on-
Tweed.

Nicholas de Wodemancote acknowledges that he owes to John de Droknesford, clerk, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Berwick.

Cancelled upon payment.

July 24.
Roxburgh.

Thomas de Swethoppe came before the king, on Monday after St. Mary Magdalene, and sought to replevy to Peter Grapere of Newcastle-on-Tyne and Idonia, his wife, their land in Newcastle-on-Tyne, which was taken into the king's hands for Idonia's default before the justices of the Bench against Peter Swayn. This is signified to the justices.

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Membrane 7d—cont.

Roesia, late the wife of Roger de Moubray, tenant in chief, puts in her place Roger de Beltoft, knight, and Gilbert de Melton to demand and receive her dower in chancery of the knights' fees that belonged to Roger at his death.

Aug. 2.
Peebles.

Simon de le Lyng acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft, clerk, 20s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Aug. 10.
Peebles.

To John de Ferrar[iis]. Prohibition, under penalty of forfeiture of all that he can forfeit, of his presuming to prosecute a plea concerning a lay fee in court Christian against Thomas, earl of Lancaster, and order to cause the plea to be revoked if he have caused or ordered it to be prosecuted, and order to be before the king in three weeks from Michaelmas to do and receive what shall be just in the premises, as the king understands that he is prosecuting the aforesaid plea, the cognisance of which pertains purely to the king's court. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 902.] By p.s.

Aug. 2.
Peebles.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause a regard to be made in the forest of Inggilwode before the coming of the justices of the Forest, so that it shall be made before All Saints next.

[*Capitula.*]

The like to the sheriff of Nottingham for a regard in the forest of Shirewode to be made before St. Luke.

Enrolment of release by Roger de Taney, son and heir of Sir Richard de Taney, to Benedict de Cokefeud and Avicia, his wife, and to Benedict's heirs of his right after the death of the said Sir Richard or of Richard de Skeitan in the manor of Cokayne in the town of Elmesstede; so that he shall be unable to exact anything therein except a chaplet of roses at Midsummer. For this release they have paid him 60*l.* Witnesses: Nicholas Gernoun of Manitre, John le Affete of Misteleye, Stephen le Affete of the same, John de Bromleye Parva, Henry Caperoun of Manitre, Thomas de Stebbyng of Misteleye, Adam de la Rivere of Manitre, Robert le Mount of Lalleford, John Rosse of Lalleford, Edmund son of Geoffrey de Misteleye. Dated at Lalleford, on Friday after St. James, 29 Edward.

Memorandum, that Roger came into chancery, on 11 August, and acknowledged the aforesaid deed.

Aug. 12.
Peebles.

John de Hinton acknowledges that he owes to John de Burton 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

MEMBRANE 5d.

Aug. 14.
Peebles.

Richard de Hothum came before the king, on Saturday before St. Bartholomew, and sought to replevy to John de Eyvill of Skelton and Henry de Yukflet their land in Skelton near Houeden, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Christiana, late the wife of Thomas son of Richard de Skelton. This is signified to the justices.

William de Brakenholm came before the king, on the said day, and sought to replevy to Adam son of Henry de Berleye and Henry Squier and Alice, his wife, their land in Berleye, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Alice, late the wife of Richard de Duneshale. This is signified to the justices.

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To the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk. Order to require on the king's behalf and to induce merchants and others of those counties who wish to sell victuals and other necessities to carry their victuals and other necessities by land and by sea to the king and his army in Scotland, and to promise them faithfully that they shall find good sale (*deliberacionem*) of such victuals and necessities when they arrive there and prompt payment for the price thereof, the king having lately ordered the sheriff to induce them to bring their victuals and other necessities to the king at Berwick. He is enjoined to conduct himself so in executing this order that the king may be able to realise (*perpendere*) that the sheriff has this matter specially at heart and that he desires its speedy and happy expedition, and so that it may not be delayed through lack of victuals and other necessities to the damage of the king, the sheriff and of all the people of the realm.

The like to the sheriff of Cambridge and Huntingdon, Nottingham and Derby, Lincoln, Lancaster, York, Westmoreland, Cumberland and Northumberland.

Aug 14.
Peebles.

To Hugh de Busshey, sheriff of Lincoln. Whereas the king has appointed him and Robert de Hynton, king's clerk, to receive for the king's use in that county 1000 quarters of wheat, 500 quarters of oats, and 500 quarters of beans and pease, and to carry them to the king at Berwick-on-Tweed at the king's charge, as contained in the letters patent directed to them [*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 29 Edw. I, p. 585], and the king now greatly needs corn and other victuals for him and his army: he orders Hugh to use his influence so that the corn shall be sent to the king with all speed, in such manner that the king ought to commend him like others who have the matter of this expedition specially at heart, and so that this matter shall not be retarded in any way through Hugh's default.

The like to the following:

The said Robert de Offynton, clerk.

Richard de Furneus, sheriff of Nottingham and Derby, assigned together with Henry de Braundeston, clerk, to receive in co. Nottingham 300 quarters of wheat and 300 quarters of oats, and also in co. Derby 200 quarters of wheat and 500 quarters of malt. And like order is given to the said Henry.

Simon de Kyme, sheriff of York, appointed with Ralph de Dalton, clerk, to receive in co. York 1500 quarters of wheat, 1500 quarters of oats, 1000 quarters of malt, and 300 quarters of beans and pease. And like order is given to Ralph.

John de la Lee, sheriff of Essex, appointed with Hugh de Burgh, clerk, to receive in co. Essex 1000 quarters of wheat. And like order is given to Hugh.

Robert Hereward, sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk, appointed with William de Walmesford, clerk, to receive in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk 1500 quarters of wheat, 1000 quarters of oats, 1000 quarters of barley, and 200 quarters of beans and pease. And like order is given to William.

Sept. 3.
Glasgow.

John Yol of Brakenholm, Robert son of Thomas Lubyas, and Agnes, late the wife of Thomas Lubyas came before the king, on Sunday after St. Giles, and sought to replevy their land in Brakenholm, which was taken into the king's hands for their default in the king's court against the prior of Durham. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

Sept. 11.
Bothwell.

To the sheriff of Rutland. Order to permit Margaret, late the wife of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, to enjoy in the lands that she holds in

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dower of his inheritance the liberties that he and Richard, late king of the Romans, his father, were wont to use and enjoy in their lands, by the king's special grace. By p.s.

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties :

Norfolk.	Buckingham and Bedford.
Suffolk.	Middlesex.
Huntingdon.	Somerset and Dorset.
Lincoln.	

Oct. 2.
Stirling.

Stephen de Serjaunt of Kelkefeld and John son of Walter le Serjaunt of Kelkefeld acknowledge that they owe to Richard de Baunfeld, clerk, 20 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. York.

Oct. 8.
Stirling.

To the sheriff of York and the whole community of that county. Order to cause four or three knights or others of the more faithful, discreet and useful men of that county to be elected without delay to collect the fifteenth in that county, and to have them before the treasurer and barons of the exchequer on the morrow of St. Luke next to take their oath there to assess, tax, collect and levy the said fifteenth and to do further in this matter what has been more fully ordained by the king's council, as it has been unanimously agreed by the council of the earls, barons and other magnates and subjects of the king in his company and in that of his son in his expedition to Scotland that four or three knights or others as above shall be elected in each county by the communities of the counties in order to assess, tax, collect and levy the said fifteenth. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriffs and communities of the following counties:

Cumberland, Westmoreland, Northumberland, Lancaster, Lincoln, Nottingham, Derby, Warwick and Leicester, to have the men before the treasurer and barons on Monday after St. Luke.

Northampton, Bedford and Buckingham, Rutland, Oxford, Berks, Cambridge, Huntingdon, Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex, Hertford, Middlesex, Salop, Stafford, Hereford, Gloucester and Worcester to have the men before the treasurer and barons on the morrow of All Souls.

Kent, Surrey, Sussex, Southampton, Wilts, Somerset, Dorset, Devon and Cornwall to have the men before the treasurer and barons on the morrow of Martinmas. [*Ibid.*]

To the sheriff of York. Order upon sight of these presents to convene the community of that county at a certain day and place in order to choose four or three knights or others of the more faithful, discreet and useful men of the county to assess, tax, collect and levy the fifteenth, according to the tenor of the king's late order to the sheriff and community to cause four or three knights or others as above to be elected for this purpose. The sheriff is enjoined to conduct himself so in the speedy execution of this order that the king may not have to punish him and his goods (*ad te et tua . . . graviter capere*). [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

Oct. 4.
Dunipace.

To Robert de Burghersh, warden of the Cinque Ports. The king has caused to be provided, for certain reasons of which news has reached him, for the security of his realm and of its inhabitants that the masters of ships and other sailors who shall sail hereafter to Gascony or any ports of the realm of France to fetch wine or ply merchandise or for other

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causes, shall keep their ships and other vessels continually in the form of a fleet (*continue in flota*) and in such depth of the sea or river and so gathered together that they or any of their vessels cannot be taken, arrested or aggrieved by any enemies suddenly or unexpectedly (*ex improviso*). They shall moreover take precautions whenever they land to buy victuals or ply merchandise, that they shall proceed and shall do what they have to do so prudently and wisely that their return to their ships and vessels may be free and safe without hindrance and damage. The king therefore orders the warden to cause the masters and sailors of the Cinque Ports to be warned of the king's provision as cautiously, safely and speedily as he can, so that damage or danger shall not threaten them in this behalf through the warden's default or negligence. [*Fœdera.*]

The like to the following :

The mayor and bailiffs of the port of Dover	} to warn the masters and sailors of each port.
The mayor and bailiffs of the port of Sandwich	
The mayor and bailiffs of the port of Romenhale	
The mayor and bailiffs of the port of Wynchelese	
The mayor and bailiffs of La Rie	
The mayor and bailiffs of the port of Hethe	
The mayor and bailiffs of the port of Hastings	
The bailiffs and men of Faversham	
The bailiffs and men of Shorham to warn the masters and sailors of those parts.	
The bailiffs and men of Seford.	
The bailiffs and men of Portesmouth.	
The mayor and bailiffs of Southampton.	
The bailiffs and men of Dertemuth.	
The bailiffs and men of Weymouth.	
The bailiffs and men of La Pole.	
The bailiffs and men of Lenne.	
The mayor and bailiffs of Grymesby.	
The bailiffs of Scardeburgh.	
The bailiffs and men of Lym.	
The mayor and bailiffs of Exeter.	
The bailiffs and men of Teingmuth.	
The bailiffs and men of Plymmuth.	
The bailiffs and men of Fowy.	
The bailiffs and men of Loo.	
The bailiffs and men of Warham.	
The bailiffs and men of Falemuth.	
The mayor and bailiffs of Bristol.	
The bailiffs and men of Herewyz.	
The bailiffs and men of Colecestre.	
The bailiffs and men of Dunwich.	
The mayor and bailiffs of Yarmouth.	
The bailiffs and men of Oreford.	
The bailiffs and men of Blakenay.	
The bailiffs of Hull.	
The bailiffs of Ravenesere.	
The bailiffs and men of Tynemuth.	
The bailiffs and men of Haverford.	

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To Barranus de Sescars, knight, and Master Peter Arnaldi de Vico, supplying the king's place in the duchy [of Aquitaine], and to Pascasius de Villa, mayor of Bayonne. Like order, with clause that they shall ask the citizens and masters of ships of Bayonne not to sell their ships anywhere or to any one by whom any damage may arise in any way to the king or to his subjects.

To the captain, mayor and men of Bourg (*de Burgo*). The king, for certain reasons of which news has come to him, requires and requests them, for the preservation and increase of the security, convenience and honour of him and of them, to retain and cause to be retained as much of the wine, corn and other victuals as shall suffice for the maintenance for one year of them and of others being in the king's service in garrison (*in municione nobiscum existencium*) and of other men who may be sent to them by the king. The king will save them harmless concerning this.

The like to the men of Blaye (*Blavia*) and to the lord of Blaye by himself.

MEMBRANE 4d.

Sept. 30. Richard de Sulkholm, chaplain, acknowledges that he owes to Adam de Dunipace. Brom, clerk, 6*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Derby and Nottingham.

Oct. 13. John de la Lee acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 20*l.*; Dunipace. to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Serlo de Nansladron, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Cornubia, clerk, 70*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cornwall.

Oct. 13. To the sheriff of Lincoln. Whereas the king lately, upon its being Dunipace. found by inquisitions taken by the escheators this side Trent and beyond Trent that Richard Foliot at his death held nothing of the king in chief, ordered the escheators not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Richard at his death; and it now appears by inspection of the rolls of the late king's chancery and of the king's exchequer that Jordan Folyot, Richard's father, held at his death of the late king in chief a fifth of a knight's fee in Ho, co. Kent, and that Richard made fine before the said king to have seisin of all the lands that belonged to Jordan and that came to him by inheritance; by reason whereof the wardship of the lands that belonged to Richard at his death ought to pertain to the king, together with the marriage of his heir, by reason of the minority of the heir: the king therefore orders the sheriff to warn the tenants of the said lands to be before the king on the morrow of Martinmas to show cause why the wardship of the lands with the marriage of the heir ought not to pertain to the king.

The like to the sheriffs of York, Nottingham, Norfolk, Suffolk, Cambridge and Kent.

Oct. 20. The abbot of St. Augustine's, Bristol, acknowledges, for himself and his Dunipace. successors, that he owes to William de Hamelton, dean of York, 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Gloucester and Somerset.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Thomas de Knaresburgh, clerk, attorney of Martin de Grymeston, executor of the will of the said William.

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Assignment of dower to Margaret, late the wife of Jocus de Dynham, made by Walter de Gloucestria, escheator this side Trent, in accordance with the tenor of the king's writ.

There are assigned to her a third of all the lands that Jocus held of the king and of all other lords in chief by knight service, which were taken into the king's hands by reason of his death: to wit in the manor of Hertilond, co. Devon, 190 acres of arable land at Butterwyk, which are extended at 31s. 8d. yearly, price of an acre 2d.; 6½ acres of meadow there at the castle, which are extended at 19½d. yearly, price of an acre 3d.; 14½ acres of pasture there, which are extended at 14½d. yearly; 32 acres of waste there, which are extended at 12d. yearly; a park with deer there containing 82 acres, which is extended at 7s. yearly; 10 acres of wood there, which are extended at 6d. yearly; a water-mill at Cheristowe, which is extended at 30s. yearly; another water-mill at Egereston, which is extended at 20s. yearly. There are also assigned to her the rents and services of the following free tenants: the rents and services of William Langeforlang, which are extended at 9s. and a pound of pepper, which is extended at 12d. yearly; the rents and services of Richard Colyn, which are extended at 7s. yearly; the rents and services of Walter de Trewe, which are extended at 8s. yearly; the rents and services of John de Trewe, which are extended at 8s. yearly; the rents and services of William Kemp, which are extended at 8s. 6d. yearly; the rents and services of Alfred (*Alveredi*) de Fosfeld, which are extended at 12s. 6d. yearly; the rents and services of John de la Forde, which are extended at 7s. 8d. yearly; the rents and services of Bartholomew Giffard, which are extended at 13s. 8d. yearly; the rents and services of Henry de Wymendesworth, which are extended at 6s. 8d. yearly; the rents and services of John de Henford, which are extended at 12d. yearly; the rents and services of Henry de Whittlee, which are extended at 8s. yearly; the rents and services of Henry de Ilmeneschote, which are extended at 10s. 6d. yearly; the rents and services of Roger Colyn, which are extended at 2s. 8d. yearly; the rents and services of Thomas Dalyon, which are extended at 2s. yearly; the rents and services of Thomas Blakhode, which are extended at 10s. yearly; the rents and services of John de Craneford, which are extended at 3s. 8d. yearly; the rents and services of Geoffrey de Craneford, which are extended at 6s. yearly; the rents and services of Richard son of Thomas, which are extended at 6s. 9d. yearly; the rents and services of Philip Yoldehatte, which are extended at 3s. yearly; the rents and services of Robert de Bytteworth, which are extended at 2s. 6d. yearly; the rents and services of Ralph de Aula, which are extended at 15s. yearly; the rents and services of seven free tenants at Herdesworth, which are extended at 37s. yearly; the rents and services of Henry de Snakesworth, which are extended at 10s. yearly; the rents and services of Philip Cotel, which are extended at 3½d. yearly; the rents and services of Geoffrey Puchelahole, which are extended at 3½d. yearly.

There are also assigned to her a third of the rents and services of 147 villeins, each of whom holds half a ferling of land, which is extended at 8l. 11s. 4¾d. yearly; and a third of the rent and services of thirty-one villeins there, each of whom holds a quarter of a ferling of land, which is extended at 20s. 5½d. yearly; a third of the rents and services of two tenants there, each of whom holds 1½ (*clavum*) of land, which are extended at 21½d. yearly; a third of the rent and services of twelve cottagers (*cotariorum*) there, who hold twelve cottage-tenements (*cotaquia*), which are extended at 5s. 4¾d. yearly; a third of an aid arising yearly at Michaelmas from the villeins and cottagers (*coterellis*) aforesaid, which are extended at 109s. 4d. yearly.

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There are also assigned to her the lands in Nuttewill, in the aforesaid county, which are held by knight service, and which are extended at 4*l.* 15*s.* 3*d.* yearly, on condition that she shall pay yearly to John de Chynnok, clerk, a yearly pension of five marks due to him for his life.

There is also assigned to her the manor of Cardinan, co. Cornwall, which is extended at 19*l.* 5*s.* 3¼*d.* yearly; and the manor of Aunghny, which is extended at 6*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* yearly.

There are also assigned to her from all the lands that Jocus held of divers lords by socage the following: the lands in Diggeport, in the manor of Hertilond, which are extended at 9*s.* 1½*d.* yearly.

There are also assigned to her 7*s.* 10½*d.* of rent there, to be received from Philip de Courtenay, a free tenant in Twicbare.

There are also assigned to her the lands held by socage in Southbrok, co. Devon, which are extended at 75*s.* 6½*d.* yearly; the lands and tenements held by socage in the manor of Nottewell and in the hamlets of Exton and Loverton, which are extended at 21*s.* 6*d.* yearly; and the lands that are held in socage in the hamlet of Clistfomizon, which are extended at 21*d.* yearly.

Oct. 24.
Dunipace

Alexander de Bastonthweyt acknowledges that he owes to John de Grantham 6*l.* 9*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cumberland.

Nov. 10.
Linlithgow.

William Fraunceys acknowledges that he owes to Richard de Staunford, parson of the church of Fiskerton, 51 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Walter Lucasmagh of York acknowledges that he owes to Peter Turgys of York 40*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Nov. 10.
Linlithgow.

Laurence de Creppingge, William Vinteman and William le Feyre of Merston acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, dean of St. Peter's, York, 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. York.

Nov. 18.
Linlithgow.

Thomas de Stockeld, parson of the church of Adingham, acknowledges that he owes to John Rayner, citizen of York, 46 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

MEMBRANE 3d.

Enrolment of form to be observed by the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth. *French.* [*Parl. Writs.*]

Enrolment of oath to be taken by the taxors and collectors. *French.* [*Ibid.*]

Aug. 4.
Glasgow.

To [the pope]. The king is unable to express how much he is beholden to the pope for his frequent liberality and especially for the great munificence lately brought to him by Ger[ald], archdeacon of Rych[mond], the king's clerk. The king recommends to the pope Walter, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, Amadeus, count of Savoy, Otto de Grandisson, knight, and the said archdeacon, the king's proctors and envoys sent to the pope in regard to the matter of the re-establishment of peace between the king and the king of France, which matter is pending before the pope and for which the king sent to him his solemn envoys upon another

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occasion; and the king requests him to show his usual care about the final expedition and consummation of this matter, so that it may be brought to a successful and desired effect for the good and benefit of the whole Christian republic. The pope is desired to give credence to what the envoys shall say to him in this matter. [*Fœdera.*]

To N. bishop of Ostia. Among the other things that the king has at heart, he especially desires that matter between him and the king of France and that [is pending] still before the pope ——— [*Incomplete.*]

MEMBRANE 2d.

Enrolment of surrender by Henry de Pynkenye to the king of all his manor of Weedon Pynkenye, co. Northampton, with the advowson of the priory in that town, and with all other appurtenances, with all the service of all his free tenants in that manor and in Wappenham. He grants also the homage and service of Robert de Wauncy and his heirs for one knight's fee and for all the lands that Robert holds of him in Astewelle, in the same county; and the homage and service of William de Pynkeny for four knights' fees and for all the lands that William holds of him in Morton, Solgrave, Astwell, Siresham and Helynton, in the same county; and the homage and service of Geoffrey de Breddene for $1\frac{3}{8}$ knights' fees and for all the lands that he holds of Henry in Coleworth, Solgrave, Weston and Elynton, in the same county; and the homage and service of Peter de Monte Alto for $1\frac{3}{8}$ knights' fees and for all lands that he holds of Henry in the same towns of Coleworth, Solgrave, Weston and Elynton; and the homage and service of Richard de Mondevill of a knight's fee and for all the lands that he holds of Henry in Thorp Mondevill, in the same county; and the homage and service of Robert de Pynkeny for a knight's fee and all the lands that he holds of Henry in Earl's Barton (*Barton Comitis*), in the same county; and the homage and service of Robert son of Walter de Davyntre for $2\frac{1}{2}$ knights' fees and all the lands that Robert holds of Henry in Tynгри, co. Bedford; the homage and service of Peter de Assherigge for a knight's fee and all the lands that Peter holds of Henry in Bradewell, co. Oxford; the homage and service of John Neyrnut for a knight's fee and all the lands that he holds of Henry in Uffynton, co. Berks; the homage and service of Robert de Locumbe for four knights' fees and all the lands that he holds of Henry in Locumbe, co. Somerset; the homage and service of John de Pynkeny for a knight's fee and all the lands that he holds of Henry in Igington, co. Warwick; the homage and service of William de Corly for a knight's fee and all the lands that he holds of Henry in La Grave, in the same county; the homage and service of Nicholas de Segrave for $1\frac{3}{4}$ knights' fees and all the lands that he holds of Henry in Elmendon, co. Essex; the homage and service of Guy de Schenefeld for a knight's fee and all the lands that he holds of Henry in Schenefeld, in the same county; the homage and service of Walter de Langeton, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, for half a knight's fee and all the lands that he holds of Walter in Cristeshale, in the same county; the homage and service of Walter de Bibesworth for a knight's fee and all the lands that he holds of Henry in Bibesworth, co. Hertford; the homage and service of the abbot of Cirnecestre for a knight's fee and all the lands that he holds of Henry in Bradewell, co. Oxford; the homage and service of Hugh de Dodyngeseles for a fee and all the lands that he holds of Henry in the same town; and also any other fees that Henry had on the

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aforesaid day anywhere in England. Witnesses: Walter, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield; John, earl of Warenne; Henry de Lascy, earl of Lincoln; Guy, earl of Warwick; Aymer de Valencia, John de Britannia, Hugh de Veer, Hugh le Despenser, Hugh Bardolf, John de Sancto Johanne, John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, John Boteturte and John de Kyngeston. Dated at Bothevill, 4 September, 29 Edward.

Enrolment of grant and surrender by the said Henry to the king of the chief messuage of his manor of Wedon, co. Northampton; and a knight's fee in the manor, which Henry holds himself; $2\frac{1}{2}$ knights' fees in Elinton, Astwell and Siresham, in the same county, whereof the prior of Brackeleye holds one fee and Osbert Giffard holds $1\frac{1}{2}$ fees of Henry; a knight's fee in Earl's Barton (*Barton Comitis*), in the same county, which Semannus de Stok holds of Henry; $2\frac{1}{2}$ knights' fees in Tingri, co. Bedford, which Robert son of Walter de Daventre holds of Henry; four knights' fees in Locumbe, co. Somerset, which Robert de Locumbe holds of Henry; a knight's fee in Offinton, co. Berks, which John Neyrneut holds of Henry; three knights' fees in Bradewell, co. Oxford, whereof the abbot of Cirencestre holds one, Hugh de Odingeseles holds one, and Peter de Asherig holds one of Henry; a knight's fee in La Grave, co. Warwick, which William Curly holds of Henry; $1\frac{3}{4}$ knights' fees in Elmedon, co. Essex, which Nicholas de Segrave holds of Henry; a fee in Shenefeld, co. Hertford, which Walter de Bibbesworth holds; and any other fees that Henry may have anywhere in the realm. Witnesses as above. [*Date not enrolled.*]

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MEMBRANE 18.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause sixty does and thirty roe-does (*bissas*) in the forest of Shirewode, and fifty does and twenty roe-does in the forest of Galtres, and thirty does and twenty roe-does in the forest of Englewode to be taken during this present doe season (*de instanti fermesona*), and to be salted and well prepared and placed in barrels, and to cause them to be delivered to the sheriffs of the aforesaid places by parcels, such as twenty or thirty, as he shall cause them to be taken, to be sent by the sheriffs to Berwick-on-Tweed. The king has ordered the sheriffs to receive the said venison from Robert, and to cause it to be carried to Berwick. It is provided that as many as possible of the deer shall be taken in the outer woods that now lie disafforested by the perambulation lately made.

The like to the following :

The keeper of the forest of Knaresburgh for fifty does and ten roe-does, to be delivered as above to the sheriff of York.

Adam de Welles, seneschal of the forest between the bridges of Oxford and Staunford, or to him who supplies his place, to cause a hundred does to be taken in the forests of Rokingham and Clyve, to be delivered to the sheriff of Northampton.

The keeper of the forest of Wauberge, or to him who supplies his place, to cause forty does to be taken therein, to be delivered to the sheriff of Huntingdon.

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To the sheriff of Nottingham. Mandate in pursuance, the venison to be delivered at Berwick to Richard de Brymesgrave, receiver of the king's stores there.

The like to the following :

The sheriff of York for the venison from the forest of Galtres and the forest of Cnaresburgh, to be delivered to the said Richard.

The sheriff of Cumberland for the venison from Ingelwode forest, to be delivered to the said Richard.

The sheriff of Northampton, to be delivered to the said Richard.

The sheriff of Huntingdon for the venison from Wauberge forest, to be delivered to the said Richard.

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Philip son of Henry de Kernington, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of Gregory le Messer of Barewe, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lincoln to bail him.

Walter son of Henry de Kernington, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of the said Gregory, has like letters to the sheriff of Lincoln.

Nov. 21.
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To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to cause the 1000 quarters of wheat, which the king lately ordered him to cause to be provided and carried to Southampton and to be sent by ships to be hired by the sheriff to Bourg and Blaye (*Blaviam*) in Gascony for the maintenance of the king's subjects in garrison in those towns, as John Poneray, king's clerk, should enjoin upon him on the king's behalf, to be carried to Southampton without delay, and to hire ships to convey the wheat to Blaye, there to be delivered to some of the king's subjects appointed by him for this purpose, as the said John shall make known to him on the king's behalf.

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To the collectors of the fifteenth in co. York. Order to pay to Henry de Bello Monte, who is staying with the king in Scotland, 200 marks, which the king has granted him in aid of his maintenance in his service for the present year. By p.s. of credence directed to Ralph de Manton.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Henry de Seburgham, whom the king has caused to be amoved from office because he learns upon trustworthy testimony that he is insufficiently qualified.

Nov. 28.
Linlithgow

Simon le Draggere of Sutton, imprisoned at Lincoln for the death of Simon le Saltere, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Lincoln to bail him.

Nov. 27.
Linlithgow

To the treasurer, or to him who supplies his place, and to the barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit Isabel, late the wife of William de Vesey, tenant in dower of the manor of Tughale, co. Northumberland, which belonged to him, of the demand made by summons of the exchequer for certain debts of William or of John de Vesey, his brother, or of other his ancestors, as the king granted to William, for the grant and surrender to him by William of the castle, manor and county of Kildar[e] and of the manor of Sprouston, whereof Clemencia, late the wife of John de Vesey, William's son, holds two parts in dower and Isabel, late the wife of John de Vesey, William's brother, holds a third in dower, pardon of all debts due to him for fines and amercements and for other his own debts and the debts of John de Vesey, his brother, and of his other ancestors [*Calendar of Patent Rolls, 25 Edw. I, p. 238.*]

Nov. 21.
Linlithgow.

To the taker of the king's wines of the right prise at Southampton. Order to cause the abbot and convent of King's Beaulieu to have a tun of wine of the king's right prise for the twenty-ninth year of the reign, as the late king granted to them by his charter a tun of wine yearly between Christmas and the Purification for the celebration of mass in their church, and the king afterwards granted by letters patent, at the instance of R. late bishop of Bath and Wells, his chancellor, that they should receive the said tun by the hands of the takers of his wines at Southampton.

Nov. 26.
Linlithgow.

To Richard Oysel, keeper of the manor of Brustwyk. Order to assist John de Fulham, king's yeoman, whom the king is sending to take venison in the present season (*ad instantem fermesonam capiendam*) in the king's parks there, as shall seem best to Richard and John, and to cause the venison thus taken to be well salted and placed in tuns, and to cause it to be carried to the king according to John's directions, certifying the king of the number of deer taken by him.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.

To the sheriff of York. Order to receive William de Sumervill, knight, of Scotland, who was lately imprisoned in Corfe castle, by indenture from the sheriff of Dorset, and to cause him to be taken to Berwick-on-Tweed, there to be delivered to the constable of the castle, as the king has ordained that William shall be delivered in exchange for William Ridel, who was lately captured by the Scots, for which reason he has ordered the sheriff of Dorset to take William to York under safe conduct and to deliver him to the sheriff of York.

Like order to the sheriff of York to receive Adam de Moravia, knight, of Scotland, lately imprisoned in Ledes castle, from the sheriff of Kent.

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Dec. 1.
Linlithgow.

To the constable of the castle of Berwick-on-Tweed. Order to receive the said William from the sheriff of York by indenture, and to cause him to be kept in prison there safely until otherwise ordered.

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Linlithgow.

Like order to receive the aforesaid Adam.

Nov. 26.
Linlithgow.

To the treasurer, or to him who supplies his place, and to the barons of the exchequer. Order to discharge Roger Mignot, late sheriff of co. Northumberland, of 100s. for the issues of the lands that belonged to Nicholas de Graham, the king's enemy and rebel, in Wullovre, Heghpol, Belleford, Yesington, Lowyk and Bollesdon, co. Northumberland,—which were in the king's hands as escheats by reason of Nicholas's enmity and rebellion, and which the king, on 7 June, in the twenty-eighth year of his reign, granted to Isabel, late the wife of John de Vescy, the elder, for life, in consideration of the good service rendered by her to Queen Eleanor, the king's late consort [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 28 Edw. I, p. 513]—after they came to the hands of Isabel, as they charge Roger with the said 100s. for that time, as he says.

To the same. Like order to discharge John de Cambhou, sheriff of Northumberland, of 50s. for the issues of the lands that belonged to Nicholas in Herdeslawe, in that county, after they come to the hands of Isabel, to whom the king granted them, on 28 February last, for the reasons aforesaid [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 29 Edw. I, p. 577.]

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his place. Order to release the money levied from the issues of the lands in Ireland of Richard, archbishop of Dublin, by his bailiffs there by his order, which the bailiffs wished to bring to England for his maintenance there and which the justiciary caused to be arrested, as the king learns from the archbishop, by virtue of the king's late ordinance that no good money of his or any other mint (*cuneo*) should be carried outside his power, which ordinance the king ordered to be observed in Ireland, as it was not, and is not, the king's intention that such money might not be carried from Ireland to England. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, p. 942.]

Dec. 4.
Linlithgow.

To Richard Oysel, bailiff of Holderness. Order to cause a whale that has been driven ashore in his bailiwick to be well prepared, and to cause part of it to be delivered to Richard de Wynton[ia], king's clerk, whom the king is sending to him, to be brought to the king, as Richard shall make known to him on the king's behalf, and to cause the remainder to be kept safely until otherwise ordered.

To the bailiffs of Scardeburgh. Order to pay out of the ferm of that town what remains due to men of that town for herrings and other fish taken from them by Richard de Wynton[ia], whom the king has sent to that town to make provision thereof for his use, and to cause the herrings and fish to be carried without delay to Berwick-on-Tweed, there to be delivered to Richard de Bremesgrave, receiver of the king's stores there.

To the bailiffs of Lenne. Order to aid Richard de Wynton[ia], king's clerk, whom the king is sending to that town to make provision of fish there for his use, in making such provision, and to tell the men of that town from whom such provision shall be taken on the king's behalf to come to the exchequer at York in the octaves of St. Hilary to receive the money due to them.

Dec. 6.
Linlithgow.

To the treasurer, or to him who supplies his place, and to the barons of the exchequer. J. bishop of Carlisle has shown the king that whereas he holds of the king's grant the meadows and herbage of the demesnes of the

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castle of Carlisle at ferm for 10*l.* yearly, and the meadows and herbage were wholly eaten up and consumed by the English and Welsh in the company of Edward, prince of Wales, going to Scotland in the king's service in the twenty-ninth year of the reign, so that he was unable to receive any advantage thence in that year, and he has besought the king to cause due allowance to be made to him therefor in his ferm: the king orders them to allow to the bishop in his ferm for the said year what they shall find by an inquisition or otherwise to have been eaten up or consumed by the said men of the meadows and herbage aforesaid.

John le Porter and Thomas le Sawere, imprisoned at Notingham for the death of Ralph le Smale, wherewith they are charged, have letters to the sheriff of Nottingham to bail them.

Richard Poteman, clerk, imprisoned at Canterbury for the death of Elen de Potewode, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Kent to bail him.

MEMBRANE 17.

Dec. 10. Stephen de Carleton of Raveneserod, imprisoned at Raveneserod for the
Linlithgow. death of William Holur, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him.

Dec. 10. To Walter de Aylesbury, keeper of the king's manor of Beckeleye.
Linlithgow. Order to cause hay and other things necessary for the maintenance of the king's stud in his park there to be found out of the ferm of the manor during the coming winter.

Dec. 17. To the sheriffs of London. Eustace de Audenarde and William de
Linlithgow. Gaunt, merchants of Flanders, have given the king to understand that ten sacks of their wool delivered by them to Francis de Audenarde—which Francis lately avowed to be his own, and caused to be loaded in the port of London to be taken by him beyond sea, and for which he caused the custom thereon due to the king to be paid in his own name, and which wool the sheriffs arrested because 10*l.* sterling were found with Francis at the time when he wished to cross, contrary to the ordinance made by the king and his council that no one shall carry money of the king's mint (*cuneo*) of England or any silver out of the realm without his special licence—were not the property of Francis and that he had no share in them, and that they were and are wholly theirs. As the king wishes to be more fully certified in this matter and as he wishes to do them justice, he orders the sheriffs to cause the wool thus arrested to be kept safely without loss or damage until further orders.

Dec. 18. To the sheriff of Huntingdon. Order to release to Clemencia, late the
Linlithgow. wife of John de Vescy, son of William de Vescy, the distraint levied in the lands that she holds in dower in that county of the said William's inheritance for any debts of William or of John de Vescy, his brother, or of any of his ancestors for any cause, as the king pardoned William by his letters patent all debts due to him for fines and amercements and for other debts of William and of John, his brother, and of other his ancestors whomsoever, in consideration of the grant and surrender that William made to him of the castle, manor and county of Kildare, and of the manor of Sprouston, of which manor the said Clemencia holds two parts in dower and Isabel, late the wife of John de Vescy, William's brother, holds a third in dower. [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 25 Edw. I, p. 238.]

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John Aunsel, imprisoned at Ipswich for the death of Thomas Charuel (?), wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Suffolk to bail him.

To the bailiff of Knaresburgh. Order to take two oaks fit for timber in the king's forest there for the repair of Grimbold's bridge near Knaresburgh.

By K. on the information of J. de Drok[enesford].

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Jan. 7.
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To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Writ of aid in favour of John de Fulham, the king's yeoman, whom the king is sending with the huntsmen and dogs of Queen Margaret, his consort, to take venison during this doe season (*ad capiendum de fermesona nostra*) within Hugh's bailiwick in places where John shall deem best, as John has been enjoined on the king's behalf.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford and Ralph de Manton.

Jan. 10.
Linlithgow.

To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. Nottingham. It is shown to the king on behalf of John de Ebroicis, prebendary of Oxtun prebend in St. Mary's, Suthwell, that they cause the fifteenth to be levied and collected from John's own purely spiritual goods. If this is so, it is manifestly done contrary to the form lately delivered to them at the exchequer. The king orders them, if it be so, to supersede levying and collecting the fifteenth from John's goods, and not to aggrieve him contrary to the said form.

Jan. 13.
Linlithgow.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle with the house of the Holy Cross at Waltham or with its goods in any way by reason of the death of Robert, the late abbot, as the prior and convent of the house ought to have the custody of the house and of all its goods upon each voidance, by virtue of the charters of the king's progenitors, which he has inspected.

The like to Walter and his sub-escheators in the following counties :

Berks.

Hertford.

Norfolk.

Surrey.

Lincoln.

Essex.

Bedford.

Jan. 24.
Linlithgow.

To Eustace de Hacche, constable of Marleberge castle. Order to expend up to 10 marks out of his ferm of the castle and of the borough of Marleberge, by the view and testimony of lawful men, in repairing the sluices of the king's great stew at Marleberge, which are now broken down by floods.

By bill of the exchequer.

Jan. 15.
Linlithgow.

To the sheriff of Surrey. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Henry de Bottele, deceased.

Jan. 28.
Linlithgow.

To the treasurer, or to him who supplies his place, and to the barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit G. bishop of Worcester of 80*l.* exacted from him for the service of three knights' fees in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as the bishop paid this sum, by which he made fine with the king for the service of three knights' fees that he then acknowledged to the king for that army, into the wardrobe on Sunday after SS. Peter and Paul, in the said year, to Master Thomas Bek, then keeper of the wardrobe, as appears to the king by his letters patent, which he has inspected.

To the sheriff of Lancaster. Order to cause Richard de Hoghton, brother and heir of Adam son of Adam de Hoghton, to have seisin of a messuage, 24 acres of land, four acres of meadow and fifty acres of

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pasture in Wythenill, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the sheriff that the premises, which Hugh de Bromicroft, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Hugh held them of the said Adam son of Adam, and that the township of Wythenill now holds them and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

Cancelled because otherwise below.

Jan. 30.
Linlithgow.

To the same. Order to cause Richard de Hoghton to have seisin of a messuage, 24 acres of land and four acres of meadow and fifty acres of pasture in Wythenill, if it be evident to him that Adam son of Adam de Hoghton is dead and that Richard is his brother and next heir, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that the premises, which Hugh de Bromicroft, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Hugh held them of Adam [son of Adam] de Hoghton, brother of Richard de Hoghton, of whom Richard is the heir, and that the township of Wythenill now holds them and has had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

Jan. 28.
Linlithgow.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit Laurence de Anne and John de Tyting and other citizens of Winchester of 10*l.* yearly of new increment for the house in Winchester called 'the Drapery' (*draperia*), lying between the house formerly belonging to Roger Dalroun on the east and Roger's houses on the west, from 22 August, in the twenty-fifth year of the reign, when the king granted the house to Laurence and John and other citizens of Winchester who had previously held it, for the old ferm of 9*l.* quit of the new increment of 10*l.* as contained in the king's letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 25 Edw. I, p. 305], the king having previously granted it to Richard de Merewell, citizen of Winchester, which house the king had lately recovered in his court against Richard de Wherewell and others of that city, from which house 6*l.* were wont to be rendered yearly to the ferm of the city and 60*s.* of increment besides the ferm of the city for having the drapery there, to hold to Richard and his heirs for 10*l.* of new increment, as contained in the king's charter, and Richard surrendered the house into the king's hands before the treasurer and barons quit of him and his heirs, because those who were wont to ply drapery in it had wholly left it by reason of the new increment, and because the house was not sufficient for payment of the old ferm and the new increment.

Jan. 28.
Linlithgow.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Eleanor, late the wife of William Cheyndut, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Jan. 28.
Linlithgow.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to pay to William de Veupoint, Richard de Dundemor, knights, Elias de Rameseye, John de Putfrith, and Walter de Laundesles, esquires, who were captured in the conflict between the king and the Scots at Dumbarr and who are imprisoned in Winchester castle, and to their keepers the arrears of their wages, and to pay them their wages henceforth, to wit, 3*d.* a day to each knight and 2*d.* a day to each keeper and esquire, until otherwise ordered.

To the sheriff of Somerset. Order to pay to Christinus del Ard, of Scotland, esquire, who was captured in the conflict at Dumbarr and is imprisoned in Corf castle, and to his keeper the arrears of their wages, and to pay them their wages henceforth, to wit, 3*d.* a day to Christinus and 2*d.* a day to the keeper, until otherwise ordered.

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To the sheriff of Kent. Although the king lately ordered the sheriff, on the denunciation of R. archbishop of Canterbury—signifying by his letters patent to the king that Reginald Flocker, Godeleva Deye, Thomas Bate, Cicely Stier, John Ketel, Mariota de Essele, Alice Pipestr', William Thormod, Agnes the handmaid (*ancilla*) of the relict of Godegrom, Robert de Sutton, Joan la Wyte, Godeleva Dobel, Robert Bailli, Mabel daughter of Adam Attebrok, Alice de Petyndenne, Joan the handmaid of William Hugelyn, Stephen Ricard, Agnes Posschelestr', Stephen Toucherd, Agnes de Bello, Joan sister of John Monek, Christiana Schitte, Robert Loims, Joan Tredestr' and Magota de Pirie were excommunicate for their contumacy, and would not permit themselves to be justified by ecclesiastic censure—to justice the said men and women by their bodies until Holy Church should be satisfied for the contempt and wrong done to her: the king now, because the abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, asserts that they are subjected to him and are wholly exempt from the archbishop's jurisdiction by virtue of an exemption lately granted to him by the pope, concerning which an ordinance was made before the king and his council in parliament at Lincoln, orders the sheriff to deliver the said men and women from prison upon their finding security to be before the king at his will to answer in this behalf.

By K.

To Walter de Gloucestria, escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the prior and convent of Holy Cross, Waltham, by the charters of the king's progenitors—[*Incomplete.*]

*Vacated.*Jan. 28.
Linlithgow.

To Petronilla, late the wife of Adam de Northampton. Order to deliver to Richard Gabriel, mayor of Winchester, the greater part of the king's seal appointed for taking the recognisances of debts in accordance with the statutes of merchants in that city, and the smaller piece of the said seal to John de Anne, clerk, both of which pieces are in her custody, as the king has committed the smaller part of the seal to John during his pleasure, as contained in his letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 30 Edw. I, p. 9.]

Order to the said mayor to receive the greater part of the seal from Petronilla, and to execute the office together with John according to the form of the said statute.

MEMBRANE 16.

Feb. 2.
Edinburgh.

Robert Madde, imprisoned at Beverley for the death of William Scot, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

Feb. 2.
Edinburgh.

To him who supplies the place of the treasurer and to the barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit Hugh de Curtenay, son and heir of Hugh de Curtenay, of the scutage exacted from him for three knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as Hugh, his father, was with the king in that army by his order for the service of three knights' fees that he then acknowledged to the king, as appears by inspection of the rolls of the marshalsea for that army.

By p.s.

Jan. 30.
Linlithgow.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order to respite until the next parliament the exaction from the prior and convent of St. Albans for a palfrey, cup, ring and kennel of hounds (*mota*) of the abbot to be paid to the king by reason of the present voidance of the

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abbey, in order that there may then be done what the king shall cause to be ordained by his council, as the prior and convent assert that they ought to be free from payment thereof after the death of the abbots by virtue of the king's letters patent, whereby he granted to them the custody of the abbey and of all its temporalities and all things pertaining to the abbey as often as it should be void.
By p.s.
[Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 930.]

Feb. 2.
Edinburgh.

To the same. Although the prior and convent of Holy Cross, Waltham, ought to have by the charters of the king's progenitors, which he has inspected, the custody of their house and of all its goods upon each voidance, for which reason the king ordered the escheator not to intermeddle in any way with the house or any of its goods by reason of the death of Robert, the late abbot, and to restore anything that he might have received, it was, and is, the king's intention that the ring, cup, palfrey and kennel of hounds (*mota canum*) that belonged to the said abbot at his death shall be exacted from the prior and convent for the king's use, if they ought to pertain to him by reason of the abbot's death, but so that when the escheator shall have exacted the ring, cup, palfrey and kennel of hounds, he shall place the exaction in respite until the king's next parliament, in order that there may then be done what the king shall cause to be ordained by his council: the king therefore orders the escheator to make such exaction and then to respite it as above.
By p.s. [2844.]
[Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 930.]

Feb. 2.
Edinburgh.

To Robert de Burghersh, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to permit the prior of Holy Trinity, York, to cross from the port of Dover, as the king has granted him permission to cross to his house of Mermouster; provided that he do not carry with him to parts beyond sea any money or silver contrary to the form of ordinance made by the king.
By p.s. [2842.]

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Whereas the king lately ordered him to attach for 1,000*l.* due to the king from Richard, earl of Arundel, deceased, all the goods and chattels of the deceased within the liberties of Oswestry (*de Albo Monasterio*) and Clone up to the amount of the debt and to make an inventory (*imbreuiaretis*), so that nothing should be amoved until the king should be satisfied for what is clear of the said debt; by reason of which order the escheator has attached the studs (*equicia*) of the deceased in those parts, as the king learns: the king orders him to call before him the executors of the will of the deceased, and to retain for the king's use in part payment of the debt the better and more beautiful horses (*jumenta*) of the said studs, by the view of William Persone, the king's serjeant, or of his attorney, which serjeant the king is sending specially to those parts, after making an appraisement thereof in the presence of the executors, and to deliver the horses thus retained to William, to be taken by him whither the king has enjoined upon him.

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Edinburgh.

To the treasurer, or to him who supplies his place, and to the barons of the exchequer. Whereas Theobald de Verdun was with the king by his order in the army of Wales, in the tenth year of his reign, for the service of 2½ knights' fees for a moiety of the inheritance that belonged to Walter de Lacy and of 2½ knights' fees for Theobald's land in the Marches, and also for the service of one knight's fee for his land in England, which services he then acknowledged to the king, as appears by inspection of the rolls of the marshalsea for the same army: the king orders them to acquit Theobald of the scutage exacted from him by summons of the exchequer for the said knights' fees in the aforesaid army.

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Roxburgh.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king lately recovered in his court before Hugh de Cressingham and his fellows, justices in eyre in co. Lancaster, by consideration of the court by writ of *Quo Warranto* against the bailiffs and community of the town of Lancaster the market and fair that they had in that town; and the justices caused the market and fair to be extended at 16½ marks yearly, and caused Ralph de Montjoie, then sheriff of the county, to be charged to answer therefor at the exchequer; and the king afterwards, at the suit of the bailiffs and community, who asserted that an error has intervened in rendering the judgment aforesaid, caused the record and process of the suit with all things concerning it to come before him; and having inspected them and diligently examined them, and upon its being found that a manifest error had intervened in the rendering of the judgment, he has revoked wholly the record and process aforesaid by consideration of his court before him and has wholly annulled the judgment aforesaid, and has restored the liberties to the bailiffs and community, saving his right when he may wish to speak concerning it at another time: the king orders them to discharge the said sheriff and his successors of the aforesaid 16½ marks from the time when the sheriff was charged therewith by the justices.

By the record of Roger le Brabazon and his fellows.

Feb. 9.
Roxburgh.

To the abbot of Malmesbury. Order to pay to Margaret, late the wife of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, the 20*l.* yearly of rent that they were wont to pay to the earl for the ferm of the town of Malmesbury, as the king has assigned this rent to her among the other lands of the earl assigned to her in dower.

Feb. 9.
Roxburgh.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator beyond Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the manor of Estwell, which he has taken into the king's hands by reason of the death of Eleanor, late the wife of Bertram de Criel, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Eleanor held no lands in her demesne as of fee at her death, but that she held the said manor in dower, which manor is held of the king in chief by the service of two knights' fees.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Maud, late the wife of Walter de Stutevill, tenant in chief, in the presence of Walter's heir, upon her taking oath not to marry without the king's licence, as the king compassionates her poverty.

To him who supplies the place of the treasurer and to the barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king lately granted by his letters patent to Richard de Bosco, deceased, the 24 marks yearly that the men of Brideport were wont to render to the exchequer for the ferm of that town, to be received by him from the said men, so that he should receive 20 marks thereof for the custody of the castle of Corf and should pay the remaining four marks to the exchequer yearly, for so long as he should have the custody of the castle [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 11 Edw. I, p. 80]: the king orders them to inspect the said letters patent and also the acquittances that the men have from Richard for payment of the aforesaid sum, and to discharge them of the sums thus paid by them to him, and to charge the executors of Richard's will or his heirs therewith.

Feb. 16.
Roxburgh.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to permit Edmund de Aula Nova,* a knight of Amadeus, earl of Savoy, to have respite for his homage

* He is called 'Mons. Aymes de Sale Noeve' in the writ of privy seal, in which the lands are described as a manor near Brackelee.

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for the lands that he holds of the king until All Saints next, as the king has granted to him such respite at the instance of Amadeus, count of Savoy.

By p.s. [2874.]

Feb. 20. To the sheriff of Bedford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Robert de Crevequer, deceased.
Wooler
(Woolverre).

Feb. 23. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margaret, late the wife of Fulk de Rycote, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.
Morpeth.

Feb. 16. To the sheriff of Sussex. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William de Bulsham, whom the king has caused to be removed from office because he is staying in Scotland in his service, so that he cannot execute the duties of the office.
Roxburgh.

By p.s.

Feb. 15. To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. As the king has pardoned divers men of Ireland staying in Scotland in his service in the company of certain magnates of Ireland, whose names the magnates will have testified to the justiciary by their letters patent under their seals, the suit of his peace pertaining to him for certain felonies and other trespasses committed against his peace in Ireland before 17 February, in the present year, with which they have been charged or appealed, and has caused his peace to be granted to them therein, on condition that they stand to right in his court if any one wish to speak against them in this matter: the king orders the justiciary to cause all those thus staying in Scotland whose names the magnates shall certify to him to have the king's letters patent of such pardon under the seal that he uses in Ireland.
Roxburgh.

By petition under the p.s.

Feb. 26. To the said John and to Richard de Bereford, treasurer of the exchequer at Dublin. Order to commit to John Crok the king's land of Admekyn in Ireland, to be kept during the king's pleasure, having regard to the laudable service rendered by him to the king in Scotland, for which the king wishes to show him special favour.
Morpeth.

By petition under the p.s.

Feb. 20. To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer at Dublin. Order to excuse Richard Blakeman and Amabilla, his wife, the 10 marks due to the exchequer beyond what they have paid to the king for the goods that belonged to Richard de Acon, which were delivered to Amabilla at a certain price after the goods had come to the king's hands by reason of the arrearages that Richard de Acon owed to the king of the time when he was sheriff of Waterford, as the king has pardoned Richard and Amabilla the said 10 marks for the good service rendered by him to the king in Scotland.
Wooler.

By p.s.

To the same. Notification that the king has pardoned Thomas de Sancto Johanne for his good service in Scotland 15*l.* of the 30*l.* due from him to the exchequer for divers amercements, to wit 10*l.* because he improperly (*indebite*) returned a writ of the king's before the chief justice of Ireland, and 10*l.* because he likewise improperly returned another writ before the justices of the Bench at Dublin, and 100*s.* for divers returns of the king's writs insufficiently made before him at that exchequer, and also 100*s.* for a default, and has granted to him respite for the remaining 15*l.* until Easter next and for a year afterwards; and order to cause him to have such acquittance and respite.

By pet,

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*Membrane 16—cont.*Feb. 15.
Roxburgh.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and to Richard de Bereford, treasurer of Ireland. The aforesaid Thomas has besought the king to grant to him that he may pay the debts due by him to the exchequer of Dublin at the rate of 5 marks yearly: the king, wishing to show him favour for the good service that he has rendered in Scotland, orders the justiciary to cause Thomas to have reasonable terms according to the justiciary's discretion for payment of the debts, having consideration for his service aforesaid.

By petition under the p.s.

To the same. The aforesaid Thomas has besought the king to grant to him the king's weirs and fisheries of Lymeryk to have during the king's pleasure by an extent to be made by the justiciary and treasurer and to be paid by him to the exchequer of Ireland: the king, wishing to accede to his prayers for his good service in Scotland, orders them to commit the weirs and fishery to Thomas at their discretion, having consideration to his service aforesaid.

By petition under the p.s.

Feb. 20.
Wooller.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to acquit Philip de Barry of 20 marks due to that exchequer for a ransom of 100 marks exacted from him by summons of that exchequer, as the king has pardoned him this sum in consideration of his good service in Scotland.

By pet.

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Morpeth.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margaret, late the wife of Hugh de Plessetis, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

Feb. 23.
Morpeth.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. The king has granted to John son of Thomas, in consideration of his service in Scotland and elsewhere, that he shall have the wardship of the lands that belonged to Thomas son of Maurice, tenant in chief,—which John holds by the king's commission until the heir of Thomas shall come of age, and for which he pays 100*l.* yearly to that exchequer and 100*l.* yearly to Gerard Dorom, the king's yeoman, by reason of the king's grant to Gerard of 100*l.* yearly of land of the wardship aforesaid—quit of the said 100*l.* yearly to that exchequer until the heir come of age, on condition that he pay the other 100*l.* yearly to Gerard and that he acquit the king of all the debts due to him from the king for his costs and expenses incurred by him in the king's service in Ireland and in Flanders: the king therefore orders the treasurer and barons to receive such acquittance from John, and to permit him to have the custody quit of payment of the said 100*l.*

By petition under the p.s.

Feb. 17.
Roxburgh.

To the treasurer and barons. Notification that the king has granted to John de Fresingfeld that he may pay the 85 marks due to the exchequer from the goods of merchants of France taken into the king's hands in Ireland by reason of the late war between the king and the king of France, by 20 marks yearly, and order to cause him to have these terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

By petition sent under the p.s.

Feb. 22.
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To Simon de Ludgate and his fellows, justices of the Bench of Dublin. It is shown to the king by Joan de Valencia, countess of Pembroke, that

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whereas Laurence Jacob impleaded William Seynde in the court of her liberty of Weseford by a writ of hers, in accordance with the aforesaid liberty, concerning the unjust taking and detention of his chattels; and after the case had been long discussed (*ayitata*) in the court, it was considered there that Laurence should recover his damages against William for the unjust taking and detention of the chattels; and William, asserting that a false judgment had been given, caused the record of the suit to come before the aforesaid justices in the Bench aforesaid by the king's writ of false judgment, and the justices, after hearing the reasons and allegations of the parties aforesaid, considered that the judgment was false, that William should have return of his chattels previously replevied, and that the liberty aforesaid should be taken into the king's hands for the rendering of the judgment aforesaid, without warning the countess or her steward of the liberty concerning this. As the king is unwilling that the countess shall be unduly aggrieved, but wishes rather to show her grace in this behalf, he orders the justices to cause the liberty, with everything received from it from the time when it was taken into the king's hands, to be replevied to her without delay during the king's pleasure, and to certify him under Simon's seal at the quinzaine of Midsummer next of the reason for taking the liberty into the king's hands, whether it was so taken for the reason aforesaid or for any other reason, and if for any other reason then to certify him of the reason, remitting this writ, so that the king may cause to be then done what he shall cause to be provided by his council.

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To John de Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and to Richard de Bereford, treasurer of the exchequer of Dublin. The king, wishing to benefit Thomas de Maundevill for his good service in Scotland, orders them to give him preference over others in buying the marriage of the son and heir of Richard de Crus, tenant in chief in Ireland, provided that he will give as much as any one else for it, and to make an extent of the lands that belonged to Richard and that are in the king's hands by reason of his heir's minority, and to commit to Thomas the wardship of the lands, to hold during the heir's minority by the extent, upon his finding security to render the extent to the king yearly.

By petition under the p.s.

To the same. Geoffrey le Poer has shown the king by his petition that whereas he is indebted to that exchequer in 100 marks for the arrears of a yearly rent of 10 marks that he is bound to render to the king for certain lands in Balyteneth, which are held of the king in chief, to wit 80 marks of the time when the lands were in the hands of Eustace le Poer, who enfeoffed him of the lands, and 20 marks of Geoffrey's time after the lands had come to his hands by the feoffment aforesaid, which sums are exacted from Geoffrey by summons of the exchequer, and he has besought the king to show favour to him in this behalf: the king, acceding to his petition in consideration of his good service in Scotland, has pardoned him the said 100 marks, provided that he render the said 10 marks yearly henceforth, and orders them to cause Geoffrey to be acquitted of the said 10 marks.

By petition.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. The king has granted to John son of Thomas, in consideration of his good service to him in Scotland, that he may hold the wardship of certain lands that belonged to Thomas son of Maurice deceased, tenant in chief, which John now holds during the minority of Thomas's heir by the king's commission and for which he pays 100*l.* yearly to the exchequer, henceforth

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during the minority quit of the said 100*l.* on condition that he shall acquit the king of all debts due to him from the king for his costs and expenses in the king's service in Ireland and Flanders: he orders the treasurer and barons to receive such acquittance from John and then to permit him to have the custody quit of the aforesaid payment.

By petition under the p.s.

To Geoffrey de Geynville and John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to take with them the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin and to search the rolls and memoranda of that exchequer, and, after viewing the state of the receipt of the chamberlains of that exchequer after the account of William de Estden, the late treasurer, for the past, and after making an estimate of the whole receipt at the exchequer of Easter and at that of Michaelmas next, to view and examine diligently what sum of money both of the tenth granted to the king in that land and of all issues of that land the king can have ready for the expedition of his war of Scotland in March after the completion of the present year, so that the justiciary may certify the king in person in fifteen days from Midsummer, in order that the king, having a certainty thereof, may provide elsewhere those things that are necessary and opportune for the expedition. It is provided that what the king has previously ordered by his letters to be paid in that exchequer shall be deducted (*extrahantur*) from the said sum.

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Order to the treasurer, barons and chamberlains of the exchequer of Dublin to assist Geoffrey and the justiciary in executing the premises.

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Roxburgh.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and to the barons of the exchequer of Dublin. The abbot of Mayo (*Maio*) has besought the king to grant to him reasonable terms for payment of the 209*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* in which the abbot is bound to Gerard G[r]ymbard and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Ricardi of Lucca (*Luka*), by a letter made between them, which sum the justiciary and barons exact for the king's use because the king caused all the goods and chattels and debts of the said merchants owing to them from any persons to be taken into his hands for certain reasons: the king, compassionating the estate of the abbot and of his house, orders them to cause the abbot to have terms at which he can pay the money conveniently, having regard to the impoverishment (*depauperacionem*) of the said house.

By petition under the p.s.

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Morpeth.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Nicholas de Saunford has besought the king to grant him reasonable terms at which he can pay the 30*l.* still owing to the exchequer of the 112*l.* in which he was indebted to the king: the king, granting his petition in consideration of his good service in Scotland, orders the treasurer and barons to cause him to have such terms for payment of the said 30*l.*

By petition under the p.s.

To the same. Order to search the rolls of that exchequer, and to certify the king of the debts due to it from Hugh Purcel, and for what they are due, and what debts are clear and what are not, so that the king may be certified thereof by the bearer of the presents at the quinzaine of Midsummer next, and to cause Hugh to have respite for the debts in the meantime.

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Morpeth.

To the sheriff of Lancaster. Order to cause John de Caton to have seisin of a messuage and 20 acres of land in Caton, as the king learns by

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inquisition taken by the escheator that the said messuage and land, which John son of Alan de Welflete, who was outlawed for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that John held them of the said John de Caton, and that the township of Caton had the king's year and day thereof, for which it ought to answer to the king.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. As the king has granted to John son of Thomas, for his good service in Scotland and elsewhere, 60*l.* yearly from the king's lands in Ireland by a reasonable extent, to hold by certain services : the king orders the justiciary to provide John with lands to that value as quickly as he can, in suitable places where it can be done to the least damage of the king and to the greatest advantage for John.

By petition sent under the p.s.

To the same. Whereas John son of Thomas lately suggested to the king that when he was in Flanders in the king's service certain Irish malefactors and disturbers of the king's peace burned his town of Rathimegan and committed homicides, robberies and burnings in the adjoining lands, and he has besought the king to grant to him the king's service of Ireland for one occasion (*viva*, for *una*) to help in building anew a fortress (*fortalicii*) against the said Irish of those parts, for the benefit of the land of Ireland and for the preservation of the king's peace there, and the king ordered the justiciary to call together all of the king's council there and, after full consideration as to the premises, to grant to John such service, if it should seem to be for the benefit of the land aforesaid and for the preservation of the king's peace ; and John has not yet fully had the king's service aforesaid, although it was granted to him by the justiciary and others of the king's council : the king orders the justiciary, if it be so, to cause John to have the said service in accordance with the tenor of the king's order and grant aforesaid.

Feb. 23.
Morpeth.

To the same. Whereas the king, on 22 January, in the twenty-sixth year of his reign, ordered the justiciary to assign dower to Isabel, late the wife of William de Vescy, tenant in chief, from the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William in Ireland and that he rendered to the king quit of him and his heirs ; and although he assigned to her by virtue of that order 11*l.* 4*s.* 2*d.* yearly to be received at Kildar' by the hands of the king's sheriff of Kildar' from the pleas and perquisites of that county for her dower, as appears to the king by the assignment returned into his chancery in England, the justiciary has not yet caused her to have this 11*l.* 4*s.* 2*d.*, as she has complained to the king : the king orders the justiciary to cause her to have the said 11*l.* 4*s.* 2*d.*, in accordance with the assignment, and to restore to her anything thereof that may have been received for the king's use after the assignment.

Feb. 28.
Chester.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Joan, late the wife of John Wake, tenant in chief, the service of Robert de Tilliol in Solpert, which is extended at 100*s.* yearly ; the service of William de Mulcastre in Torpennowe, which is extended at 10*l.* yearly ; the service of Richard Brune in Torpennowe, which is extended at 40*s.* yearly ; the service of the said Richard in Brymscayth, which is extended at 100*s.* yearly ; the service of John de Eston in Eston, which is extended at 13*s.* 4*d.* yearly ; the service of Ralph de Arturet, which is extended at 60*s.* yearly, as the king has assigned these services to her as her dower of the knights' fees and services of tenants by cornage that belonged to John Wake, which are in the king's hands by reason of the minority of John's heir.

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Feb. 10.
Roxburgh.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause allowance to be made to sheriffs and other ministers of the realm for their costs and expenses, to be proved before the treasurer and barons, about the provision of corn in their bailiwick and the delivery thereof to the proctors of certain of the king's towns in Gascony, and to charge the men of the said towns with the receipt of the corn, or with its price, and with the costs aforesaid, receiving first from each of the sheriffs and ministers the king's letters of precept and the indenture made between them and the proctors aforesaid, which they shall cause to be kept safely in the treasury, as the king calls to mind that he ordered divers sheriffs and other ministers by letters under the privy seal to cause corn to be provided in their bailiwick and to cause it to be delivered to the proctors aforesaid, in part payment of the debts in which the king is bound to the men of the said towns, and that each sheriff and minister should pay for the corn thus provided and for the freight of the ships and for all other charges or costs about the corn, and that an indenture should be made between each of the sheriffs and ministers and the proctors of each of the towns of the quantity of the corn delivered and of the price thereof and of all other charges.

By p.s. [2856-7.]

Feb. 28.
Chester.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Alice, late the wife of Robert son of Henry de Derleye, from Robert's lands, which are in the king's hands until it be decided in the king's court whether or not the wardship thereof ought to pertain to the king by reason of the minority of Robert's heir, the following, which the king has committed to her: 8s. 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. of rent to be received by the hands of the following free tenants in Derleye, to wit, Ralph le Eyr 4s., Hugh Bechard 2s., John Merlach 2s. 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ d., and Peter de Whitewell 6d.; and 27s. of rent from three fermors in that town, to wit William Fox 13s., Roger de Irton 13s., Benedict de Merlach 12d.; to hold in *tenancia* until dower be assigned to her.

March 7.
Northallerton.

To Walter de Gloucestria, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Margaret, late the wife of Aubrey (*Albredi*) de la Northgrave, tenant in chief, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

March 7.
Northallerton.

John Quyston, imprisoned at Aylesbury for the death of William Nagelyn, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Buckingham to bail him until the first assize.

March 7.
Northallerton.

To the mayor and sheriffs of London. It is shown to the king by Thomas Borival of Bradewell that whereas he and Sabina, his wife, demised the manor of Coringham with certain other lands in Coringham and Stanford of Sabina's inheritance to Adam de Staney for life, and that, in order to assure his estate, it was afterwards agreed between him and Thomas that, so long as Adam should hold the manor and lands without hindrance from Sabina and her heirs, execution of a recognisance for 20*l.* that Thomas made to Adam, for the assurance of his estate aforesaid, before Elias Russel, late mayor of London, and John de Bauquell, who were appointed to take recognisances of debts at London, should not be made, with provision that the recognisance should be annulled immediately after Adam's death if he thus obtained possession of the manor and lands in his lifetime, as is contained in a deed of covenant made between them, nevertheless Adam, although he has obtained possession from the time of the demise until now without impediment from Sabina and her heirs, has

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caused Thomas to be taken and imprisoned in Neugate by the mayor and sheriffs by virtue of the statute aforesaid : the king orders them to release Thomas from prison upon his finding mainpernors to have him before the king in fifteen days from Easter to do and receive what his court shall consider in the premises, and to warn Adam to be there then to show cause why Thomas should not be released from prison.

March 7. Alice, daughter of Martin de Galmeton, imprisoned at Beverley for the Northallerton. death of William de Galmeton, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail her until the first assize.

March 18. To the sheriff of Devon. Order to cause a coroner for that county to Beverley. be elected in place of Walter le Densshe of Manneworth, whom the king has caused to be removed from office because it is testified before him by trustworthy men that he is insufficiently qualified.

March 18. To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause a coroner for that county Beverley. to be elected in place of Roger Iweyn, deceased.

March 15. To the sheriff of Southampton. Order to receive from Adam de Beverley. Rokesle, the king's butler at Southampton, twenty tuns of wine, and to cause them to be carried to Devyses castle without delay, against the king's arrival there. By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to cause 400 quarters of wheat to be provided out of the issues of his bailiwick, and to cause them to be carried to the places that Walter Waldeshof, the king's baker, whom the king is sending to him in this behalf, shall make known to him, and to cause the wheat to be delivered to Walter by indenture.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford[ord].

March 15. To the sheriff of Essex and Hertford. Whereas the king lately ordered Beverley. him to receive all the corn that William de Hamelton, dean of York, granted to the king in those counties and that William de Walmesford, appointed by the king to receive the corn, should deliver to the sheriff from William de Walmesford and to cause it to be carried to Berwick-on-Tweed for the king's use, and the king has now ordained that 1,000 quarters of wheat and 500 quarters of oats out of the said corn shall be sent to his town of Bourg-sur-Mer in Gascony for the munition of that town and the maintenance of the king's men there: the king orders the sheriff to cause the said 1,000 quarters of wheat and 500 quarters of oats to be carried to the nearest port in his bailiwick without delay, notwithstanding the king's previous order, and to cause them to be placed in ships to be hired for this purpose by the sheriff, and to cause them to be taken to Bourg by someone in whom he can confide, and to be there delivered by indenture to the king's receiver.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesford.

March 26. To the sheriff of Kent. Whereas John son of Thomas de Brenleye Peterborough appeals by the king's writ before the justices of the Bench John de Graveneye, Gunnora, his wife, Thomas and Richard, his sons, Thomas Dagb, Nicholas, his brother, William le Taverner, Stephen de Capella, Henry de Horsebrok, Thomas de Glanvill, Thomas son of John Gilbert, Philip de Intebergh, Richard de Langeleye, Richard Crul, Elias le Brewer, Stephen de Clare, Hamo de Lenham, John de Mallinge, John de Sancto Petro, Richard Corfham, John Luns, William Folet, Adam le Orfreyser, Stephen le Ferrur, John de Wychem, William de Cokefeld, Robert Aleyn of Sturreye, John de Beckles, William de Rouseby,

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Valentine de Bere, John son of William de la Sale of Dover, John le Parker, Thomas, abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, Brother William Huberd, Brother Hugh de Berkinge, Brother John Godchep, Brother Richard Bertelot, monks of that house, and Robert de Burghessh of the death of Christiana daughter of Thomas de Brenleye, his brother; and the appealed, not seeking any subterfuges but permitting themselves to be justiced according to the law and custom of the realm, have besought the king to cause the appeal to be heard and determined with all possible speed and to cause justice to be done to the parties; wherefore the king has appointed Roger Brabazon and Henry Spygurnel his justices to hear and determine the aforesaid appeal: the king, wishing to show favour to the appealed, more especially as he understands that there is malice in the appeal, orders the sheriff to deliver them in mainprise until the next visit of the said justices that they will stand to right in the king's court concerning this appeal when the king or the appellants or any one else shall wish to speak against them in this matter. By p.s.

March 15.
Beverley.

To the sheriff of Kent. Whereas the king lately—at the denunciation of R. archbishop of Canterbury by his letters patent, signifying that Thomas de Combok, William Hugham, Juliana Attefispole, Elias de la Thegh, Joan le Couhird, John Russel and John le Delver were excommunicated for contumacy and would not permit themselves to be justiced by ecclesiastical censure—ordered the sheriff to justice them by their bodies in accordance with the custom of England until they should satisfy holy church; and afterwards at the presentation of the abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, who asserted that, by virtue of an exemption newly granted to him by the pope, the said Thomas, William and the others were subjected to him and wholly exempt from the archbishop's jurisdiction, the king ordered the sheriff to supersede the taking of them until the octaves of St. Hilary last, which day the king had given to the archbishop and abbot, upon their finding security to be before the king on that day; and the king now understands that the sheriff again arrested them after the said octaves had elapsed, and that he still keeps them in prison at Canterbury: the king, wishing to continue the security for certain reasons ordained by him and his council in this behalf, orders the sheriff to deliver them without delay upon their finding security to be before the king at his will to answer concerning the premises. By K.

April 3.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Whereas the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that William de Colevill, deceased, gave in free marriage to Philip de Colevill, his younger brother, and to Agnes, his wife, a messuage, 118 acres of land, nine bondage-holdings (*bondagia*), a brewhouse, a water-mill and three cottage-holdings (*cotagiu*) in Spindelestan, in that county, and six bondage-holdings in Botil, in the same county, to have to them and the heirs of their two bodies, with reversion in default of such heirs to William, and that a moiety of the demesne land aforesaid and a moiety of the mill are held of Philip de la Legh by the service of a pair of gold spurs or of 6*d.* yearly, and that the remainder of the lands with the moiety of the mill are held of the chief lords of Alnewyk by the service of half a knight's fee, and that the reversion of the lands aforesaid ought to pertain by the form of the gift to Robert de Colevill, brother and heir of William, after the death of Agnes, and that the moiety of the demesne, land and mill that are held of Philip are in the king's hands by reason of the rebellion of Henry de Haliburton, Agnes's husband, which Henry and Agnes have now stayed with the Scots, the king's enemies, for four years and still stay with them, contrary to the king's peace and

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faith: the king, wishing to show favour to Robert in consideration of his good service, orders the sheriff to deliver to him the said moiety in the king's hands, to be held, saving the rights of others, until it shall be otherwise ordained by the king and his council. By p.s.

April 4.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to restore to Robert son of John de Rocheford the manor of Berdene, co. Essex, if it is in the king's hands solely because Robert entered it without the king's licence, as the king, at the instance of Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex, has pardoned Robert his trespass in entering the manor without his licence by the feoffment of John, his father, who held it of the king in chief as of the honour of Raleigh, which is in the king's hands, which manor the escheator took into the king's hands by reason of this trespass, and the king has taken Robert's homage for the manor.

By K.

April 3.
Thetford.

Richard de Stokeslegh and Margery, his wife, imprisoned at York for the death of William Mosok, wherewith they are charged, have letters to the sheriff of Lancaster to bail them until the first assize.

April 4.
Balsham.

To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to cause the king's houses within the manor of Clarendon to be repaired without delay.

April 6.
Balsham.

To Humphrey de Waleden, guardian of the bishopric of Worcester, the see being void. Order to permit the executors of the will of G. late bishop of Worcester to have free administration of all his goods and chattels, which the guardian has taken into the king's hands by reason of the bishop's death, upon their finding security to answer to the king for any debts that may be due to the exchequer from the bishop.

The like to Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent.

William le Moneck, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Robert atte Nash, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him until the first assize.

Philip le Steyniur, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Sarah, late his wife, wherewith he is charged, has like letters to the sheriff of Devon.

April 3.
Bury
St. Edmunds.

Robert Somer of Mundham, imprisoned at Norwich for the death of Reginald le Fraunkelyn, wherewith he is charged, has like letters to the sheriff of Norfolk.

April 4.
Newmarket.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause the liberty of Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, in Ireland, which was taken into the king's hands, to be replevied from Easter next until the following Easter, and to certify the king in the meantime of the reason for taking it into the king's hands, the king having previously ordered the liberty to be replevied until next Easter.

April 9.
St. Albans.

William de Derby, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of John le Mareschal of Stonistredford, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Stafford to bail him.

April 13.
Wendover.

To the sheriffs of London. Order to restore to John de Uggele, clerk, his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands by them upon his being indicted before Ralph de Sandwyco and Stephen de Gravesende, justices appointed to deliver Neugate gaol, with assenting to the death of Richard Rok, who was slain in that city, as he has purged his innocence before the bishop of London, the diocesan, to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy.

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Newmarket.

To the sheriff of Essex. Order to cause 1,000 quarters of wheat and 1,000 quarters of oats, from the corn granted to the king by William de Hamelton, dean of York, and from other corn provided by the sheriff, or to be provided with all speed, to be put in sacks or barrels and to be carried to the nearest port in the sheriff's bailiwick, and to hire ships to convey the corn to the king's town of Bourg-sur-Mer in Gascony, so that all the premises shall be ready this side Easter next, as William Amaneui, the king's clerk, whom the king is sending to those parts specially, shall direct the sheriff, to whom the sheriff is to give credence, as the king greatly needs corn now for the maintenance of his men in the said town. The sheriff is enjoined not to neglect this as he loves the king and his honour and as he would wish to avoid his wrath.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Like order for 500 quarters of wheat.

To the sheriff of Surrey and Sussex. Like order for 500 quarters of wheat and 500 quarters of oats for the town of Blaye (*Blavia*) in Gascony.

To the sheriff of Somerset and Dorset. Like order for 1,000 quarters of wheat and 500 quarters of oats for the town of Bayonne.

April 11.
Berkhampstead.

To the keeper of the manor of Langelegh. Order to deliver to Edward, prince of Wales, the said manor, as the king has granted it to him.

By p.s. [2958.]

April 16.
Wallingford.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the custody of the priory of Christ Church, Twynham, as Isabel de Fortibus, late countess of Albemarle and Devon and lady of the Isle [of Wight], granted by her charter, which the king confirmed, to God and the said church and the canons there serving God that whenever the church should be void by the death or cession of the prior, the canons should peacefully take and possess by themselves or their ministers all the issues and profits of all the men, lands, possessions and other things pertaining to the church, both within and without the priory, in their manors and places, and that they might employ them for the use and advantage of the canons and church as should seem best to them in every time of voidance, without any challenge, impediment or contradiction of her or her heirs or assigns, so that neither she or her heirs or assigns or anyone in her or their name might take or appropriate to themselves anything during voidance from the men, lands or possessions of the church, except that she and her heirs and assigns should have in time of voidance in the priory a bailiff or minister assisting the canons in the custody of the priory, who should safely keep together with the canons the goods and possessions of the church for the use and benefit of the canons and church; and the king has taken the fealty of Brother William Quynstin, a canon thereof, who has been elected prior and whose election J. bishop of Winchester, the diocesan, has confirmed, as appears to the king by the bishop's letters patent directed to the king, and to whose election the king had previously given his assent.

By p.s. [2964.]

April 24.
Devises.

To the bailiffs of the hundred without the north gate of Oxford. Order to pay out of their ferm for the hundred to Robert de Crevequer 10*l.* for Easter term last of the 20*l.* yearly granted to him by the king for his life from that ferm for the release and quit-claim that he made to the king and to Queen Eleanor, late queen of England, of the manor of Ditton.

April 28.
Devises.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. As the king has granted to the tenants of Robert de Brus, earl of Carrik, of Scotland, their lands in England that had been taken into the king's hands by reason of their rebellion, he orders the escheator to deliver to Patrick de Trumpe and Maud de Carrik, tenants of the earl, as is certified

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before the king by John de Sancto Johanne, the elder, their lands in Levyngton, co. Cumberland, if they are in the king's hands solely by reason of the rebellion of Patrick and Maud.

By K.

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Devises.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Robert de Tateshale to have in the forest of Savernak six oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift. By K. on the information of J. Buteturte.

April 26.

Devises.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause John de Oldebury, son and heir of Elias de Oldebury, to have seisin of the lands whereof his father at his death was seised in his demesne as of fee, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

To the sheriff of Berks. Order to acquit John de Erle, son and heir of Philip de Erle, tenant in chief, of the demand made upon him for scutage for the knights' fees that he holds of the king for the king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, as it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery that he was a minor in the king's wardship from 11 May, in the third year of the reign, when the king caused to be taken into his hands all the lands whereof Philip was seised in his demesne as of fee by reason of Philip's death, until 13 January, in the twentieth year, when the king took John's homage.

April 28.

Devises.

To him who supplies the place of the treasurer and to the barons of the exchequer. Order to cause John de Blakeford to be acquitted of 63*l.* in which he is indebted to the king at the exchequer for divers causes, as the king has pardoned him at the instance of Richard Lovel, his yeoman.

By K.

April 28.

Devises.

To the same. Order to acquit John de la Mare of the scutage exacted from him for three knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as he had his service with the king in that army for the said fees for the inheritance of his wife, which service he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of the marshalsea of that army.

To the same. Like order for the said three fees for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign.

To the same. Order to acquit William de Monte Caniso of Edwardeston of the scutage exacted from him for the service of a knight's fee in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as he had his service with the king in that army for the said fee for the inheritance of his wife, which service he then acknowledged to the king, as appears by inspection of the rolls of the marshalsea of that army.

April 26.

Devises.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Robert de Cantilupo to be acquitted of 37*l.* 6*s.* 9½*d.* due from him to the exchequer for the arrears of his account of the time when he was constable of the king's castle of Lohmaban, as the king has pardoned him this sum.

By K.

April 28.

Devises.

To him who supplies the place of the treasurer and to the barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit Cecily de Bello Campo of the demand made upon her for the service of a quarter of a knight's fee for the king's army of Scotland in the twenty-eighth year of his reign, as it appears to the king that Robert de Bello Campo, her son, did this service for her in the said army, which service he then acknowledged to the king for that army.

By K.

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*Membrane 13—cont.*April 28.
Devises.

Richard Springere, Hugh le Teynturer and Thomas Lug, imprisoned at Rochester for the death of William de Gren, wherewith they are charged, have letters to the sheriff of Kent to bail them until the first assize.

William Beaufiz, Richard Hanekyn, Walter Hanekyn, John le Pestur of Strode, John de Yokham, the elder, Brian Hanekyn, Ralph de Cobeham, Adam Wyse, Simon Reyner, Thomas Martyn, John Crowere, Silvester Creye, Reginald le Lung, Robert le Mouner, John Springere, Adam Paloges, Hugh le Taillur, Simon Fukes, Geoffrey Grys, Thomas Grys, Adam Blobard, Benedict Dobbes and Nicholas de Cobeham, imprisoned in Canterbury castle for the death of William de Gren, wherewith they are charged, have letters to the sheriff of Kent to bail them.

April 29.
Devises.

To the bailiffs of Hull. Adam de Barton has suggested to the king that John, duke of Brabant, is bound to Adam and to divers other merchants of the realm in great sums of money by his letters obligatory, which sums he ought to have paid long ago, but he has not yet done so, although he has been many times requested by the king to pay these sums: the king, wishing to aid the merchants by all just means to recover their debts, orders the bailiffs to cause all goods and wares of all merchants of the duke's land or power found in that town to be arrested and kept safely until the merchants shall have been satisfied in full for their debts aforesaid.

By K.

The like to the bailiffs of Boston.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Like order in favour of John de Ludelawe and divers other merchants.

The like to the sheriff of London.

The like to the sheriff of York.

The like to the sheriff of Oxford.

To the sheriff of Gloucester. Whereas the king learns from the complaint of the prior and convent of St. Oswald's, Gloucester, that Robert, archbishop of Canterbury, caused public inhibition to be made in Gloucester and elsewhere in the sheriff's bailiwick of any one selling to, or buying from, the prior and convent victuals or other necessities for their maintenance under pain of excommunication, which, if it were tolerated, would redound to the prejudice of the king and of his crown and the derogation of his royal dignity; the king, not wishing that the prior and convent and others of his realm being in his faith and peace shall be excluded by such inhibitions from buying and selling victuals, orders the sheriff, if such inhibition have been there made, to cause proclamation to be made in the town of Gloucester and places where need is that no one by reason of such inhibitions made in the king's prejudice shall omit to communicate with the prior and convent, as with others of the realm in the king's peace and faith, in the buying and selling of victuals and other things for sale in the same way as they have been wont to do heretofore.

April 9.
St. Albans.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Master Peter de Dene, king's clerk, a tenement near Clare, co. Essex, that belonged to John de la Leye and Katharine, his wife, which is held of the king in chief, and which the escheator took into the king's hands because Peter entered it and acquired it without the king's licence, as the king has pardoned him his trespass in entering the tenement in consideration of his good service to him.

By p.s.

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*Membrane 13 cont.*April 28.
Devises.

Richard de Horsham, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Martin de Horsham, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him until the first assize.

To him who supplies the place of the treasurer and to the barons of the exchequer. Order to permit John Bluet to have respite during the king's pleasure for the 40 marks by which he made fine with the king before Roger de Meules and Adam Gurdun, the king's justices lately appointed to enquire concerning certain trespasses of venison against him in the forest of Wolvemere, as the king has granted to him such respite.

By K. on the information of John de Sancto Johanne.

To Nicholas Fermbaud. Order to release John Tregoz and Robert le Ram, imprisoned in Bristol castle for an alleged trespass of venison in the king's chace of Kyngeswode, upon their finding mainpernors to have them before the king at his will to stand to right when he shall wish to speak against them.

By K.

May 2.
Devises.

Thomas Prick, imprisoned at Maydenestan for the death of Jordan de Wynterlond, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Kent to bail him until the first assize.

May 1.
Devises.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Robert son of Walter and Thomas de Greleye the issues of the manor of Neuton received by him, which manor he took into the king's hands by reason of the death of Michael de Cakewell, as the king, upon its being found by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Michael at his death held no lands of the king in chief, but that he held the said manor of Robert and Thomas for his life, ordered the escheator not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Michael, and the king is given to understand on behalf of Robert and Thomas that they have entered the manor by virtue of the said order.

May 1.
Devises.

William Colle of Derby, imprisoned at Notingham for the death of Ralph de Stapenhull, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Derby to bail him until the first assize.

April 28.
Devises.

To him who supplies the place of the treasurer and to the barons of the exchequer. As Ralph de Monte Hermeri, earl of Gloucester and Hertford, asserts that he ought to receive yearly at the exchequer 20*l.* for the earldom of Gloucester and 30*l.* for the earldom of Hertford, and 40*l.* 19*s.* 5*d.* for the Barton (*Bertona*) of Bristol, which sums Gilbert de Clare, late earl of Gloucester and Hertford, was wont to receive there in his lifetime: the king orders them to assign Ralph a day at the exchequer in Michaelmas term next to account with him concerning the premises, and, after making account with him of what they shall find to be due to him, to cause him to have allowance therefor in the debts due from him to the exchequer, and to cause him to have respite in the meantime for the debts due from him.

By K.

May 11.
Sutton.

To the sheriff of Somerset. Order to cause William Martyn to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the knights' fees that he holds of the king in chief for the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as it appears to the king that William did his full service in that army for the said fee.

To the same. Order to cause the said William Martyn, son and heir of Nicholas son of Martin, to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for three knights' fees for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as Nicholas was with the king in that army for the service of three knights' fees, which he then acknowledged to the king.

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May 8.
Stockbridge.

To him who supplies the place of the treasurer and to the barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king granted to Roger le Bigod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, on 13 April last the manors of Costeseye with the soke, Burgh and Causton, the town of Aylesham, and the hundreds of Northerpingham, Sutherpingham, Westfleg, Estfleg, Happingge, Holt, Lodnyng, Clavinging, Taverham, Blanfeld, Walsham and Humelyerd, co. Norfolk, the manors of Fakenham Aspes and the hundred of Ludinglond, co. Suffolk, the ferm of the honours of Boulogne and Peverel in cos. Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex and Hertford, 10*l.* yearly that the prior and convent of Christ Church, Canterbury, render for the manor of Borle, co. Essex, the town of Newport, in the same county, the towns of Watlington, Beckelegh with Heghton, and the manor of Bensington, co. Oxford, 100*l.* yearly that the abbot of Hayles renders for the manor of Lechelade, co. Gloucester, the ferm of the city of Chichester, co. Sussex, the manor of Kenton with Hevetre, the manors of Wyk and Suthtenge, and the ferm of the city of Exeter, co. Devon, to have and to hold to Roger for life, as contained in the king's letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 30 Edw. I, p. 29]; by reason whereof the king ordered the said prior to pay the 10*l.* yearly, the abbot to pay the 100*l.* yearly, the king's bailiff of the said honours to pay the fermes thereof, and the bailiffs of the said cities to pay the fermes thereof to Roger at the terms at which they had been wont to pay them to the exchequer, from the said day during Roger's life, and he also ordered the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk to deliver the manors of Costeseye with the soke, Burgh and Causton, the town of Aylesham, and the hundreds of Northerpingham, Sutherpingham, Westfleg, Estfleg, Happing, Holt, Lodning, Clavinging, Taverham, Blanfeld, Walsham and Humelyerd, co. Norfolk, the manors of Fakenham Aspes and the hundred of Ludinglond, co. Suffolk, and the sheriff of Essex to deliver the town of Newport, co. Essex, and the sheriff of Devon to deliver the manor of Kenton with Hevetre and the manors of Wyk and Suthteng, in that county, and Walter de Aylesbury, keeper of the honour of Walingford, to deliver the towns of Watlington, Beckelegh with Heghton, and the manor of Bensington, co. Oxford, which are of the said honour and in Walter's custody by the king's commission, to Roger or to his attorney without delay, saving to any fermors therein their terms for the present year, so that they may answer to Roger fully for their fermes: the king orders them to cause Roger to have the said rents and fermes, in accordance with the grant, and to cause to be rendered to Roger anything that may have been levied thereof since 13 April aforesaid, and to discharge the prior, abbot, bailiffs, keeper and fermors thereof from that day.

To the same. Whereas the king granted to the said Roger the aforesaid manor of Costeseye, etc. as above, and the ferm of the city of Exeter, co. Devon, as of the value of 1,000*l.* yearly, for his life, saving to the king the advowsons of churches, the wardships, reliefs and escheats of the knights' fees that are held of the king, with provision that if the lands, etc. did not reach the value of 1,000*l.* yearly by lawful extents, the king would cause what was lacking to be assigned to Roger from the fermes of the towns of Norwich and Ipswich before Midsummer, to have with the said lands, etc. in form aforesaid, and if the lands exceed the aforesaid value, then the excess should revert to the king before the said feast, as contained in the said letters: the king, wishing for this reason to be fully certified as to the true value of the manors, towns and hundreds thus assigned to Roger, and whether or not he has committed them or any part of them to any persons, and if so, then to whom and in what manner, and also how much is paid to the exchequer yearly for the said cities of Chichester and

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Exeter and the honours of Boulogne and Peverel, orders them to certify him fully as to these points under the exchequer seal, so that he may cause to be done in this matter what he shall deem fit.

May 17.
Guildford.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king has granted by his charter to the said Roger all the castles, towns, manors and lands in England and Wales that Roger lately granted and quit-claimed to him, except the manors of Suthfeld, co. Norfolk, Dovercurt, co. Essex, and Kenet, co. Cambridge, to hold to Roger and the heirs of his body, with the knights' fees, advowsons of religious houses and churches, liberties and other appurtenances, as fully as he held them before he granted them to the king [*cf. Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 29 Edw. I, p. 31]; whereupon the king ordered the escheator to cause Roger to have seisin of the castles, towns, manors and lands, except the knights' fees, which the king ordered to be kept in his hands for certain reasons until otherwise ordered, and to deliver to Roger all the goods and chattels in the castles, towns, manors and lands, of the king's gift: the king, wishing to show Roger further favour, orders the escheator to deliver to him all the issues received from the castles, manors and lands by the escheator since they came to the king's hands.

To the same. Whereas the king has granted by his charter to the said Roger and to Alice, his wife, the manors of Suthfeld, co. Norfolk, Dovercurt, co. Essex, and Kenet, co. Cambridge, which Roger lately granted and quit-claimed to him, together with other lands in England and Wales, to have to Roger and Alice and the heirs of Roger's body, with the knights' fees, advowsons of churches, liberties, etc. as contained in the king's charter; whereupon the king ordered the escheator to cause them to have seisin of the said manors, except the knights' fees, which he ordered to be kept in his hands for certain reasons until otherwise ordered, and to deliver to Roger and Alice all the goods and chattels in the manors, of the king's gift: the king, wishing to show them further favour, orders the escheator to deliver to them all issues received by him from the manors since they came to the king's hands.

May 24.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Cumberland. Order to restore to Adam de Levyngton, clerk, his lands, goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged before Adam de Crokedayk and Michael de Hartela, justices appointed to deliver Carlisle gaol, with a robbery committed in the forest of Ingelwode, as he has purged his innocence before J. bishop of Carlisle, to whom he was delivered in accordance with the privilege of the clergy.

June 1.
Havering-
atte-Bower.

To Thomas de Swayneseie. Whereas the king granted to Roger le Bigod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, on 13 April last the manor of Kenton with Hevetre, the manors of Wyke and Suthenge, and the ferm of the city of Exeter, in co. Devon, for life, saving to the king the advowsons of churches, wardships, reliefs and escheats of the knights' fees that are held of him, as contained in his letters patent made to Roger, and the king ordered Thomas to deliver the manors and ferm to Roger or to his attorney, saving to the king his costs and expenses in tilling and sowing the said lands and also saving to any fermors thereof their terms of the present year, so that they might answer to Roger for their fermes: the king orders him to deliver to Roger anything that he may have received from the manors and ferm after the date aforesaid.

The like to Walter de Aylesbury, keeper of the honour of Walingford, for the towns of Watlington and Bekelegh and the manor of Bensington, co. Oxford, and the ferm of the city of Chichester, co. Sussex, which are of the honour aforesaid and are in Walter's hands by the king's commission.

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Grays
Thurrock.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause William, son and heir of Stephen de Elmeden, to have seisin of the lands that his father held of the king in chief by the serjeanty of keeping his Hay of Teddesley in the forest of Cannok, as the king has taken his homage.

June 2.
Grays
Thurrock.

To William Trente, taker of the king's wines of the right prise throughout England. Order to deliver to the monks of St. Peter's, Westminster, a tun of wine for the present year, in accordance with the late king's grant to them of a tun of wine of the king's right prise at London to be received yearly on the morrow of St. Botolph by the hands of his chamberlain for the celebration of divine service in their church, one tun being in arrear for the present year, as they say.

June 13.
Chartham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to search the rolls of the exchequer for all debts due to the king on the day when he granted to Edward, prince of Wales, his lands in Wales and Cestreshir', and to cause estreats thereof to be made and to deliver them to Edward's attorney under the exchequer seal, in order to levy the debts for his use, as the king has granted to Edward all his debts in those lands.

By K. on the information of the bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

June 13.
Chartham.

To Richard Oysel, keeper of the town of Kyngeston-on-Hull. Whereas the king has granted to the men of that town that they may have of his vacant plot of land adjoining the churchyard of the church of that town thirteen perches and three feet of land in length and ten perches and nine feet of land in breadth, for the enlargement of the churchyard: the king orders the keeper to cause the men to have the land aforesaid.

By p.s.

June 12.
Chartham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king, out of his great devotion to St. Denis, has pardoned the prior of Derhirst, which is a cell of the abbey of St. Denis in France, the fifteenth of their moveables due to him by reason of the fifteenth granted to him by the community of the realm, and order to cause them to be acquitted thereof.

By K.

June 15.
Canterbury.

To the same. Whereas the king granted after the death of Queen Eleanor, his consort, to William le Convers of Burgh of his alms 6*d.* a week for his maintenance, from the issues of the manor of Burgh, co. Norfolk, and for his clothing, shoeleather and other necessities as much yearly as he was wont to receive in the said queen's life; and the king has granted the manor to Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, for life, so that William cannot receive the said 6*d.* and the other necessities there as he was wont to do previously: the king orders the treasurer and barons to cause the said 6*d.* weekly and as much for his clothing, shoeleather and other necessities yearly as he was wont to receive in the said queen's life to be assigned to William in some other certain place where it may best be done.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburn.

June 17.
Canterbury.

Martin le Mouner, imprisoned at Canterbury for the death of Sampson Atte (*sic*) of Stanford, has letters to the sheriff of Kent to bail him until the first assize.

June 18.
Canterbury.

To the mayor and sheriffs of London. Order to cause John de Gildeford, Henry, his brother, Ralph Jonesman de Gildeford, Peter Adrian, William Walran and Richard Galopyn, imprisoned at Neugate for a

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trespass against John le Chaucer of London, whereof they were convicted before John Buteturte and William Inge and the mayor, the king's justices to hear and determine the trespass, to be released from that prison upon their finding mainprise to be before the king in parliament at Westminster in the octaves of Midsummer next to do and receive what the king shall cause to be ordained by his council there.

June 17.
Canterbury.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit Thomas de Cogan, son and heir of John de Cogan, of the scutage exacted from him for one knight's fee for the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as John was with the king by his order in that army for the service of one knight's fee that he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of the marshalsea of that army.

June 18.
Canterbury.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has pardoned Maud, late the wife of Stephen de Bucton, tenant in chief, out of charity 11*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* of the 23*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* due from her to the exchequer of the 30*l.* by which she made fine with the king before the treasurer and barons for her trespass in marrying without the king's licence, and that he has granted that she may pay the remaining 11*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* during the king's pleasure by 20*s.* yearly, and order to cause her to have such acquittance and terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled. By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburn.

June 18.
Canterbury.

To Christiana de Mariscis. Notification that the king has granted to her that she may fell and have in the park of the manor of Langeleye, which she holds for life of the king's grant, twelve oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift, for certain works that she is doing in the priory of Ankerwyk, and order to cause the oaks to be felled and carried and used in the said works. By K. on the information of Guy Ferre, the younger.

June 20.
Womens-
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(*Wymelinge-
wolve*).

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has, at the instance of Richard Lovel, his yeoman, pardoned John de Blakeford, lately one of the taxors and collectors of the tenth and sixth in co. Somerset, the trespass committed by him in concealing 64*l.* 5*s.* 4½*d.* received by him from the tenth and sixth, whereof he was convicted before the treasurer and barons at the exchequer, and also the aforesaid sum, which is exacted from him by summons of the exchequer, and order to cause him to be acquitted of the trespass and of the sum.

By p.s. [3011.]

June 23.
Canterbury.

To the bailiff of Braneys. Order to release to William Radesprey any distrainment made upon him for his homage for the lands that he held of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, which have come to the king's hands by the earl's death, as the king has taken his homage.

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June 12.
Chartham.

To Walter de Gloucestre, escheator this side Trent. Notification that the king has taken the homage of William de Neirford for the lands that he holds of the king in chief by reason of the lands that Roger le Bigod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, lately surrendered into the king's hands, and order to release any distrainment that he may have made upon William for his homage.

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The like to the said escheator in favour of the following :
 John de Duvedale.

June 22.
 Canterbury. William de Ros of Hamelak.
 Peter Bozun.

June 25.
 Canterbury. Roger de Hale.
 Robert de Ebroicis.

July 3.
 Westminster. Katherine Giffard.

July 4.
 Westminster. John de Thorp.
 Richer de Refham.
 Robert de Asphale.

July 6.
 Westminster. William de Courzon.
 John de Wykelawe.
 Roger son of Osbert.
 John son of Richard de Holebrok.

July 9.
 Westminster. Hugh Bardolf.

July 10.
 Westminster. Roger Clerbaud.
 William Vys de Lou.

July 12.
 Westminster. John le Bigod.
 Robert de Reydon.

July 13.
 Westminster. William Botevileyn.
 Nicholas Pecche.
 Reginald de Grey.

July 14.
 Westminster. Gilbert de le Hawe.
 Ralph de Burtoft.

July 17.
 Westminster. Joan Bluet.
 Oliver de Tudeham.

July 18.
 Westminster. Nicholas de Segrave.
 Robert de Scales.
 Robert de Panes.
 John de Weylaund.
 Giles de Brewosa.
 Walter de Bermyngham.
 Andrew de Sakevill.
 Robert de Ufford.
 Robert de Upton.

July 20.
 Westminster. Adam le Waleys.
 William de Boivill.
 Joan de Boivill.
 William de Halvergate.
 Peter Gernegan.
 William le Waleys of Dynham.

Aug. 10.
 Westminster. John Daubernoun.
 Simon de Raleye.

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June 17.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause all goods and wares of all merchants of the land or power of John, duke of Brabant, in the sheriff's bailiwick to be arrested and kept safely until otherwise ordered, as the duke is indebted by his letters obligatory to William de Waynflete and other merchants of the realm in a great sum of money, which he ought to have paid to them long since and has not paid, although he has been frequently requested by the king's letters to pay it, to the great damage of the said merchants, as the king learns from their complaint, and the king wishes to aid them in recovering their debts.

By K.

July 12.
Westminster.

The like to the sheriff of Lincoln for Robert atte Welle and Gilbert Rothinger, merchants.

July 20.
Westminster

The like to the bailiffs of Boston for William de Walton and Robert Burre.

By K.

July 25.
Canterbury.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to restore to Roger de Lincolnia, clerk, his goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands upon his being charged before Henry Spygurnel and Richard de Walsingham, justices appointed to deliver Norwich gaol, with the debt of Walter Scot of London, lately slain at Norwich, as he has purged his innocence before J. bishop of Norwich, to whom he was delivered by the justices in accordance with the privilege of the clergy.

July 3.
Westminster

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Philip de Fenne, whom the king has caused to be removed from office because he learns upon trustworthy testimony that he is incapacitated by age.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to John Wacelyn, deceased, which are in the king's hands by reason of his madness, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that the said John, whose lands were in the hands of Margaret de Penecestre by the king's commission by reason of his madness, held the manor of Iwhurst, co. Sussex, of John, count of Brittany, and certain tenements in co. Southampton of the prior and convent of Winchester, and it does not appear to the king by the inquisition that John at his death held any lands of him in chief by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

July 5.
Westminster.

To the same. As the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Richard Brutun at his death held nothing of the king in the escheator's bailiwick except six virgates of land in Chark, co. Southampton, and this by socage as of an escheat through the exile of John de Gisorciis, a Norman, rendering therefor yearly to Richard de Bello Campo by the assignment of King John 10s. at Michaelmas and to the prior of Hamele by the assignment of the said John de Gisorciis 40s. at the same term for all service, by reason whereof the wardship of the lands that Richard held of other lords ought not to pertain to the king: the king orders him to retain in the king's hands the said six virgates until further orders, and not to intermeddle further with the other lands that Richard held of other lords.

July 8.
Westminster.

Robert de Werlowe, imprisoned at Oxford for the death of Robert de Werlowe, the elder, his brother, has letters to the sheriff of Oxford to bail him.

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*Membrane 11—cont.*July 8.
Westminster.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Maud, late the wife of Matthew de Loveyn, tenant in chief, the following of his lands, which the king has assigned to her as dower: the manor of Bildeston, co. Suffolk, which is extended at 20*l.* 1*s.* 6½*d.* yearly; the hamlet of Falsham, in the same county, which is extended at 4*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.* yearly; 96 acres of arable land in Drencheston, in the same county, which are extended at 32*s.* yearly, to wit each acre at 4*d.*; four acres of meadow in the same town, which are extended at 8*s.* yearly, to wit each acre at 2*s.*; six acres of pasture in the same town, which are extended at 3*s.* yearly, to wit each acre at 6*d.* yearly; 25*s.* 4*d.* of yearly rent from five free tenants in the same town, to wit from Adam de Drencheston 4*s.*, Katharine Heryet 6*s.* 8*d.*, Thomas Coleman 3*s.* 4*d.*, Ralph le Toller 4*s.*, Adam Benger 7*s.* 4*d.*, and the rent of a pair of gloves yearly by the hands of the said Adam; and the rents and services of five customary tenants (*customariorum*) in the same town, which are extended at 33*s.* 11½*d.* yearly, to wit the rents and services of Geoffrey de Westbrom, which are extended at 9*s.* 5½*d.* yearly, of John de Stonlond, which are extended at 6*s.* 11¼*d.* yearly, of Sampson de Stanmers, which are extended at 5*s.* 1¼*d.* yearly, of Walter de Stanmers, which are extended at 6*s.* 5¼*d.* yearly and of Richard Stote, which are extended at 6*s.* yearly.

To the same. Order to deliver to Isabel, late the wife of John de Coggeshale, tenant in chief, the following of his lands, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a third of a chief messuage in Rewenhale, co. Essex, which third is extended at 4*d.* yearly; 26 acres of arable land in the same town, which is extended at 8*s.* 8*d.* yearly, to wit each acre at 4*d.*; and an acre of meadow there, which is extended at 2*s.* yearly.

To the same. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Isabel, late the wife of John Trenchard, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

July 8.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to acquit the abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, of the scutage exacted from him for the service of one knight's fee in the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as the abbot had his service with the king by his order in that army for the service of a knight's fee that he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his marshalsea for that army.

July 9.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Gregory de Lullington, whom the king has caused to be amoved from office because he learns upon trustworthy testimony that he is insufficiently qualified.

July 10.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Whereas the king pardoned Thomas de Swyneford, by the mainprise found by him before the king to find the king in aid of his war in Scotland an armed man with a covered horse during the war, and Margaret, his wife, their trespass in entering by the feoffment of Norman Darcy without the king's licence certain lands in Noketon and Dunston, in that county, which are held of the king in chief and which were taken into the king's hands by reason of the said trespass, and the king thereupon ordered the sheriff to deliver the lands to Thomas and Margaret; and although Thomas has found the king an armed man with a covered horse during the war at his own charge, receiving nothing from the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his wardrobe, the sheriff has nevertheless again taken the

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lands into the king's hands by reason of the trespass aforesaid: the king orders him to restore the lands to Thomas and Margaret, if they have been taken into the king's hands solely for this reason.

By bill of the exchequer.

William son of Ralph de Erdeburgh, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of John de Redemyle, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him.

To the sheriff of Wilts. Order to acquit Reginald de Sancto Martino, son and heir of William de Sancto Martino, of the scutage exacted from him for the service of one knight's fee in the king's army of Wales in the fifth year of his reign, as William had his service with the king in that army for the said fee, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by the inspection of the rolls of his marshalsea for that army.

To the same. Order to acquit the said Reginald of the scutage exacted from him for the service of one knight's fee in the king's army of Wales in the tenth year of his reign, as the said William was with the king in that army for the service of one knight's fee, which he then acknowledged to the king, as appears to the king by inspection of the roll of his marshalsea for that army.

July 10. To the sheriff of Hereford. Order to cause a coroner for that county to Westminster. be elected in place of Thomas de Chabbenor, as the king learns that he is incapacitated by blindness.

July 8. John Blisse of Castel Donyngton, imprisoned at Warwick for the death Westminster. of John Grym, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him.

July 11. To Miles de Stapelton, constable of Knaresburgh castle and keeper of Westminster. the king's manor of Borough Bridge (*de Ponte Burgt*). Order to cause the king's mills and ponds of the castle and manor to be repaired. By K.

July 15. To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to Westminster. cause the Friars Preachers of Staunford to have in the king's forest of Rokyngham nine leafess oak-stumps (*robora folia non portancia*) for fuel, of the king's gift. By K.

July 13. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Westminster. dower to be assigned to Mabel, late the wife of Peter Baldewyn of Kyngeston, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

July 9. To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his Westminster. place. Whereas the king granted by letters patent, on 20 August, in the twenty-first year of his reign, to Robert le Despenser, his serjeant, for his good service to the king and to Queen Eleanor, his late consort, the wardship during the heir's minority of a moiety of the lands that belonged to John de Cursy, tenant in chief, in Kynsale and Thatsaxe, and of four bovates of land in Crostheran and Lysshiben in Oldernas, in Ireland, which moiety is extended at 17*l.* 9*s.* 8*d.* yearly; and Robert was in full seisin of the wardship and held it peacefully until James de Keting ejected him from it by violence, as the king learns from Robert's complaint; the king orders the justiciary, if he satisfy himself that Robert has been ejected from the wardship contrary to the king's grant aforesaid, to resume the wardship into the king's hands and to restore

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it to Robert, to hold in accordance with the king's grant, and to tell James to come to the king's chancery in England to sue his right, if he have any, herein if he shall deem it expedient.

July 14.
Westminster.

To the fermor of the Half-Hundred of Luddinglond. Whereas the king lately granted the Half-Hundred, among other things, to Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, for life, not recollecting the grant that he had made to John de Britannia of the ferm thereof: the king, willing that his first grant shall remain in its full strength, orders the fermor to pay his ferm of the Half-Hundred to John, as he was wont to do before, and not to omit this by reason of any order of the king's sent to him.

By K.

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July 17.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to deliver to Hugh de Curtenay, the manor of Brummore, which is in the custody of John Randolf by the king's commission by writ of the exchequer, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by Gilbert de Knovill, John Randolf, and John de Kirkeby that the manors of Brummore and Lemyngton were not, and were not wont to be, of the appurtenances of the king's manor of Christ Church, Twynham, as members of that manor, or answering to that manor in the time of Isabel, late countess of Albemarle, who enfeofed the king of the manor of Christ Church, Twynham, or before her time, and the king has rendered the manor of Brummore and Lemyngton to the said Hugh, as to him to whom they pertain in inheritance by the countess's death.

Vacated, because otherwise below.

July 13.
Westminster.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to release any distraint that he may have levied upon Reginald de Grey for his homage for the lands that he holds of the king in chief by reason of the lands of Gilbert de Gaunt, deceased, tenant in chief, being in the king's hands, as the king has taken his homage.

July 16.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has pardoned Marmaduke de Thwenge 40*l.* of the debts that he owes to the king, as well for the debts of the merchants of Lucca (*Luk'*) in the king's hands as for any other cause, and order to cause him to be acquitted of the said 40*l.*

By K.

July 18.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Thomas de Berkele to have in the forest of Menedepe two harts, of the king's gift.

By K.

To the constable of Bristol castle. Order to cause the said Thomas to have eight bucks in Bristol chace, of the king's gift.

July 14.
Westminster.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his place. Whereas the king granted, on 28 August, in the twenty-first year of his reign, to William le Paneter, his serjeant, now deceased, for his good service to him, the wardship of a moiety of the lands that belonged to John de Cursy, deceased, tenant in chief, in Kynsale and Thatsaxe and of four carucates of land in Crotheran and Lissheben in Oldernas in Ireland, which moiety is extended at 17*l.* 9*s.* 8*d.* yearly, to have during the heir's minority; and William was in full seisin of the wardship and

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held it peacefully during his life, and the executors of his will did likewise after his death until James de Ketyngg' ejected them thence by violence, as the king learns from the executors' complaint: the king orders the justiciary, if he satisfy himself that the executors have been ejected from the wardship contrary to the king's grant, to resume the wardship into the king's hands and to restore it to the executors, to be held according to the tenor of the grant, and to tell James to come to the king's chancery in England to sue his right, if he have any, herein, if it shall seem expedient to him.

July 17.
Westminster.

To John de Monte Acuto, fermor of Lymyngton. Order to deliver to Hugh de Curtenay the manor of Lymyngton, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by Gilbert de Knovill, John Randolf and John de Kirkeby that the said manor, which Baldwin, late earl of Devon and lord of the Isle [of Wight], gave to the prior and convent of Brummore in frank almoin, and which Isabel de Fortibus, late countess of Albemarle, sister and heiress of Baldwin, who enfeoffed the king of the manor of Christ Church, Twynham, afterwards acquired from the prior and convent to her and her heirs, was not from the time of Baldwin's grant to the prior and convent or during the countess's time of the appurtenances of the king's manor of Christ Church, Twynham, as a member thereof or as answering thereto, and the king has rendered the said manor of Lymyngton to Hugh de Curtenay as him to whom it pertains by the countess's death by inheritance. He is ordered not to omit this by reason of the assignment of the manor made to the king's consort, for which he will cause due recompence to be made to her.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to deliver to the said Hugh the manor of Brummore, which is in the custody of John Randolf by the king's commission by writ of the exchequer, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the said Gilbert, John and John that the manor never was, or was wont to be, of the appurtenances of the manor of Christ Church, Twynham, as a member of that manor or as answering thereto in the time of Isabel de Fortibus, late countess of Albemarle, who enfeoffed the king of the manor of Christ Church, Twynham, or before her time, and the king has rendered the manor of Brummore to Hugh de Curtenay, as to him to whom it pertains by inheritance.

July 15.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Isabel, late the wife of John de Upton, tenant of the heir of Philip Burnel, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

July 17.
Westminster

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause John de Ferar[iis] and Hawisia, his wife, granddaughter (*neptis*) and heiress of Cecily de Mucegros, to have seisin of the lands that Cecily held of the king by the serjeanty of keeping a wood in the forest of Dene by a man with a bow and arrows, as the king has taken John's homage for the serjeanty, and has rendered it to John and Cecily.

July 15.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause to be delivered to Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, all fermes and rents of the lands mentioned below for Easter term last, except those that have been paid to the king and assigned elsewhere by his order, as the king wishes to show the earl special favour, having previously granted to him the manors of Costeseye with the soke, Burgh

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and Causton, the town of Aylesham, and the Hundreds of Northeringham, Sutherpingham, Westflegg, Estflegg, Happing, Holt, Lodnyng, Clavering, Taverham, Blanfeld, Walsham and Humelyerd, co. Norfolk, the manors of Fakenham Aspes, and the Hundred of Ludinglond, co. Suffolk, the ferm of the honours of Boulogne and Peverel in cos. Norfolk, Suffolk, Essex and Hertford, 10*l.* yearly that the prior and convent of Christ Church, Canterbury, render for the manor of Borle, co. Essex, the town of Newport, in the same county, the towns of Watlington, Beckelegh with Heghton, and the manor of Bensington, co. Oxford, 100*l.* yearly that the abbot of Hayles renders yearly for the manor of Lechelade, co. Gloucester, the ferm of the city of Chichester, co. Sussex, the manor of Kenton with Hevetre, the manors of Wyke and Suthteng, and the ferm of the city of Exeter, co. Devon, as of the value of 1,000*l.* of land yearly, to have and to hold to him for life, as mentioned in the king's letters patent to him.

July 20. To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to
Westminster. cause Thomas de Nevill, yeoman of John de Segrave, to have in the forest of Roteland two does, of the king's gift. By K.

[July] 18. To the keeper of the forest of Kyngeswode. Order to cause the Friars
Westminster. Preachers coming to their chapter general at Bristol at the Assumption next to have in that forest ten leafless oak-stumps (*robora folia non portancia*) for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburne.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of Salisbury to have in the forest of Clarendon seven leafless oak-stumps for fuel, of the king's gift.

July 19. To Richard le Brun, the king's keeper of the parts of the march of
Westminster. Scotland in co. Cumberland. As it is expedient in all contingencies (*in omnem eventum*) that the march of Scotland and the lands and castles of the realm of Scotland in the king's hands shall be well provisioned (*muniantur*) and safely kept for the avoidance of perils that may threaten, the king orders him to aid John de Sancto Johanne, supplying the king's place in Scotland, with horses and arms and all the *posse* of that county for the safe-keeping of the parts, lands and castles aforesaid, as often as he shall be warned to do so by John, as he loves the king's and his own profit and honour and as the king has enjoined upon him more fully by word of mouth. The king has ordered the knights, free men and all others of that county to be aiding and intendant to Robert with horses and arms and all their power for the safe-guarding of the said parts, lands and castles, as often as they shall be warned to do so by him. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to Hugh de Multon, the king's keeper of the parts of the march of Scotland in co. Westmoreland. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Walter de Huntercumbe, the king's keeper of the parts of the march of Scotland in co. Northumberland. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Robert de Clifford, the king's keeper of the liberty of the bishopric of Durham. [*Ibid.*]

July 20. To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to
Westminster. cause Peter de Malo Lacu, the younger, nephew and co-heir of Gilbert de Gaunt, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the purparty of the lands that belonged to Gilbert falling to him, as he has proved his age before the king and the king has taken his homage for the purparty.

The like to Walter de Gloucestria, escheator this side Trent.

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To the same. Order not to molest or aggrieve in any way Adam Bussh and Agnes, his wife, late the wife of Henry le Sunenur (*sic*) by reason of her trespass in marrying Adam without the king's licence, as the king has pardoned her this trespass by a fine that Adam has made with him before W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, his treasurer.

By fine made before the treasurer.

To the same. Order to cause Thomas, son and heir of Thomas de Hodyng', to have seisin of his father's lands, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

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Westminster.

John de Redleghe, imprisoned at Colecestre for the death of William atte Shoppe of Tillebyry, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Essex to bail him until the first assize.

William le Fevre of Gaddesby, imprisoned at Warwick for the death of Adam de Foston, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him until the first assize.

John le Clerk of Cheping Norton, imprisoned at Warwick, has letters to the sheriff of Warwick to bail him until the first assize.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John de Boughton, whom the king has caused to be amoved from office because it is testified before him that he is insufficiently qualified.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Hugh de Gorham, whom the king has caused to be amoved from office because it is testified before him that he is insufficiently qualified.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to Maud, late the wife of Matthew de Loveyn, tenant in chief, the following of his knights' fees, which the king has assigned to her in dower: a quarter of a fee in Weylond, co. Suffolk, which quarter John de Weylond holds; a fee in Little Cestreford, co. Essex, which Thomas le Bret holds; an eighth of a fee in Berneston, in the same county, which Edmund de Berners holds; and a quarter of a fee in Stowe Market (*Mercati*), co. Suffolk, which Henry de Chilton holds.

To the same. Order to deliver to the said Maud the advowson of the church of Bildeston, co. Suffolk, which the king has assigned to her as her dower of the advowsons that belonged to Matthew.

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July 20.
Westminster.

To Robert de Burghassh, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to permit the priors of Bermundeseye and Wenlok to cross from the port of Dover to their chapter-general to be celebrated at Charité (*Caritaten*), on condition that they carry with them no money or silver to parts beyond sea contrary to the form of the king's inhibition, as the king has granted to them license to cross. [*Pryne, Records*, iii, p. 982.]

July 18.
Westminster.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king has granted by his letters patent to Amadeus, count of Savoy, the wardship of all the lands that belonged to Richard, late earl of Arundel,

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tenant in chief, which are in the king's hands by reason of the minority of Edmund, his son and heir, except the castle and park of Arundel and the park of Estdone with the manor thereof, together with six woods in free chace and also seven Hundreds and a half, which are extended at 57*l.* 2*s.* 7½*d.* yearly, to have from SS. Philip and James last for three years, in payment of 600*l.* yearly, as contained in the king's letters patent: the king orders the escheator to deliver to the count or his attorney the wardship aforesaid, together with everything received thence by him since the feast aforesaid, and with the corn sown by the escheator in the said lands in the king's name.

To Master Richard de Abyndon and Robert Hereward, guardians of the bishopric of Ely, the see being void. Order to pay to Amadeus, count of Savoy, all the issues of the bishopric received from the day when this order was made, as the king has granted to him all the issues of the bishopric until he shall be satisfied for 10,000 marks from those and other issues, which sum the king lately granted to him, as contained in the king's letters patent.

To Nicholas Fernbaud, guardian of the bishopric of Bath and Wells, the see being void. Like order.

To Humphrey de Waledene, keeper of the bishopric of Worcester, the see being void. Like order.

July 22.
Westminster.

To John de Sancto Johanne, supplying the king's place in Scotland. Eleanor de Ferar[iis], late the wife of William de Ferar[iis], has besought the king to restore to her the lands with the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that she held in dower of the lands that belonged to William in Scotland and that were afterwards taken into the king's hands by reason of the rebellion of William Douglas, deceased, who afterwards married her: the king orders John, if he satisfy himself that the lands are of her dower of the lands of her first husband and that they were taken into the king's hands for this reason and for no other, to restore them to her to be held in dower.

By pet. of C.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause John de Roubury, parson of the church of Cortenhale, to have in the forest of Salcey (*de Salceto*) two oaks fit for timber.

July 26.
Westminster.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause Robert de Bardelby to have in the king's Hay of Bilhaghe, which is within the bounds of the forest of Shirwode, four oaks fit for timber, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

July 27.
Westminster.

Richard de Weston, imprisoned at Gildeford for the death of Lambert de Brilond, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Surrey to bail him until the first assize.

July 23.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Lincoln. As the king learns from the complaint of William de Donecastre, citizen and merchant of Chester, that John, duke of Brabant, lately caused 22 marks sterling and thirty-five sacks of William's wool, price 420 marks, which William had caused to be taken to Brabant to trade therewith at Andwarp in that land, to be arrested without reasonable cause, and that he still detains them: the king orders the sheriff to cause goods and wares of merchants of the said duchy found within his bailiwick to be arrested and kept safely until due restitution be made to William for his money and wool, or until otherwise ordered.

The like to the sheriff of Nottingham.

The like to the sheriff of Warwick.

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Westminster.

Hugh son of Henry Bolur, imprisoned at Beverley for the death of William del Peck, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of York to bail him until the first assize.

July 26.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. The prior and convent of Ely have shown the king, by their petition before him and his council in his parliament at Lincoln, that whereas they lately bound themselves on the king's behalf, by their letters patent under their common seal, to the pope for payment of 500*l.* sterling that had come to the king's hands of the money of the tenth granted in aid of the Holy Land and the king bound himself by his letters patent to make payment thereof to the prior and convent within two months of his being requested to do so and to save them harmless in this behalf, and they have satisfied the collectors specially deputed by the pope for the said sum, and they have besought the king to cause it to be allowed to them in the debts due from them to the exchequer: the king orders the treasurer and barons to allow the said 500*l.* to the prior and convent, if they ascertain that the prior and convent have paid it as above.

By pet. of C.

*Vacated, because otherwise below.*July 30.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Worcester. Order to cause Robert Sturmy to have seisin of a messuage, a virgate of land, an acre of wood in Sutton Sturmy, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the sheriff that the messuage and land, which Richard de Longeleye, who was hanged for felony, held, have been in the king's hands for a year and a day, and that Richard held them of Robert, and that the township of Sutton Sturmy had the king's year and day and ought to answer to the king therefor.

July 25.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause Adam de Brom, parson of the church of Wykerisindon, to have in the king's wood of Cornebury, which is within the bounds of the forest of Whecchewode, six oaks fit for timber with all their strippings (*escaetis*), of the king's gift.

July 28.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. The king remembers that he ordered them to inspect the letters of indemnity that he caused to be made to the abbot and convent of Ramsey, who had bound themselves by their letters for him to the pope for 1,000*l.* sterling, which came to his hands of the money of the tenth granted in aid of the Holy Land, which sum they have paid, as they say, and after treating with them, to provide some good means whereby the king may be discharged from the said money in regard to them in the fermes and debts that they owe to him; in which matter the treasurer and barons have as yet done nothing, as the king learns: the king again orders them to inspect his said letters, and to cause the abbot and convent to have allowance for the said 1,000*l.* in the debts that they owe to the king and in the yearly fermes wherein they are bound to him at the exchequer, if they ascertain that the abbot and convent have paid the said money.

By K.

[Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 924.]The like for the abbot and convent of Abyndon for 1,000 marks. [*Ibid.*]

The like for the prior and convent of Ely for 500*l.*, with clause to cause them to have allowance therefor in the debts that they owe to the exchequer. [*Ibid.*]

To the same. Like order in favour of the abbot and convent of Oseney for 500*l.*

*[Cancelled.]*The like in favour of the abbot and convent of Croyland for 500*l.*

The like in favour of the abbot and convent of Thorneye for 500 marks.

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The like in favour of the abbot and convent of Westminster for 1,000 marks, omitting the clause as to allowance in fermes and debts.

The like in favour of the abbot and convent of Oseneye for 500*l.* by an assignment to be made in the fermes and lands in the king's hands or by allowance in the debts due from them.

By K. & C.

The like [in favour of the abbot of Thorneye^a] for 500 marks.

By K. & C.

July 24.
Westminster

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of the late king's chancery and of his own chancery that John le Mareschal, son and heir of William le Mareschal, tenant in chief of the late king, was a minor at William's death and was in the wardship of the late king and of the king from 19 June, 50 Henry III, until 26 June, in the sixth year of the king's reign; the king orders them to acquit William le Mareschal, son and heir of the said John, of the yearly ferm of the manor of Norton, co. Northampton, which belonged to John at his death, for all the time aforesaid, with which William is charged at the exchequer.

July 28.
Westminster

To the bailiffs of Great Yarmouth. Henry de Lincolnia, their fellow-burgess, has shown the king that whereas he lately hired a ship of Cacch' at Sluys (*Exclusas*) in Flanders from one Hugh Balle Heynsson of Zeeland (*Seland'*) to carry his goods and wares to Yarmouth, and placed therein Roger de Leycestr[ia] and Hugh de Stromesawe, his yeomen, with his goods and wares to the value of 260*l.* sterling, the said Hugh Balle Heynsson of Cacch', master of the ship, Hugh le Sount and others of their fellows and the sailors slew Roger and Hugh, and carried off the goods and wares to Cacch' in Zeeland; whereupon the king requested John, late count of Holland and Zeeland, by his letters to hear Hugh's complaint and to cause justice to be done to him: as the count has failed to do Henry justice, as appears to the king by the letters testimonial of the bailiffs under their seal, the king orders them to cause goods and wares of merchants of Holland and Zeeland wherever found within their bailiwick to be arrested to the value of the said 260*l.* and to cause them to be kept safely until Henry be satisfied for that sum.

By pet. of C.

To the sheriff of Suffolk. Order to pay to the abbot and convent of St. Edmunds the 20*l.* that were adjudged at Cateshale before Hervey de Staunton and Elias Puger, the king's late justices to hear and determine certain trespasses committed against him by divers men and tenants of the prior and convent in Beccles during the present voidance of the abbacy, for the said trespasses, as the king, out of his devotion to St. Edmund, has given this sum to the prior and convent.

July 30.
Westminster

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause R. archbishop of Dublin to have in the forest of Cannock (*de Cannoco*) six oaks fit for timber and six does, of the king's gift.

By K.

Aug. 2.
Westminster

To the sheriff of Oxford. Order to respite until Michaelmas the demand made upon Edmund de Cornubia, son and heir of Richard de Cornubia, for 5*s.* for hidage, so that there may then be done what ought of right to be done.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

* From the marginal title.

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Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to Richard le Brutun, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Richard at his death held no lands in chief of the king by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

Aug. 2.
Westminster

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Thomas, archbishop of York, to have seisin again of a third of the wood and moor of Cawode, saving the king's right therein when he shall wish to speak about it, as the king lately, at the suit of the archbishop, ordered the escheator to certify him of the manner and reason for taking the said part into the king's hands, which part with the other two parts were in the archbishop's hands on the day when it was taken into the king's hands, and the escheator has signified that the said part is appurtenant to the grand serjeanty that David de Cawode holds of the king in chief, which part John Romayn, late archbishop of York, and his successors appropriated to themselves and their church in mortmain without the king's licence, contrary to the form of the statute, as was found by inquisitions taken before the escheator, and it is agreed by the king and his council that the archbishop shall have again his seisin of the said part notwithstanding the manner and reason aforesaid.

MEMBRANE 8.

July 24.
Westminster

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, to have seisin of the knights' fees that William de Neirford, John de Duvedale, William de Ros of Hamelak, Peter Bozun, Roger de Hales, Robert de Ebroicis, Katharine Giffard, John de Thorp, Richer de Refham, Robert de Asphale, William de Curzun, John de Wyklawe, Roger son of Osbert, John son of Richard, Hugh Bardolf, Roger Clerbaud, William Vis de Lou, John le Bygod, Robert de Reydon, William Butevilein, Nicholas Pecche, Reginald de Grey, Gilbert de la Hawe, Ralph de Burtoft, Joan Bluet, Oliver de Tudenham, Nicholas de Segrave, Robert de Scales, John de Weylaund, Robert de Panes, Giles de Brewosa, Walter de Bermingham, Andrew de Sakevill, Robert de Ufford, Robert de Upton, Adam Waleys, William de Boyvill, Joan de Boyvill and William de Havergate hold, for which they have done homage to the king, as the king granted to the earl for life all the castles, towns, manors and lands that the earl held in fee in England and Wales, except the manors of Suthfeld, co. Norfolk, Dovercurt, co. Essex, and Kenet, co. Cambridge, which castles, towns, manors and land, with the said exception, the earl had granted and surrendered to the king, and the king thereupon ordered the escheator to cause the earl to have seisin of the castles, towns, manors and lands, except the knights' fees, which he ordered to be kept in his hands until further orders for certain reasons.

July 28.
Westminster.

To the same. Whereas it appears by the partition made by the escheator by the king's order of the lands that were of the inheritance of John Tregoz, tenant in chief, between Joan la Warre and William de Grandisono and Sibyl, his wife, heirs and parceners of the inheritance aforesaid, that the lands in Eskenet, co. Wilts, which belonged to John at his death and which are extended at 77s. 1½d. yearly, are assigned to John la Warre in his purparty of the said lands, on condition that he should cause the said lands, except 17s 1½d. of rent there, to be delivered to

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William and Sibyl as for 60s. yearly of land, in recompence for the body of the castle of Ewyas Harald, which the king assigned to John as to him who is of the eynescy of the inheritance for the chief message of the inheritance by the assent of William and Sibyl; in which matter John has not yet done anything, although he has been many times requested by the king, as the king learns from the complaint of William and Sibyl: the king orders the escheator to resume the said lands into the king's hands, unless John shall cause the said land in Eskenet, except the said 17s. 1½d. yearly of rent, to be delivered to William and Sibyl, and then to deliver them to William and Sibyl, to be held according to the form of the assignment aforesaid, certifying the king at the octaves of Michaelmas next of how he shall have executed this order.

Aug. 10.
Westminster.

To the same. Whereas the king, upon its being found by an inquisition taken by the escheator that Richard le Brutun held at his death nothing of the king in chief, ordered the escheator not to intermeddle further with the lands that Richard held at his death, and it appears to the king by inspection of the inquisition that Richard held of the archbishop of Canterbury certain lands in Westlovente, co. Sussex, by the service of a quarter of a knight's fee, which lands the archbishop has entered by virtue of the said order: the king orders the escheator to deliver to the archbishop the issues received from the said lands since they were taken into the king's hands.

Aug. 13.
Westminster.

The like in favour of the earl of Gloucester and Hertford for the issues of certain lands that Richard held of the earl in the manor of Mapeldoreham, co. Southampton, by the service of a quarter of a knight's fee.

To the same. Like order in favour of Agnes, late the wife of the said Richard le Bretun, for the issues of the rent of six virgates of land in Chark, co. Southampton, which Richard held of Richard de Bello Campo by socage, as appears by inspection of the said inquisition, and which are in the hands of certain customary-tenants there, who render 18s. 2d. at Easter and 81s. at Michaelmas, which rent Agnes entered as the nearest friend of the heir by virtue of the order aforesaid.

July 28.
Westminster.

To the same. Order to deliver to Anne, late the wife of Hamo le Parker, a rent and other profits arising from a moiety of the town of Maldon, co. Essex, and the manor of Tolleshunte, in the same county, and the issues received from them, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that Hamo and Anne held jointly, on the day of Hamo's death, the rent and profits of the feoffment of John de la Launde of the king in chief by the service of a quarter of a knight's fee, and also that they held the said manor of the feoffment of Hugh de Essex[ia] of the king as of the honour of Boulogne by the service of 1d. yearly and by doing suit at the king's court of Wytham from month to month, and that Anne continued her seisin with Hamo until his death, and the king has taken her homage therefor.

Aug. 5.
Westminster.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, or to him who supplies his place. Order to deliver to Robert de Ufford, son and heir of Robert de Ufford, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, 44l. 8s. 10½d. of yearly rent from the manor of Kilvytham in Ireland, which manor belonged to Robert, the father, at his death, which rent is in the king's hands by reason of Robert's minority, as appears to the king by a certificate made to him by the treasurer and barons of the

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exchequer of Dublin, as the king, wishing to show favour to Robert, in consideration of his great expenses incurred in the king's service and that he incurs from day to day, has granted and rendered to him the said rent, although he has not yet proved his age. By p.s.

Aug. 9.
Westminster.

To Master Richard de Havering', escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Walter de Gurleye, son and heir of Isabel de Ponthop, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, to have seisin of the lands that his mother at her death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken Walter's homage although he is not yet of age in consideration of a fine that he made with the king before W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer. By fine made before the treasurer.

Aug. 15.
Westminster.

To John de Sancto Johanne, supplying the king's place in Scotland. Order to cause to be restored to Thomas de Fissburn 20 marks of yearly rent in Edenham, in the shrievalty of Rokesburgh, as the king, on the conclusion of the late war between him and John de Balliolo, late king of Scotland, ordered John de Warennia, earl of Surrey, then keeper of Scotland, to restore to Thomas the said rent, which the said John [de Balliolo] had granted by his charter to Thomas before the war aforesaid, to have to him and his heirs by the hands of certain tenants of that town, and whereof Thomas was in seisin by that feoffment until the rent with the whole town aforesaid was taken into the king's hands by reason of the war aforesaid, as appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his chancery. By pet. of C.

July 28.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Anne, late the wife of Hamo le Parker, tenant in chief, as she has taken oath before the king that she will not marry without his licence.

Aug. 10.
Westminster.

To Robert de Burghessh, constable of Dover castle. As it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of chancery that Roger, son and heir of Adam de Bavent, tenant in chief, was a minor in the king's wardship from 5 December, in the twenty-first year of the king's reign, upon which day the king caused all the lands that belonged to Adam to be taken into his hands, until 27 October, in the twenty-ninth year of the reign, when the king took Roger's homage, and the constable exacts from Roger 10s. for the manors of Brandeston and Hachesham, which belonged to Adam at his death, for the ward of the castle aforesaid for every three weeks during the time aforesaid, when the manors were in the king's hands by reason of Roger's minority: the king orders the constable to supersede the demand for the said sum and to permit Roger to be acquitted thereof.

By pet. of C.

Aug. 16.
Westminster.

To the mayor and bailiffs of Northampton. Order to pay to Robert de Crevequer 65*l.* yearly from the ferm of that town, as the king has granted this sum to Robert by his letters patent from the ferm of that town for life from 14 October, in the 29th year of his reign [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 29 Edw. I, p. 610], which grant the king made to him because the king had granted to Edward, the king's son, the county of Chester and had assigned to Queen Margaret, his consort, the ferm of the city of Hereford with other fermes and lands in acquittance of certain of her expenses, by reason of which grants Robert was unable to receive 45*l.* yearly from the issues of the mills and bridge of Chester and 20*l.* yearly from the ferm of the city of Hereford, the king having previously granted to Robert—for the release and quit-claim that he made to him and Queen Eleanor, his late

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consort, of the manor of Ditton and a moiety of the manor of Saham, co. Cambridge, which Robert held for life of the king's grant—the custody of the castle of Bestan, co. Chester, and for its custody 100s. and 40*l.* from the issues of the mills and bridge of Chester, 20*l.* of the ferm of the city of Hereford, and 20*l.* of the ferm of the king's Hundred without the north gate of Oxford for life.

MEMBRANE 7.

Aug. 2.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As Henry, late archbishop of York, was indebted at his death to the king in divers debts and the king was indebted to him in a great sum of money for wool and other causes on the said day, for which he has not yet satisfied the executors of the archbishop's will, as they say; the king orders the treasurer and barons to account with the executors at the exchequer for all the debts aforesaid and to cause due allowance to be made to the executors, and if the king be thus found to be indebted to them, to cause them to be satisfied as soon as possible.

By pet. of C.

July 26.
Westminster.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. As the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that John Trenchard held at his death nothing of the king in chief except the manor of Shaldeflete, with the hamlets of Chestelle and Watyngeswell, in the Isle of Wight, as of the honour of Carsbrouk (*sic*) castle, which honour is in the king's hands, by the service of 1½ knights' fees, by reason whereof the wardship of the other lands that belonged to John at his death do not pertain to the king; the king orders the escheator to retain in the king's hands the said manor and hamlets until otherwise ordered, and not to intermeddle further with the lands that John held of other lords.

Aug. 3.
Westminster.

To John de London[ia], constable of Windsor castle. As William le Parker, late keeper of the king's park of Kenyngton, is dead, as the king learns, the king orders the constable to admit John de Littleton, to whom the king wishes to show favour by reason of his long service to Robert, late bishop of Bath and Wells, his chancellor, to the keepership of the park without delay, if he be qualified for that office, with provision that he shall receive as much for the office as other keepers there were wont to receive.

By K.

Aug. 4.
Westminster.

To Luke de Havering' and Richard de Caumpes, late sheriffs of London and coroners of the city. The king, at the instance of the pope on behalf of the merchants of the society of the Spini of Florence, orders them to restore to the said merchants all their goods and chattels, which were taken into the king's hands for the death of William Baman, whom Thouse le Lumbard was said to have slain by the order of Philip de Spina, which goods consist of linen and woollen cloth, silver by tale, gold and silver jewels, silver vessels, horses, hay, brushwood, and divers other things and which are appraised at 107*l.* 10s. 4*d.*, as appears to the king by an inquisition made by his order and returned into chancery. By K. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 932.]

Aug. 10.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king recovered, in the twenty-first year of his reign, in his court before Hugh de Cressingham and his fellows, his justices last in eyre in co. Northumberland, by his writ against William son of William le Corouer [seisin] of 40 acres of land in Bamburgh, which were extended at 6 marks 10s. yearly, and the king afterwards, on 17 August, in the 23rd year of his reign, rendered the said land to William, saving his right when he should

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wish to speak against him concerning it, and he after the rendering thereof impleaded William concerning the said land in his court before himself by writ of right, and William retained the land as his right by an inquisition taken instead of a great assize between the king and him, upon which inquisition he had put himself, by consideration of the said court, as appears by the record of Roger Brabazon and his fellows, the king's justices appointed to hold pleas before him; the treasurer and barons notwithstanding exact from William 6 marks 10s. yearly after the rendering aforesaid, and distrain him therefor: the king orders them to cause William to be discharged of this sum yearly from the said 17 August. It is provided that answer shall be made to the exchequer for the time before the rendering.

By pet. of C.

Aug. 8.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. The abbot of Balkinglas has shown the king that whereas he is indebted to the merchants of the society of the Ricardi of Lucca in Ireland in 278 marks 8s. 4d., which the king has caused to be taken into his hands with other goods and debts of the merchants for certain reasons, and he has besought the king that he may pay the sum to that exchequer by yearly instalments of 10 marks; and the king has granted to the abbot that he may do so during the king's pleasure: he therefore orders the treasurer and barons to cause the abbot to have these terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

By pet. before K.

To the same. Order to cause Reginald de Bernevall to have respite until Whitsuntide next for 100 marks due from him to the king at that exchequer, as the king has granted him this respite for his good service in Scotland.

By pet. before K.

Aug. 10.
Westminster.

To Robert de Clifford, justice of the Forest beyond the Trent. Order to permit the abbot and convent of Holmcoltran to have in peace common of pasture between the waters of Caldewe and Alne, in accordance with the tenor of the charter of King Richard, and to remove any hindrances (*nocumenta*) that there may be, as the king wills that they shall have such common of pasture and that such hindrances shall be amoved.

By pet. of C.

Aug. 10.
Westminster.

Roger Adam of Bynestok, imprisoned at Sumerton for the death of William Bernard, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Somerset to bail him until the first assize.

July 24.
Westminster.

To John de London[ia], constable of Windsor castle. Order to cause the abbot of St. Peter's, Westminster, to have eight bucks for the present year, in accordance with the late king's charter granting to him eight bucks yearly to be taken in the forest of Windsor at the king's cost by the hands of the constable and to be carried by the constable to Westminster on St. Peter's eve, so that they who bring the venison to the abbey shall make two (*meneias*) before the great altar of St. Peter.

July 24.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Leicester. Order not to intermeddle with the honour of Lancaster or with the men of the honour or with any other things pertaining to it, and to restore anything that he or his bailiffs may have taken of the things that belong to it to Thomas, earl of Lancaster, son and heir of Edmund, the king's brother, as the late king granted the honour to Edmund and the heirs of his body by his letters patent, which the king has inspected.

The like to the sheriffs of Warwick, Northampton, Bedford, Buckingham and Wilts not to intermeddle with the honour of Leicester (*sic*).

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Westminster.

Roger Stremel, imprisoned in Exeter gaol for the death of Dionisia Caperun, wherewith he is charged, has letters to bail him until the first assize.

Aug. 14.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Huntingdon. Order to maintain and defend the priory of St. Neot's and the prior thereof in all the rights, possessions and liberties in his bailiwick whereof the priory was seised on the day when the priory was taken into the king's hands, as the priory, like the other houses of alien men of religion in the realm, is in the king's hands and the king is bound to maintain it in all its liberties.

Richard de Leghton, imprisoned at Shrewsbury for the death of Gilbert Glayne wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Salop to bail him until the first assize.

Aug. 15.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to release any distraint levied upon Robert de Bello Campo for his homage for the lands that Cecily de Bello Campo, his mother, had of the grant of Guy de Rupe Cauardi and Sibyl, his wife, in the town of Luton, co. Bedford, whereof Cecily, who held them of the king in chief, has enfeoffed Robert by the king's licence, as the king has taken Robert's homage.

To the same. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to William le Veym, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that William at his death held nothing of him by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

Aug. 16.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Whereas the king has pardoned William le Furmager, John Cotyng, John Gylebert, Stephen Stikeberd and Thomas de Hull of Wynchelse, imprisoned in Norwich Castle for a robbery of 35s. wherewith they are charged, by his letters patent the suit of his peace for this robbery; and, wishing to show them further favour, he has granted them a ship wherein they were taken, together with their goods and chattels found therein at that time and taken into the king's hands for this reason: the king orders the sheriff to restore to them without delay the ship, goods and chattels aforesaid.

By K.

Aug. 14.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Northumberland. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Nicholas de Middleton, whom the king has caused to be amoved from the office, as it is testified before the king that Nicholas's lands have been much destroyed and wasted by the Scots, the king's enemies and rebels, and that Nicholas has held that office over seven years.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to permit the prior of Monks' Thetford to have respite until Easter next for the 600*l.* exacted from them by summons of the exchequer, as the king has granted them this respite.

By pet. of C.

Aug. 16.
Westminster.

To Thomas de Swaneseye, keeper of the honour of Bradeneche. Order to permit Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster, to have respite until Whitsuntide for his homage for his purparty of the lands that belonged to Richard son of John, tenant in chief, and to release any distraint that he may have levied in this behalf, as the king has granted him respite for his homage until then.

By K.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to permit the said earl to have respite until Whitsuntide for his relief for his purparty of the inheritance aforesaid and for all other debts exacted from him for the debts due to the exchequer by the said Richard son of John at his death.

By K.

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To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause John, son and heir of William de Scipcombe, to have seisin of the lands that his father held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

Aug. 17.
Westminster.

Michael de Spychewyk, imprisoned at Easter for the death of Walter le Barun, whereof he is appealed, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him.

John le Barun, imprisoned in the said prison for the death of the aforesaid Walter, has like letters.

Aug. 23.
Kempton
(Kennington).

Alan Skil of Stone, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of Robert le Revesone of Doubrig, has like letters to the sheriff of Stafford.

William, son of Mabel Abovethemulne of Keswall, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of Richard son of Mabel Abovethemulne of Keswall, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Stafford to bail him.

Thomas Stel of Notingham, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of William son of William de Normanton, wherewith he is charged, has like letters.

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Aug. 16.
Westminster.

To the mayor and bailiffs of Northampton. Whereas the king lately granted to Robert de Crevequer—in consideration of the release that he made to the king and to Queen Eleanor, his consort, of the manor of Ditton and of a moiety of the manor of Saham, co. Cambridge, which Robert held for life by the king's grant—the wardship of the castle of Bestan, co. Chester, and 100s. for the custody and 40l. from the issues of the mills and bridge of Chester, 20l. from the ferm of the town of Hereford and 20l. from the ferm of the king's Hundred without the north gate of Oxford yearly for life; and the king afterwards granted to Edward, his son, the aforesaid county of Chester with all appurtenances, and likewise assigned to Queen Margaret, his consort, the aforesaid ferm of Hereford, together with certain other fermes and lands for the acquittance of certain of her expenses; whereby Robert is now unable to receive the 45l. from the issues of the mills and bridge and the 20l. from the ferm of Hereford; and the king has granted to him in recompence therefor 65l. to be received from the ferm of the town of Northampton for life by the hands of the mayor and bailiffs from 14 October, in the 29th year of his reign, as contained in his letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 29 Edw. I, p. 610]: the king orders the mayor and bailiffs to pay the said 65l. to Robert at Michaelmas yearly out of their ferm.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause allowance to be made to the mayor and bailiffs for the said sum.

MEMBRANE 6.

Aug. 16.
Westminster

To John de Neuton of Scardeburgh. Order not to intermeddle further with the custody of the hospitals of St. Nicholas and St. Thomas the Martyr, Scardeburgh, as the king lately, believing that the hospitals were of the foundation of his progenitors, appointed Master Ralph de Odiham to survey the estate of the hospitals and to make inquisition by the oath

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of men of co. York as to who had consumed and wasted the goods and chattels of the brethren and sisters of the hospitals and had appropriated to themselves the tenements pertaining to the hospitals without warrant; and the king learns by the inquisition taken by the said clerk that the hospitals were founded by the burgesses of that town of old, and the burgesses were wont to confer the custody thereof, and it is shown to the king on behalf of the burgesses that his said clerk, exceeding the limits of his appointment, has delivered the hospitals to John to be kept until otherwise ordered by the king.

By pet. of C.

Aug. 20.
Westminster.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause Roger le Brabanzun to have in the king's wood of Beamund, which is within the bounds of the forest of Roteland, ten oaks fit for timber, of the king's grant.

By K.

Aug. 23.
Kempton.

To the sheriff of Norfolk. Order to cause to be bought and provided out of the issues of his bailiwick ten thousands haberdine fish (*piscis de Aberden*) and forty thousands of 'stockfish,' for the expenses of the king's household in the next parliament at Westminster at Michaelmas next, and to deliver the fish to William de Burgo, clerk, whom the king is sending to him for this purpose, to be carried to London.

By K. on the information of J. de Drok[enesford].

Aug. 15.
Westminster.

To Robert de Burghassh, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to permit John de Sancto Germano, the elect of Worcester, to cross from that port with his household, provided that he do not take with him any money or silver, contrary to the form of the king's proclamation, as the king has granted to him licence to go to the court of Rome.

Aug. 17.
Westminster.

To the keepers and collectors of the custom of wool, hides and woolfells in England. Whereas Reinald de Capaeu, citizen and mariner of Bayonne, who was convicted for a robbery of 17*l.* 5*s.* 10*d.* from the men of the king of France after the truce between the king and the king of France, before (*captam*, for *coram*) Ralph de Sandwyco, who was appointed to observe the truce, has found certain men of Portsmouth as mainpernors for the restitution of the said sum to the men of France at a certain term, and he has been arrested and is now imprisoned in the Tower of London at the suit of the community of the town of Portsmouth, because the community satisfied the men of France for the said money by virtue of the mainprise aforesaid in Reinald's default; and he has acquired from certain persons of Gascony desiring his release certain letters under the seal of Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, of the time when he supplied the king's place in Gascony, by which letters the king is said to be indebted to the said persons in divers sums of money, and he has besought the king to cause the aforesaid sum to be paid out of the sums contained in the letters to the community, so that he may be delivered from prison: the king has ordered John de Sandale and Thomas de Cantebr[ugge] to receive the said letters from Reinald and to examine them, and if they find that they are genuine and that he acquired them without fraud from those to whom they were made, then to deliver the letters to the keepers and collectors, and to certify the latter of what they should find: the king orders the keepers and collectors to pay the aforesaid sum upon the testimony of John and Thomas to the community out of the issues of the custom, receiving from John and Thomas the letters aforesaid under their seals. The king wills that the keepers and collectors shall retain the custom in their hands until they shall have levied from it the aforesaid sum together with the other debts for which the custom was previously committed to them.

By K.

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To John de Sandale and Thomas de Canteb[ur]gge]. Order to receive from Reinald the said letters, and to examine them, etc. as above, and to deliver them to the keepers and collectors [of the custom] of wool, wool-fells and hides in England, whom the king has ordered to cause the aforesaid sum to be paid to the said community by the testimony of John and Thomas.

By K.

Aug. 28.
Frensham
(Fermesham).

To the treasurer, barons and chamberlains of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas a pyx sent by them to the king at London under the seal of that exchequer with 4*l.* 1*s.* 1*d.* in pennies, 1*s.* 3*d.* in halfpennies, and 1*s.* 9*d.* in farthings (*ferlingis*), for assay to be made of the money, has been opened in the presence of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer, and John de Drokenesford, keeper of the wardrobe, William de Carleton, baron of the exchequer of England, John de Kirkeby, remembrancer of the exchequer, and John de Sandale, keeper of the king's exchange at London, who were appointed by the king to make the assay, and it was found before them by the assay that the money, in pennies, half-pennies and farthings, agreed in all things with the king's standards of England; whereupon the king restored the pyx with the said money to Alexander Normanni de Luca, his moneyer of Ireland: the king orders the treasurer, barons and chamberlains to deliver the other pyx in their custody with the money in it to the said Alexander to make his advantage thereof.

Aug. 12.
Westminster

To the sheriff of Lincoln and to the bailiffs of that city. Order to cause goods and wares of merchants of the duchy of Brabant to be arrested, and to cause them to be kept safely until William de Hindringham and William de Carleton, merchants of England, receive due restitution of their goods, as the king learns from their complaint that John, duke of Brabant, caused their wool and other wares to the value of 200*l.* that they had caused to be taken to Brabant to trade therewith to be arrested at Andwerp in that land without reasonable cause, and that he still detains them.

Aug. 21.
Kempton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Notification that the king has granted to Maurice Russel respite during pleasure for 100*l.* of the 300*l.* due from him to the exchequer, and has granted that he may pay the 200*l.* by yearly instalments of 100*s.*, and order to cause him to have such respite and terms, and to cause this to be so done and enrolled.

By pet. of C.

Aug. 23.
Kempton.

To the same. Notification that the king has granted to Tholosanus, the exchanger (*campiori*) of his exchange in Ireland, 20 marks yearly from the issues of that exchange by the hands of the merchants of the society of the Friscobaldi of Florence, keepers of that exchange, for so long as he shall remain in that office, and also 10 marks for his expenses in going at the present time to Ireland and returning to England, and order to cause allowance to be made to the merchants for the said 20 marks yearly for his wages for so long as he shall remain in office and for the said 10 marks for his expenses.

By pet. of C.

Aug. 17.
Westminster.

To R. bishop of London and to Master Bartholomew de Ferentino, canon of London, collectors of the tenth lately imposed upon the clergy of England by Pope Boniface by the king's assent for three years. Although the king caused many creditors to be appointed to receive the debts in which he is bound to them from the money coming from the tenth, which money is due to the king at Michaelmas for the year then finishing by the pope's grant, and no mention was made of the priority of the creditors or of the payments to be made by the collectors, it was

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the king's intention that Arnald de Couterer, Arnald de Brocaz, Vitalis de Brane, Bernard Johannis de Vico Majori, Fortenerius de Bourges, Peter de Moncuk, Arnald Bernardi Doreyt, William Shak and their fellows, merchants of Gascony, shall be preferred to the king's other creditors in receiving payment of 2520*l.* due to them by the king for a loan, for which they have certain of his jewels, which he wishes to have back again speedily: wherefore the king requests the collectors to pay to Arnald, Arnald, Vitalis, Bernard, Fortenerius, Peter, Arnald and William and to John de Sandale, king's clerk, and Baruncinus Galteri the said 2,520*l.* in full before they make any payment to the king's other creditors.

By K. on the information of J. de Drokenesf[ord].

Sept. 4.
Chichester.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As it appears to the king by inspection of the rolls of his chancery that Robert de Tony, son and heir of Ralph de Tony, tenant in chief, was a minor in his wardship from the 14 September, in the twenty-third year of his reign, on which day the king caused the lands that belonged to Ralph to be taken into his hands until 15 July, in the twenty-fifth year, on which day he took Robert's homage for the lands and rendered them to him: the king orders them to acquit Master John Waleweyn and Walter Page of the 105*l.* exacted from them by summons of the exchequer for the issues of Robert's lands in Kertling, co. Cambridge, and Sele, co. Devon, Bliston, Carneton and Heleston, co. ———, which were in their custody by the commission of Malcolm de Harlegh, late escheator this side Trent, during Robert's minority, from the said 15 July.

Aug. 28.
Frensham
(Fermesham).

Thomas de Blitthefeld, imprisoned at Stafford for the death of Thomas son of William de Lutteleye, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Stafford to bail him.

Sept. 9.
Arundel.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted to John de Bokelonde respite until the quinzaine of Michaelmas next for payment of the 44*l.* exacted from him by summons of the exchequer for the portion falling to him of the 220*l.* by which Walter de Maydenstan made fine with the king for a trespass at the exchequer, for which Walter put him in as security to the king, and order to cause John to have this respite.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

To the treasurer and chamberlains of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to pay to John de Wroewardyn, clerk, whom the king is sending to Ireland to make purveyances there and to send them to Scotland for the maintenance of the king's subjects in his services there, 100*s.* in aid of his expenses in going to Ireland and staying there.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

Aug. 23.
Kempton.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the citizens of the city of London, among the other payments that they made in part payment of the 20,000 marks by which the former citizens made fine with the late king for the trespass that they were said to have committed against him during the time of the war, by the said king's order to divers men and for which the king ordered allowance to be made to them, made divers other payments to divers men by the late king's orders, and they have besought the king to cause allowance to be made to them therefor: the king orders the treasurer and barons to hear the proofs (*rationibus*) of the citizens concerning the payments, and to search the accounts of all those to whom the citizens assert that they have made payments, of whose

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names the citizens will certify them, and to search the rolls and memoranda of the exchequer, and to cause due allowance to be made to the citizens for the payments that they shall find to be clear. It is provided that the mayor and citizens of the city may make fine with the treasurer and barons for the remainder of the said fine for which a certain and reasonable allowance cannot be made, as the treasurer and barons shall deem most fit for the king's profit. By K. & pet.

Sept. 13.
Lewes.

John, vicar of the church of Fremynton, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Nicholas Clok, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Devon to bail him.

Reginald de Dene, imprisoned at Exeter for the death of Richard de Blakewell, wherewith he is charged, has like letters to the said sheriff.

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Dec. 28.
Linlithgow.

To William Inge and Roger de Suthcotes. Order not to put Geoffrey de Hauvill in default for not appearing on Tuesday after All Saints at the taking of the assize of novel disseisin that Geoffrey and Gerberga, his wife, arramed before William and Roger against Thomas de Nevill and others named in the original writ concerning a tenement in Driestok, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By p.s.

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Jan. 2.
Linlithgow.

To the same. Order not to put John Pecche in default for not being present on Monday after Michaelmas at the taking of the assize of novel disseisin arramed by him before them against the abbot of Westminster and others named in the original writ concerning a tenement in Langedon, or at the taking of an assize of novel disseisin arramed by him before them against Thomas, earl of Lancaster, and the others named in the original writ, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By p.s. [2670.]

Feb. 2.
Edinburgh.

To the sheriff of Westmoreland. Order not to put Marmaduke de Thweng in default for not appearing on Thursday after the Purification last in the suit in that county [court] without the king's writ between William de Stirkeland and the said Marmaduke, Robert de Wessington, and Robert de Sigiswyk concerning the unjust taking and detention of William's cattle, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By the chancellor on the testimony of the prince of Wales.

April 26.
Devises.

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Edmund Foliot in default for not appearing on Saturday the morrow of the Purification in the suit before the justices between Jocus de Coleby, demandant, and Edmund, tenant, concerning two tofts and 24 acres of land in Handesworth, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By K.

May 11.
Sutton.

To Robert de Retford and Henry Spigurnel. Order not to put Warin de Bassingburn in default for not appearing on Wednesday after St. Denis at the assize of novel disseisin arramed against him by Thomas, prior of Royston (*Cruce Roes*'), Elias Basely, and Joseph Gerard concerning a tenement in Bassingburne, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

By p.s.

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May 24.
Westminster.

To the mayor and sheriffs of London. Order not to put John de Bauquell in default for not appearing on Monday after St. Dunstan in the suit before them in the husting of London by writ of right between Margery, late the wife of Michael le Furbissour, demandant, and Andrew Meel, tenant, concerning a shop in London, as to which Andrew vouched John to warranty, or in the suit in the husting by another writ of right between Robert son of William son of Roger de London[ia], demandant, and Andrew, tenant, concerning a messuage and a shop in London, as to which Andrew vouched him to warranty against Robert, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day. By p.s. [2990.]

June 12.
Chartham.

To the same. Order not to put the said John in default for not appearing on Monday after the Ascension in the aforesaid suits, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day. By K.

July 22.
Westminster.

To the bailiffs of Geoffrey de Geynvill at Trym. Order not to put Nicholas de Carru in default for not appearing on Sunday after the Epiphany in the suit in Geoffrey's court at Trym by Geoffrey's writ between Richard de Twyt, demandant, and Nicholas, tenant, concerning five carucates of land in Trym, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day. By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

July 26.
Westminster.

To the justices of the Bench of Dublin. Order not to place William Comyn in default for not appearing on Monday the morrow of Easter last in the suit before them by writ of right between John Comyn of Kynsale, demandant, and William, tenant, concerning fifteen acres of land and a pond of meadow (*una stagyna prati*) in Kynsale, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day. By K.

Aug. 3.
Westminster.

To the same (*sic*). Order not to put Robert de Bardelby, king's clerk, in default for not appearing on Monday the morrow of the octaves of St. John the Baptist in the assize of mort d'ancestor arramed before the justices by Roger de Saham of Pontefract, Constance, his wife, Alice daughter of Joseph son of Adam and Agnes, her sister, against the said Robert and Adam Catelyn of Kercroft concerning 4½ acres of land, a rood of meadow, and 12*d.* yearly of rent in Skelale, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day. By K.

Oct. 26.
Westminster.

To William Inge and Roger de Bella Fago. Order not to put Roger de Mortuo Mari in default for not appearing on Friday the quinzaine of Michaelmas, in the 29th year of the reign, in the jury before William and Roger between him and Edmund de Mortuo Mari, the abbot of Wygemor, and Roger Swayn to convict the jurors of an assize of novel disseisin summoned and taken between Roger and Edmund, the abbot and Roger before the said William and Roger de Suthcote concerning a tenement in Hethe, as he was in the king's service on that day. By K.

Oct. 28.
Westminster.

To the justices of the Bench. Order not to put Peter de Malo Lacu in default for not appearing on Saturday in three weeks from Michaelmas last in the suit before the justices between Guy de Boneaventure and Philip de Boneaventure, merchants of Florence, and Peter of this that Peter shall render to them 20*l.*, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

Nov. 5.
Westminster.

To the same. Order not to put William, prior of St. Mary's, Southwark, in default for not appearing on Monday the morrow of the octaves of St. John the Baptist in the suit before them between John de London[ia] and him of this that the prior shall observe the agreement

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made with John concerning two parts of the manor of Adynton, as he was in the king's service by his order on that day. By K.

The like to the justices of the prior (*sic*). By K.

Nov. 1.
Westminster.

To the justices of the Bench of Dublin. Order not to put Richard, archbishop of Dublin, in default for not appearing on Saturday a month from Michaelmas in the suit before the justices between Edmund le Butiller, demandant, and the archbishop, tenant, concerning the manor of Hollywood (*de Sancto Bosco*), as he was in the king's service by his order on that day.

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Aug. 23.
Kempton.

To the mayor, bailiffs and *échevins* of Ghent. The king recollects that whereas in the late king's time Margaret, late countess of Flanders, caused the goods and wares of merchants of England, Ireland and Wales to be arrested and sold wherever found in Flanders or on the sea to a considerable amount in money, the said king and the present king caused goods and wares of merchants of her land to be arrested in England and on the sea by reason of the arrest made by her, and the king at length, at the request of Guy, count of Flanders, her son, granted that he would come to Montreuil (*Mosterollum*) at a certain term to treat of peace concerning the contentions thus arising, and when the king had come thither the count came to him for himself and the countess and caused the king before many and great and wise persons to be humbly requested by Baldwin de Aven for peace concerning the said disputes, promising, for himself and his mother, out of honour and reverence for the king and for the good of peace, to restore and cause to be restored all the goods of the merchants of England, Ireland and Wales that had been detained or received in Flanders or on the sea by their men or others by their consent or assent; and the king acceding to his prayers, as the count had humbly offered restitution of all the things aforesaid, a friendly composition was finally made between them in the following form: to wit that inquiry should be made as to what goods of the merchants of Flanders had been arrested or detained by the men of the late king in England or on the sea and likewise what had been arrested or detained by the countess or her men of the goods of merchants of England, Ireland and Wales or received in any way by her consent or assent in her land, and that the total value of the goods of the merchants of Flanders thus taken and retained in England by the men of the late king or of the present king should be deducted from the total (*cederet in solutum in summa*) of the goods of the king's merchants detained in Flanders, and that the count should acquit the king and his men against the merchants of Flanders from whom the goods had been taken by the men of the late king or of the present king in England, and if the total of the goods of the merchants of Flanders thus retained or taken in England or on the sea by the men of the late king or of the present king should be insufficient for the payment of the total of the goods of the said merchants of the king retained or taken in Flanders or on the sea, the count promised faithfully to restore and cause to be restored within a certain term what should be lacking of the total, and if the value of the goods of the merchants of Flanders thus arrested in England should exceed that of the goods of the king's merchants arrested in Flanders, the excess (*illud plus*) should be restored in like manner to

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them. It was subsequently found by inquisitions taken concerning the premises that about 4,000 marks sterling more of the goods of the king's merchants had been taken by the countess and her men than had been taken of the goods of merchants of Flanders in England; whereupon the king, at the request of his said merchants for remedy, requested the count to cause restitution to be made to them in accordance with his promise and obligation, and as the count did not do so, the king, having consideration for the great damages and losses that the merchants of his realm sustained and incurred in Flanders, as wares or other goods of merchants of Flanders were not found at that time within his power, ordered a certain sum of 730 marks sterling in which the mayor, sheriffs and community of the city of London were bound to certain burgesses of Ghent for the late king by a deed of obligation, which sum he found arrested by the late king's order by reason of the disputes aforesaid and deposited in a certain place, to be delivered as goods of the merchants of Flanders to his said merchants in part recompense for their goods thus detained in Flanders, to be distributed amongst them according to what was then ordained by the king. As William de Luton, Robert Persone, Roger le Viroler, Richard de Wandesworth, William le Fullere, Henry de Ardene, William de Kent, Hugh Pourche, John Gunbard and Peter de Blakeneye, merchants and burgesses of the city of London, have shown the king that they and their men lately coming into Flanders with wool and other goods were taken and imprisoned at the prosecution and procurement of certain merchants and burgesses of Ghent by reason of the aforesaid debt of 730 marks, and their goods to the value of 1,000*l.* sterling have been arrested and are still detained, at which the king greatly marvels: the king requests the mayor, bailiffs and *échevins* to cause the said merchants and their men, if any of them be detained for this reason, to be delivered from prison, and to cause their goods and wares to be delivered to them without delay, so conducting themselves in this behalf that the king may thank them and that it shall not be necessary for him to provide another remedy. They are desired to write back to him what they shall have caused to be done in this matter.

Aug. 25.
Cobham
(Coveham).

To Michael de Wynton[ia], controller of the king's exchange of Dover. Whereas the king has remitted and granted to John Ballard, John Galeys and Colluche Bellard and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Bellardi of Lucca, for their good service and for the damages and losses incurred by them on the king's behalf, all issues received by them from the king's exchanges of Dover and Yarmouth from 6 May, in the twenty-seventh year of his reign, until Michaelmas next, as contained in his letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 30 Edw. I, p. 61]: the king orders Michael to deliver to the said merchants all the deeds made between him and them concerning the issues of the exchange for the time aforesaid.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

The like to Henry Rose, controller of the king's exchange at Yarmouth.

Sept. 17.
Newenden.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As Hugh de Gernemutha, bailiff of Suthwerk, is unable, by reason of the office he intends in chancery, to appear before them on the morrow of Michaelmas in person to make his proffer there, the king orders them to admit Henry de Herdwyk, Hugh's clerk, to make his proffer before them.

To the same. Peter Child has shown the king that whereas he lately made fine before John de Drogenesford, then supplying the treasurer's place, and before the barons for Peter de Suthchirche and others lately

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appealed by Sabina, late the wife of Michael de Cardoyl, of the death of Michael, in 100s. for having a writ to hear and determine the aforesaid appeal before the justices appointed for that purpose, the treasurer and barons cause the 100s. to be exacted from Peter Child as if the appealed had had the writ, although they did not have it because the appeal was then pending before the king: the king orders them to search the rolls of the exchequer concerning the writ, and if they find that the fine was made for having such writ and that the 100s. are exacted from Peter for this reason only, to cause Peter to be discharged and acquitted thereof.

Sept. 17.
Newenden.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Whereas Richard son of Richard de Exon[ia] has besought the king to grant to him the eight townships of land in Connaught (*Connaetia*) of Tobirnetalpye, Rathfaret, Lysteffhy, Conyllofoy, Narachtyn, Corkilbrangyle, Corecreppan and Deugnynacossan, which Richard de Exon[ia], his father, held at his death of the king in fee-farm and which Richard son of Richard surrendered into the king's hands after his father's death because the ferm that was wont to be rendered to the king therefor exceeded the value of the townships, and also the four townships of Moynannan, Torpan, Monetassan and Slefshenethoch near the said eight townships, to him and his heirs at fee-ferm by a certain yearly rent: the king, acceding to Richard's prayers so far as may be done to his profit and without injury to others, orders the justiciary to deliver the said eight townships and the four townships by an extent to be made by the oath of men of those parts, to hold in *tenencia* by certain rents to be paid to the king yearly according to the justiciary's direction and by the extent aforesaid according to what shall seem fit to be done for the king's advantage, certifying the king of his proceedings in this matter and of the manner and form thereof and of the value of all the townships aforesaid and of the rents to be rendered to the king thence, so that the king may cause to be done for Richard in this matter what he shall cause to be ordained by his council in this matter.

To the same. Whereas the king ordered Robert de Ufford, then justiciary, to cause to be assigned and delivered to Richard de Exon[ia], now deceased, for his good service 30l. yearly of the king's lands in Connaught, to hold to him and his heirs of the king's gift, and although Robert caused to be delivered to him by virtue of the said order 30l. yearly of land of the king's lands, to wit half the township of Kilcoytsh, half the township of Stregacheruyn, and the townships of Behach, Lismorethethan, Cownach, Screvan, Ardmolan, Drumcloghry, Nunchemach and Decologhelyn, to be held in form aforesaid, Richard did not obtain the king's charter therefor, and Richard, his son and heir, has besought the king to cause his charter to be made to him: the king orders the justiciary to consider the value of the land aforesaid and to ordain a certain and reasonable service therefor at his discretion, and to certify the king concerning such service, in order that the king may cause to be done for Richard what he shall cause to be ordained by his council.

Sept. 26.
St. Radigund's.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to cause Brother John de Bekingham, of the order of Friars Minors, to have six oaks fit for timber in the wood of Bilehagh, which is within the forest of Shirewode, of the king's gift.

By K. on the information of Geoffrey de Stokes.

Sept. 13.
Lewes.

Thomas le Petit of Herne and Matthew le Taillur, imprisoned at Maydenstan for the death of Roger de Romene, wherewith they are charged, have letters to the sheriff of Kent to bail them.

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Sept. 28.
St. Radigund's.

To Walter de Gloucestre[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause dower to be assigned to Alice, late the wife of Richard atte Westhalle of Amcotes, tenant by knight service of the heir of Roger de Moubray, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Sept. 26.
St. Radigund's.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king has granted to Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and Marshal of England, 30*l.* yearly from the ferm of the town of Norwich and of the hundreds of Depwade and Henstede, co. Norfolk, and of Blything and Waynesford, co. Suffolk, together with certain manors, lands, hundreds and rents, for life, as contained in the king's letters patent, and he has ordered the bailiffs and men of the town of Norwich to pay the said 30*l.* from their ferm to the earl during his life, and the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk to deliver the aforesaid hundreds to the earl: the king orders the treasurer and barons to discharge the bailiffs and men of Norwich of the said 30*l.* yearly and the sheriff of the issues of the said hundreds during the earl's life.

Oct. 4.
Canterbury.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Alice, late the wife of John de Sancto Johanne, tenant in chief, to have her forty days' use (*quarantanam suam*) of John's goods and chattels, as has been usual in similar cases.

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Oct. 5.
Canterbury.

To Hugh le Despenser, justiciary of the Forest this side Trent. Order to cause the Friars Preachers of London to have in the forest of Windsor twelve leafless stumps (*robora folia non portancia*) for fuel, of the king's gift.
By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wynterburn.

To the same. Order to cause the Friars Minors of London to have twelve leafless stumps in that forest for fuel, of the king's gift.

By K. as above.

Vacated, because it was restored and cancelled.

Oct. 4.
Canterbury.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to deliver to the executors of the will of Guncelin de Badlesmere the custody of the lands in Conedovere, Langele, Russhebury and Corston that are of the inheritance of Edward, son and heir of Philip Burnel, tenant in chief, a minor in the king's wardship, which the escheator has resumed into the king's hands for waste committed in them by Guncelin, as he understands, although the king committed the custody thereof to Guncelin during the heir's minority, as the king learns by an inquisition taken by the escheator in the presence of the executors of Guncelin's will and at their request concerning the waste that at the time when Malcolm de Harlegh was escheator this side Trent waste was committed in the wood of Conedovre to the amount of 26*s.* 8*d.* and of the houses in the manor of Russhebur[y] to the value of 33*s.* 8*d.* and that after the king committed the lands to Guncelin no waste was made in them by him or by any of his men.
By K.

Oct. 9.
Thurrock.

John Hert of Overton, imprisoned at Appelby for the death of Robert de Lyndale, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Westmoreland to bail him until the first assize.

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Oct. 10.
Greenwich.

To the justices in eyre for common pleas in co. Cornwall. As the king has caused Walter de Aylesbury to be summoned to the coming parliament at Westminster for certain affairs specially touching the king, wherefore he cannot be present in person before the justices to prosecute and defend the pleas and suits touching him in the eyre, the king orders them to continue all pleas before them touching Walter from day to day until towards the end of the eyre; provided that the pleas and suits be determined before them in the eyre before the end of the eyre, in accordance with the law and custom of the realm.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

Oct. 9.
Chatham

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas the king has assigned by his letters patent to certain noblemen, clerks and others of his land of Gascony certain sums of money to be received yearly at the exchequer under the name of provisions for their lands that are in the hands of the king of France by reason of the war between the king and the king of France, and he afterwards assigned to them by other letters in place of the provisions aforesaid all the issues of the lands and rents of aliens, both men of religion and others, in the realm of England in his hands by reason of the war aforesaid, to be received from 17 August last by the hands of John de Sandale and Thomas de Cantebr[ugge], whom the king had appointed to receive the said issues at the exchequer and to pay them to his said subjects at the appointed terms, until they should be fully satisfied for the provisions aforesaid: the king orders the treasurer and barons to permit John and Thomas to receive the money from the said issues from the said 17 August, and cause to be paid to them without delay anything that may have been paid to the exchequer from the said issues since that date.

Oct. 15.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of Henry de Bokesworth, deceased.

Oct. 5.
Ospringe.

To the bailiffs of the Hundred without the north gate of Oxford. Order to pay to Robert de Crevequer 10*l.* for Michaelmas term last of the 20*l.* yearly granted to him for life by the king from the ferm of that Hundred for the release that he made to the king and Queen Eleanor, his late consort, of the manor of Ditton.

Oct. 15.
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To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of William de Alta Ripa, whom the king has caused to be removed from office because he is insufficiently qualified, as the king learns upon trustworthy testimony.

Oct. 15.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to permit William de Hereford of Berkhamstede to have 5½*d.* daily and a robe, price 10*s.*, or 10*s.* for it yearly, as Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, granted by his deed to William his wood of Berkhamstede with his park and warren there, to be kept during his life, on condition that he answer to the earl for the attachments and other things belonging to him, receiving therefor the aforesaid sum daily and robe or its value yearly, and he also granted to William that he should have in the wood and park all the windfallen trees and all the stumps of trees there felled, and the king after the earl's death granted and confirmed the grant to William, as contained in his letters patent [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 30 Edw. I, p. 61].

Oct. 16.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to restore to Agnes, late the wife of John son of Miles, tenant in chief, her lands,

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which the escheator took into the king's hands for her trespass in marrying Richard Husewyf of Louseby without the king's licence, and not to molest her by reason of this trespass, as the king has pardoned her the trespass for a fine of 6s. 8d. that she has made with him in chancery.

Oct. 16.
Westminster.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Order to cause Thomas, son and heir of Thomas de Multon of Gillesland, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

Oct. 14.
Westminster.

To the king's bailiff of Marleberge. Order to cause the brethren of the infirm of St. Thomas, Marleberge, to have 50s. for Michaelmas term in the thirtieth year of the reign, as the late king granted to them by his charter that they and their successors should receive 50s. yearly from the issues of the manor of Marleberge at Michaelmas by the hands of the bailiffs for the time being, for the maintenance of a chaplain celebrating divine service for the soul of Isabel, late queen of England, mother of the said king, and the brethren have received that sum yearly from the time of the making of the said king's charter, both in the time when the manor was in the said king's hands and afterwards when it was in the hands of Queen Eleanor, mother of the present king, in dower.

Oct. 19.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Cornwall. Order not to intermeddle further with the manor of Karias, as the king lately, at the request of Roger de Inkepenne, ordered the sheriff to retain the manor in the king's hands, which manor the sheriff took into the king's hands after the death of Edmund, earl of Cornwall, and to cause the lands pertaining to the manor to be tilled and sown, and to cause the houses of the manor to be maintained, and to keep the remainder of the issues without diminution until otherwise ordered, and the king afterwards ordered the sheriff to certify him of the reason for his taking into the king's hands of the manor and of lands in Tremurdre, Trengof and Polgroyn, which are members of the manor, and the sheriff has signified to the king that the said Roger and Emelina, his wife, demised the lands to the earl for the term of his life, which lands were seised into the king's hands with the other lands in co. Cornwall whereof the earl died seised, and that Roger and Emelina after the earl's death did not advance any claim to the lands, and the king, wishing to be more fully certified concerning the premises, ordered Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent, to make inquisition in the presence of those whom the matter concerned whether the earl held the lands for his life or in any other manner, and if for his life, by whose demise, and in what manner, and from what time, and it is found by the escheator's inquisition returned into chancery that the earl held the lands for life by the demise of Roger and Emelina, and that they demised them to him in the eighteenth year of the king's reign for the arrears due to the earl from Roger of the time when he was the earl's steward of co. Cornwall.

By C.

Oct. 21.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Notification that the king has granted to him power to receive in the king's name the fealty of Petronilla, late the wife of William de Neirford, for all the lands that they held jointly on the day of William's death of Petronilla's inheritance, and also her oath that she will not marry without the king's licence, and order to deliver to her the said lands after he shall have received her fealty and oath, and to certify the king of the fealty and oath, and order not to distrain Petronilla for her homage before the quinzaine of Easter next, until which time the king has granted her respite for her homage.

By K. on the information of J. Buteturte.

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*Membrane 4—cont.*Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To the same. Order not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to William, late bishop of Bath and Wells, as the king learns by inquisition taken by the escheator that the bishop at his death held nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

William son of John Brun, imprisoned at Oxford for the death of William de Whitecherche, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Oxford to bail him until the next assize, as he slew him [in self defence], etc.

Oct. 22.
Westminster.

John Cok, imprisoned at Sumerton gaol for the death of Robert le Knyght, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Somerset to bail him.

Oct. 24.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted to Simon de Monte Acuto, who is setting out for Gascony with John de Hasting' in the king's service, respite for two years for all debts due from him to the exchequer, unless the king shall otherwise ordain, and order to cause him to have this respite. By K.

The like to the sheriff of Somerset.

The like to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer for Thomas de Banneburi, who is setting out with John, etc.

The like to the same for John de Hastings.

The like to the sheriff of Salop.

The like to the sheriff of Northampton.

The like to the sheriff of Huntingdon.

The like to the sheriff of Leicester.

The like to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer for John Paynel, who is setting out with the said John, etc.

The like to the same for Walter de Maydenestan, who is setting out with the said John.

The like to the same for Thomas le Latymer.

The said Thomas has letters for respite of debts addressed to the sheriffs of Northampton, Nottingham and Buckingham.

MEMBRANE 3.

Oct. 28.
Westminster

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause James, son and heir of John de Bohun of Midhurst, to have seisin of the lands that his father held at his death of the king in Ireland, as he has proved his age before the king and the king has taken his homage.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Roger, son and heir of Roger Doget, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as he has proved his age before the escheator and the king has taken his homage.

To the same. Like order in favour of John, son and heir of Walter de Aure.

To the same. Order to cause William, son and heir of William de Monte Caniso of Edwardeston, to have seisin of the lands that his father at his death held of the king in chief, as the king has taken his homage.

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*Membrane 3—cont.*Oct. 28.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king lately—upon its being found by an inquisition taken by the escheator that John Trenchard held at his death nothing of the king except the manor of Shaldeflete with the hamlets of Chestelle and Watyngeswell in the Isle of Wight as of the honour of the castle of Carsbrouk (*sic*), which is in the king's hands, by the service of $1\frac{1}{2}$ knights' fees—ordered the escheator not to intermeddle further with the lands that John held of other lords; and it appears to the king by inspection of the aforesaid inquisition that John held at his death of Ralph de Monte Hermerii, earl of Gloucester and Hertford, and of Joan, his wife, the manor of Purifrith, co. Surrey, by the service of one knight's fee, which manor the earl and Joan have entered by virtue of the king's order aforesaid; the king orders the escheator, if it is so, to deliver to the earl and Joan the issues received by him from the manor since it was taken into the king's hands.

Oct. 29.
Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause William de Grandisono and Sibyl, his wife, the second daughter and heiress of John Tregoz, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the following of the knights' fees that belonged to John, which the king has assigned to them as their purparty of John's knights' fees; $3\frac{1}{2}$ fees in Upton Skidemor, co. Wilts, which Walter de Skidemor holds, and which are extended at 50s. yearly; 3 fees in Norton and Fifhide, in the same county, which Roger de Bavent holds, and which are extended at 60s. yearly; three quarters of a fee in Teffonte Ewyas, in the same county, which Reginald Huse holds, and which are extended at 8s. yearly; a fee in Rokeleye, in the same county, which Nicholas Pointz holds, and which is extended at 13s. 4d. yearly; a moiety of a fee in Ewyas, co. Hereford, which Henry de Helleston holds, and which is extended at 15s. yearly; a moiety of a fee there, which Richard de Ewias holds, and which is extended at 15s. yearly; three quarters of a fee in Monyton and Stradel, in the same county, which Henry de Pembrigg holds, and which are extended at 30s. yearly; a quarter of a fee in Fokefyn . . . , in the same county, which Elizabeth, late the wife of Richard Fouke, holds, and which is extended at 10s. yearly; a fee in Pontyngton, co. Somerset, which Nicholas de Cheyny holds, and which is extended at 100s. yearly; a fee in Estcheleworth, in the same county, which William de Cheleworth holds, and which is extended at 10l. yearly.

Nov. 4.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Cambridge. Order to cause a coroner for that county to be elected in place of John Pylgrym, deceased.

Nov. 4.
Westminster.

Stephen de la Forde of Little Bellynges, imprisoned at Melton for the death of Simon Bonde, wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Suffolk to bail him.

Oct. 16.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. It is shown to the king by the abbot of Abyndon that whereas he holds thirty knights' fees for 30l. to be rendered to the king by the hands of the constable of Windsor castle yearly for the ward of that castle, and three fees for the service due to the king to be done in his armies, and he has hitherto paid the 30l. yearly for the thirty fees to the ward of that castle by the hands of the constable and he had his service for the said three fees in the king's armies of Wales in the fifth and tenth years of his reign, the treasurer and barons, asserting that service was due to the king in those armies for the thirty fees as well as for the three fees, distrain the abbot for the scutage due to the king for the thirty fees in those armies: the king, not wishing to aggrieve the abbot in this behalf, orders the treasurer and

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barons to search the rolls and memoranda of the exchequer, and if they find that the abbot holds the thirty fees for 30*l.* yearly to be rendered to the king for the ward of the castle aforesaid, and that the abbot's predecessors held them of the king and his ancestors in the same way and paid the 30*l.* yearly for the ward of the castle, and that the abbot had his service with the king in the said armies for the three fees, to cause the abbot to be acquitted of the scutage exacted from him for the thirty fees and for the three fees.

By pet. of C.

Nov. 3.
Westminster.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to cause Geoffrey de Lisiniaco to have again the manors of Louthe, Castle Fraunk and Dys in Ireland, as the king before his accession granted by his charter to Geoffrey the manors, to hold to him and his heirs of the king and his heirs, which grant the late king confirmed by his charter, and the king lately, forgetting this grant and confirmation, impleaded Geoffrey concerning the manors in his court before Walter Lemfaunte and his fellows, justices last in eyre at Drogheda, and recovered them against Geoffrey by his default against the king in the plea, and the king has now remitted to Geoffrey the default aforesaid and has granted that he shall hold them as he held them before he made the default.

By K.

Nov. 4.
Westminster.

To Master Richard de Havering, escheator beyond Trent. Henry le Keu has shown the king that when he was in parts beyond sea the escheator, believing that he had died, took into the king's hands 73*s.* 4*d.* of rent in Leghes and Wodehuses that Henry holds of the king in chief for that reason, and that he still detains the rent: the king orders the escheator to restore to Henry the rent aforesaid, with everything received from it since it was taken into the king's hands, if it was taken into the king's hands solely for this reason.

By K.

To Richard Oysel, bailiff of the king's manor of Folkyngham. Order to supersede distraining John de Orreby for his fealty for the lands that he holds of the king in chief by reason of the lands that belonged to Gilbert de Gaunt being in the king's hands, as the king has taken his fealty.

Nov. 2.
Westminster.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king lately—upon its being found by an inquisition taken by the escheator that John Wacelyn, a lunatic (*fatuus et idiota*), whose lands were in the hands of Margaret de Penecestre by reason of his lunacy by the king's commission, held the manor of Iwhurst, co. Sussex, of John, count of Brittany, and certain lands in co. Southampton of the prior and convent of Winchester, and that John at his death did not hold any lands of the king in chief by reason whereof the custody of his lands ought to pertain to the king—ordered the escheator not to intermeddle further with the lands that belonged to John; and it appears to the king by inspection of the inquisition aforesaid that Nichola, wife of Henry de Sardene, and Maud, late the wife of John de Parrok, sisters of John, are his next heirs; which lands Henry, Nichola and Maud have entered by virtue of the order aforesaid: the king orders the escheator to deliver to them the issues received from the lands from the time of their being taken into the king's hands.

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Westminster.

To the same. Order to deliver to Alice, late the wife of John de Sancto Johanne, tenant in chief, the manor of Chauton, co. Southampton, which is extended at 10*l.* 2*s.* 8½*d.* yearly, and the manor of Walberton, co. Sussex, which is extended at 47*l.* 17*s.* 1*d.* yearly, as the king has assigned them to her as her dower in her presence and in that of John de Sancto Johanne,

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son and heir of the said John, with their assent, on condition that she render to John yearly during her life from the manor of Walberton 25s., the excess of her dower.

Nov. 8. Walter de Bruly, imprisoned at Worcester for the death of Walter Botte,
Westminster. wherewith he is charged, has letters to the sheriff of Worcester to bail him.

Nov. 6. To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause
Westminster. dower to be assigned to Juliana, late the wife of Robert de Craunford, tenant in chief as of the honour of Albemarle, which is in the king's hands, upon her taking oath that she will not marry without the king's licence.

Robert de Culeworth of Brackele, imprisoned at Westminster for the death of Richard le Porter of Aynho, co. Northants, wherewith he is charged,——[*Incomplete*].

Nov. 13. To Nicholas Fermbaud, constable of Bristol castle. Order to release
Westminster. Geoffrey Page, Robert Passur, John le Lunge, Edmund Richard, William le Lunge and Walter Beneyt, imprisoned in Bristol castle because they, while in the king's service with their ship called '*the Mighel*' in Scotland, wickedly withdrew from the service with the king's wages and without his licence, and to restore to them their ship aforesaid, if it was arrested solely for this trespass, as Peter de Donewyco has testified before the king that they have promised before him that they will go with their said ship to Scotland at Whitsuntide next for the expedition of the king's war there, and that they will faithfully serve the king there during the war.

By K. on the information of J. Botetourt.

Nov. 12. To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. Order to replevy to Geoffrey de
Westminster. Geynvill and Maud, his wife, their liberty of Trym and Meath (*Midia*) until Whitsuntide next, which liberty was taken into the king's hands by the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin for a contempt committed against the king by them, and which was afterwards replevied to them by the justiciary until three weeks from Michaelmas last.

By K. on the information of the treasurer.

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Nov. 6. To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to release
Westminster. any distraint levied upon Gilbert son of William de Dunmawe for his homage for the lands that he holds of the king in chief by reason of the lands that Humphrey de Bouhun, earl of Hereford and Essex, lately rendered into the king's hands, with the knights' fees and all other appurtenances, as the king has taken his homage.

The like to the same in favour of the following:

Gilbert de Stanford.

Robert Gernet.

Memorandum, that after the death of Sir John Tregoz, tenant in chief, his lands were taken into the king's hands and extended, and after the extents had been returned into chancery, John la Warre, son of his eldest daughter, and Sir William de Grauntsone, who married the other daughter, did homage to the king for their purparties of the lands, and had a writ to Sir Walter de Gloucestre, escheator, to make division of the lands

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in the presence of the heirs and parceners in accordance with the extents; after the partition had been made by the escheator in the presence of the heirs and parceners and by their assent and returned into chancery and enrolled there, a writ to extend the fees and the advowsons of the inheritance was issued, according to custom; after the return of which extent, Sir William came into court and demanded his purparty of the fees and advowsons, and because his parcener did not come, he was warned to come at a certain day to receive his purparty thereof; at which day he [*i.e.* John] came into chancery at Westminster before Sir John de Langeton, then chancellor, in the presence of Sir Roger Brabazon, Sir Ralph de Hengham, Sir Gilbert de Roubury, Sir William de Bereford, Sir William Haward, and others of the council, and said that no division of the fees or advowsons ought to be made because the castle of Ewyas with the appurtenances was assigned to him in his purparty, to which castle the majority of the fees (*tut le plus des fez*) are appurtenant and from which they cannot be severed because the tenants owe bodily service, and, when he received his purparty, he understood that he received it with the fees and advowsons that were appurtenant to the castle. And Sir William said that the purparty made before the escheator was made of the lands only, and he did not receive and could not receive his purparty in any other manner because the escheator had no other warrant than for the lands, and he vouched the escheator to warranty as to this, who was then present, and also the purparty enrolled in chancery. And the escheator, upon being examined (*aresoné*) as to this, answered that he made no other purparty than of the lands and for which he had a writ. Whereupon oyer of the writ was demanded and of the purparty; which being read and heard, no mention was made therein except of the purparty of the lands. And forasmuch as it was thus found and as it is the custom that a purparty ought to be made of the lands by themselves and another of the fees by themselves, it was agreed by all the council that the purparty made shall be (*se fait*) of the fees and advowsons aforesaid according to the law and custom of the realm. With this John was not satisfied (*ne se tient païé*), and he went to the king, and delivered into his hand before his council in his parliament at Westminster in summer, in the thirtieth year of his reign, a petition praying that justice should be done to him (*qe homme li faist reson*) in the said matters; which petition the king received into his own hands, and he delivered it there and then (*maintenaunt*) to the receiver of his petitions; which being read and heard there and then before the king, Sir Roger Brabazon answered to the king that the parties had been before his council and had shown their evidence (*aveient lur resons dit*) on both sides, and that it was agreed before the council that the purparty shall be made; whereupon the king ordered that there should be done what ought to be done according to the custom of the realm. Thereupon, as Sir William's wife was not in court to consent to receive her purparty, power was given to Sir John de Havering to receive her attorneys; and a day was given to the parties to receive their purparties at the next parliament. At which parliament Sir William in his own person and his wife by her attorney came and demanded their purparty as before, and John did not come; but as he was present in court and of the court, he was warned to come within the third day. At which day he came, and said as before that no other division ought to be made that was not made before for the reasons aforesaid. Forasmuch as the parties were unable to agree and no purparty was made except of the lands, it was awarded and agreed as before that the purparty shall be made of the fees and advowsons aforesaid. Which being made into two parts,

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they were delivered by lot (*par loot*) by the hands of the earl of Lincoln in chancery at Westminster, in the presence of Sir William de Grenefelde, chancellor, Sir Roger Brabazun, Sir Gilbert de Roubury, the escheator, and others of the council, one to Sir William and the other to John; which John would not sue out a writ to have his purparty; whereupon it was awarded that the party who should sue out a writ to have the purparty should have the purparty, and that the purparty of the party who would not sue out such a writ should remain in the king's hands until the party should sue out the writ. *French.* [*Parl. Writs.*]

Memorandum, that it was agreed between Alice, late the wife of John de Sancto Johanne, and John, her son, that she shall receive by the king's hands as dower the manors of Chauton and Walborton wholly discharged from liability for debts to merchants and others, rendering yearly to her son 25s. from the manor of Walborton, for her dower of the manors of Basing', Shereborn, Erde, Halmak[er], Berneham and Wodecot, which manors are extended by the king's escheator and are returned into chancery on the morrow of All Souls, 30 Edward; saving to her all actions of knights' fees and advowsons of churches pertaining to her and that are outside her petition for dower of the lands that had been given, demised or otherwise alienated by her said lord to any persons, and that are outside her dower of the lands in the northern parts that belonged to her husband of the king's gift.

MEMBRANE 2.

Nov. 10.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted to Robert son of Roger, for his good service to the king rendered and to be rendered, respite until Whitsuntide next and from then for a year following for all debts due to the exchequer, both the debts of his father and of himself, and that after the end of the respite the debts shall be attorned to him by the treasurer and barons at the king's pleasure; and order to cause him to have this respite and to have reasonable terms for payment, according to their discretion.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

To the same. Order to cause John de Sudleye to have respite until Whitsuntide next for all debts due to the exchequer.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

The like to the sheriffs of Gloucester and Worcester.

Nov. 15.
Westminster.

To Ralph de Sandwico, constable of the Tower of London. Order to cause Claius de Sancto Omero to be released from prison in the Tower, as the king, for 100s. paid by him into the wardrobe by the hands of John de Droknesford, keeper of the wardrobe, has pardoned him the trespass committed by him in taking sterlings out of the realm contrary to the ordinance made by the king and his council, for which trespass he was arrested at Sandwich and is imprisoned in the Tower.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

Nov. 12.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and chamberlains of the exchequer of Dublin. Order to pay to Nicholas de Bosco and Walter de Pederton, whom the king is sending to Ireland for the expedition of certain of his affairs, 20l. which the king has granted them towards their expenses in that service.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

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Westminster.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Order to cause Simon de Drayton, son and heir of John de Drayton, tenant in chief, to have seisin of the lands that his father held, as the king has taken his homage although he has not yet proved his age, because John Butteturte, to whom the king committed the wardship of the lands during Simon's minority, has rendered them to Simon as being of full age, as John has acknowledged before the king.

To Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator this side Trent. Whereas the king lately—upon its being found by an inquisition taken by the escheator that John de Munceaus held at his death nothing of the king in chief by reason whereof the wardship of his lands ought to pertain to the king, but that he held certain lands in Compton of the heir of William Walrand, a madman (*idiot*) in the king's wardship, by the service of 13s. 4d. yearly for all service, and John, his son, is his next heir and is of full age—the king took John's fealty for the lands in Compton and rendered them to him, and ordered the escheator to cause him to have seisin thereof, upon his finding security to answer to the king for his relief, and not to intermeddle further with the lands that John held of other lords than the king; and it appears to the king by inspection of the said inquisition that John the father held the manor of Esthurst, co. Sussex, of the earl of Brittany, and certain lands in Compton, co. Southampton, of Thomas de Warblynton; which lands John has entered by virtue of the order aforesaid: the king orders the escheator to deliver [to John] the issues received by him from the said manor and the lands in Compton from the time when they were taken into the king's hands.

Nov. 12.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Durham. Whereas the king, on 17 July last, committed by his letters patent to Robert de Clyfford the liberty of the bishopric of Durham, which was taken into the king's hands by consideration of his court, during the king's pleasure, and the king afterwards granted to him by other letters patent 200 marks yearly for his maintenance from the issues of the liberty for so long as he should have the custody: the king orders the sheriff to cause Robert to have from the issues of that liberty payment at this rate for the time during which he had the custody.

By K.

To the same. Like order to pay to William de Ormesby, whom the king, on the said day, appointed his justice to hold pleas in the aforesaid liberty [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 30 Edw. I, p. 43], at the rate of 60 marks yearly, which the king afterwards granted to him.

By K.

To the same. Like order to pay to Henry de Guldeford, king's clerk, to whom the king, on the said day, granted the custody of his seal for the said liberty [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 30 Edw. I, p. 44], at the rate of 40 marks yearly, which the king afterwards granted to him.

By K.

Nov. 11.
Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. As it appears to the king that Robert de Bello Campo did all the service in the king's army in Scotland in the 28th year of his reign for Cecily de Bello Campo, his mother, for the knights' fees that she holds of the king, the king orders the treasurer and barons to cause Cecily to be acquitted of all demands made upon her by summons of the exchequer for contributions, amercements, fines, concealments and other things whatsoever touching her by reason of the service aforesaid.

By K. on the information of J. de Buteturte.

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Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Order to cause Brother William, abbot of Leicester, to have again the palfrey and cup of Brother William, the late abbot, taken from him by Malcolm de Harlegh, escheator this side Trent, now deceased, for the king's use, and to permit him and his successors to be quit of doing such service to the king, as the said escheator, after the death of Brother William, the late abbot, took his palfrey and cup from the present abbot, asserting that the abbey is held of the king in chief by barony or by part of a barony, and the king, at the suit of the present abbot, who asserted that the abbey was not held of the king in chief by barony or part of a barony and who prayed the king to cause justice to be done to him, ordered the treasurer and barons to search the rolls of the exchequer as to whether or not the abbey is held of the king in chief by barony or any part of a barony, whereby the abbot and his successors should be bound to do such services to the king, and whether the abbot's predecessors were wont to do such service to the king or his progenitors, and they have signified to the king that they have searched the rolls and that it is not found in them that the abbot holds anything of the king by barony or by any part of a barony by reason whereof he should be bound to do the king such services, and that his predecessors were not wont to do such services to the king or his progenitors.

By C.

Nov. 13.
Westminster.

To Ralph de Sandwico, constable of the tower of London, and to the mayor of the city. Order to cause to be delivered to Master Bartholomew de Ferentino, king's clerk, and Philip Gerardini, merchant of the society of the Spini of Florence, of the king's gift, the ten tuns of oil that belonged to Giles de la Mote, merchant of Brugg[es], and that was arrested in the house of Walter Coksy in London as forfeited to the king by reason of the trespass committed by Giles in sending 85*l.* in sterlings out of the realm by Collard, his yeoman, contrary to the ordinance made by the king and his council.

By K.

Nov. 14.
Westminster.

To Ralph de Hengham. Whereas Margaret, late the wife of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, demands before Ralph and his fellows, justices of the Bench, by divers writs against divers men, tenants of the tenements that belonged to Edmund, her dower from the tenements, and the tenants have vouched the king, as Edmund's heir, to warranty against her, and they have answered before the justices that they cannot and ought not to answer in this matter without the king, for which reason the justices have stayed the pleas; and Margaret has besought the king by her petition in parliament before his council to cause justice to be done to her in this matter: the king, wishing to be certified of the names of the tenants aforesaid and of the tenements of which Margaret thus demands her dower, and in what towns they are, and how much she demands against each tenant, and also of the tenor of the charters that they have proffered before the justices whereby they assert that the king is bound to make the warranty aforesaid, orders Ralph to certify him concerning the premises and all other circumstances touching the said matter, together with his counsel and advice, and what he thinks ought to be done in the matter, sending a transcript of the charters and deeds aforesaid under his seal.

By C.

Nov. 15.
Westminster.

To John de Vienna, keeper of the king's park of Milchet. Order to cause William le Noble and Walter de Upton, viewers of the king's works in the manor of Clarendon, to have in that park sixty oaks fit for timber for shingles (*cindulis*) to roof the king's houses in that manor.

By K. on the information of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.

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Westminster.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Whereas Ralph de Monte Hermerii, earl of Gloucester and Hertford, asserts that he ought to receive yearly at the exchequer 20*l.* for the county of Gloucester and 30*l.* for the county of Hertford and 40*l.* 1*9s.* 5½*d.* for the barton (*bertona*) of Bristol, which sums Gilbert de Clare, late earl of Gloucester and Hertford, was wont to receive there: the king orders the treasurer and barons to appoint a day at the exchequer in Easter term next to make account with him concerning the premises, and after the account shall have been made, to cause allowance to be made to him in the debts due from him to the exchequer for what they shall find to be due to him, and to cause him to have respite for the debts due from him in the meantime.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

Nov. 15.
Westminster

To the sheriff of Gloucester. Order to cause the said Ralph to have respite for the debts due from him to the exchequer until Easter next.

By K. on the information of J. de Benstede.

The like to the sheriffs of Kent, Surrey, Sussex, Essex, Hertford, Norfolk, Suffolk, Cambridge, Huntingdon, Buckingham, Bedford, Oxford, Berks, Somerset, Dorset, Wilts, Worcester and Devon.

To Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent. Order to release the distraint levied upon Christina, late the wife of William de Kirkeby, for her fealty for the lands that William and she held jointly of the king on the day of William's death of her inheritance, as the king has taken her fealty.

Nov. 15.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to re-instate the abbot and convent of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, in possession of the church of Sellyng, and to permit them to enjoy possession, notwithstanding any previous order of the king's to the contrary, inhibiting all and singular from presuming to inflict violence upon the abbot and convent concerning their possession, as the abbot and convent have long held the church appropriated to their own uses, as appears by certain papal privileges concerning it exhibited by them before the king and his council, and they are molested and disturbed by pretext of a writ to amove a lay force from that church lately granted at the instance of R. archbishop of Canterbury concerning the possession of the church, contrary to the papal indults and the appeals to the pope, so that they are unable to enjoy the administration of the fruits and goods of the church, as they were wont to do.

By K.

[Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 932.]

MEMBRANE 1.

Enrolment of surrender by Ralph Pypard to the king of all his castles, towns, manors and lands in Ireland, with all appurtenances, knights' fees, advowsons of churches and of houses of religion, etc., together with the service of John Pypard, his son, and of Maud, his son's wife, for the manor of Clouncurry, which they held of him to them and the heirs of their bodies, with the reversion of the manor. Witnesses: W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield; John de Warennia, earl of Surrey; John de Britannia; Roger le Brabazon, justice of England; Walter de Bello Campo, steward of the king's household; John Buteturte; John de Droknesford; John de Benstede. Dated at Westminster, on Wednesday after Martinmas, 30 Edward.

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Enrolment of deed of the said Ralph appointing Walter Lenfaunt and Nicholas de Bosco, or one of them, with Gerald Tyrel, Ralph's steward of Ireland, or him who supplies his place, his attorneys to deliver seisin of the aforesaid castles, etc., to the king, together with all issues thereof from the date of the preceding grant. Dated at Westminster, 14 November, in the aforesaid year.

Enrolment of letters patent of the said Ralph to the said Gerald, or to him who supplies his place, ordering him to deliver to the king with the aforesaid attorneys seisin of the said castles, etc. Dated at Westminster, on Wednesday after Martinmas, 30 Edward.

Enrolment of letters patent of the said Ralph to Brother Robert de Sancto Johanne of Ardee (*de Atro* (sic) *Dei*), constable of his castles of Ardee and of Dovenaghmayn, or to him who supplies his place. Order to deliver the castles and appurtenances to the king. Dated as above.

The like to Richard de Bageputz, constable of the castle of Leixlip (*Saltus Salmonis*), or to him who supplies his place, for delivery of that castle.

Enrolment of letters patent of the said Ralph to all his men, knights and free tenants in Ireland, notifying them of the aforesaid grant to the king and ordering them to answer and be intendant to the king as their lord for their homages, fealties and all other services. Dated at Westminster, on Wednesday after Martinmas, 30 Edward.

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MEMBRANE 18d.

Nov. 4.
Linlithgow.

To the prior and convent of Rochester. Request that they will admit into their house Stephen Meu, who has long and faithfully served the king and whom the king is sending to them, and that they will grant to him for life the necessities of life in food and clothing according to the requirements of his estate.

Nov. 26.
Linlithgow.

To the bishop and to Master Bartholomew de Ferrentino, canon of London, or to either of them. As the king wishes to be certified for certain reasons as to the authority or power committed to them, as they allege, by the pope under colour whereof they collect or cause to be collected and levied the tenth of the temporalities of the prelates, clerks and men of religion of the realm, he orders the bishop by himself or by a fitting person suitably instructed and Master Bartholomew in his own person to be before the king's council at York in fifteen days from St. Hilary next with their power aforesaid, in order that, after due deliberation, there may be done in this matter what shall seem fitting. They are ordered to supersede entirely in the meantime the levying of the tenth, and to cause the levying thereof by their collectors or commissaries to be superseded entirely, releasing monitions and also any sums levied by them or their commissaries in this behalf.

To the abbot of Waltham and the dean of St. Paul's, London, collectors of the tenth granted in aid of the Holy Land. As the king wills for certain reasons that there shall be deliberation and treaty concerning the tenth before his council at York, he orders them to be before the council in fifteen days from St. Hilary, together with the authority or power for the collection and levying of the tenth committed to them by the pope, in order that, after due deliberation, there may be done in this matter what shall seem fitting in this behalf. They are ordered to supersede entirely the levying of the tenth, etc., as above.

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Dec. 2.
Linlithgow.

To the sheriff of Northampton. Order to put John de Ferrar[iis] by pledge and sureties to be before the king in the octaves of St. Hilary to show cause why, since pleas of lay fees in the realm pertain to the king and his crown and dignity and to no other, he has procured against his homage Thomas, earl of Lancaster, to answer in Court Christian concerning castles, towns, manors, lands, meadows, pastures, groves and other lay fees in the realm, and has presumed to prosecute a plea concerning them in the same court.

By C.

Dec. 10.
Linlithgow.

Walter de Bonevill, parson of the church of Weleby, acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Shirewode 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his land and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Cancelled on payment, received by William Brabazon by the hands of a clerk of the bishop of Lincoln for Robert's use.

Dec. 14.
Linlithgow.

Richard de Walsham acknowledges that he owes to John de Betevill 4 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Norfolk.

Dec. 13.
Linlithgow.

To John de Swynburn, Richard de Horsle, Nicholas Punchardun and Thomas de Clenhull. Order to supersede until otherwise ordered the choosing in co. Northumberland of 1,300 footmen, whom the king lately appointed them to choose and ordered to be brought to him at Lynliscu by Richard and Thomas, as he does not need these footmen at present.
[*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to Walter de Beysyn, Richard de Harlegh and John de Herauvill, appointed to choose 1,000 footmen in cos. Salop and Stafford.
[*Ibid.*]

The like to Richard Talebot, appointed to choose 500 footmen in co. Gloucester, and in the forest of Dene. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 13.
Linlithgow.

To John de Heslarton, Robert Ughtred and Simon de Kyme. Order to bring to the king at Lynliscu without delay a thousand of the eleven hundred footmen whom the king appointed them to choose in Blakeburnshire, Hallumshire, Pykering, Blakhou Moor (*Mora*), Richemundshire and Holdernes, co. York, superseding until otherwise ordered the choosing of the other hundred. [*Ibid.*]

To Thomas Malet. Order to bring to the king at Lynliscu two hundred footmen, the greater part armed with slings, of the four hundred whom the king appointed him to choose in co. Nottingham and the five hundred in co. Derby, and to supersede until otherwise ordered the choosing of the others. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 13.
Linlithgow.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause a regard to be made in the forest of Thomas, earl of Lancaster, at Pykering before the coming of the justices of the Forest, so that the regard shall be made before the Purification next.

[*Capitula.*]Dec. 17.
Linlithgow.

To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. Middlesex. The dean and chapter of St. Paul's, London, have complained to the king that the taxors and collectors caused the fifteenth to be levied and collected from the dean and chapter's own goods in their prebends, which they assert to be spiritualities, which is contrary to the form delivered to the collectors at the exchequer. As the king wishes to be fully certified in this matter, he orders the taxors and collectors to supersede entirely until three weeks from St. Hilary next the levying and collecting of the fifteenth from the said goods of the dean and chapter, so that there may then be done in this matter what the king shall cause to be ordained by his council.

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The like to the taxors and collectors in the following counties :

Essex, Hertford and Surrey.

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Lincoln, on behalf of Richard de Rothewell, prebendary of the prebend of Asgarby near Bolingbroke in St. Mary's, Lincoln.

Jan. 9.

Linlithgow.

Humphrey de Burton came before the king, on Tuesday after the Epiphany, and sought to replevy to Roger de Burton a messuage, a mill, three acres of land and an acre of meadow in Burton in Kendale, which were taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Walter de Stirkland. This is signified to the justices.

Jan. 12.

Linlithgow.

Nicholas le Flemeng of York came before the king, on Friday before St. Hilary, and sought to replevy to Robert de Wessington of Kerneford twenty-four messuages, 200 acres and $5\frac{1}{2}$ bovates of land, 5 acres of meadow, 14 acres of wood and two parts of a mill in Heveresham, which were taken into the king's hands for Robert's default before the justices of the Bench against Walter son of Elizabeth daughter of Ralph Daincurt. This is signified to the justices.

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Dec. 18.

Linlithgow.

To the master of the order of Friars Minors, the *diffinitores* and all the brethren about to assemble in their chapter-general at Genoa. Request for their prayers for the king, his consort and his children and for the prosperity of his realm. [*Fœdera.*]

Dec. 19.

Linlithgow.

John de Coppegrave acknowledges that he owes to John de Grantham, citizen of York, 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Michael Durant acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Cornubia, clerk, 20*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Devon.

Cancelled on payment.

Dec. 30.

Linlithgow.

Alice, late the wife of Adam de Everingham, acknowledges that she owes to Philip de Wylgheby, clerk, 50*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

John Maunsel of Brudeford acknowledges that he owes to John Rainer, citizen of York, 4*s.* 9*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

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Dec. 18.

Linlithgow.

To Lambert de Trikingham. The king sends to him enclosed in the presents a letter of credence (*quandam credenciam*) to be expounded by word of mouth by him and John de Insula to the knights, men and community of co. Lincoln on the king's behalf, and he orders him to go to Lincoln in person so that he may meet John there on Sunday the eve of the Circumcision, and to apply all diligence about the exposition and expedition of the matters contained in the letter of credence. The king has ordered the sheriff of that county to warn the principal taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in that county and also the knights and others of the county whom he shall deem fit to warn to be at Lincoln in person on the day of the Circumcision, upon which day the sheriff will hold his county [court] there, in order that they may hear and do what they shall be told by Lambert and John on the king's behalf. The king has ordered Philip de Kyme, Edmund Deyncourt and the taxors and collectors to be present at Lincoln in person on the said day to treat with Lambert concerning the matters contained in the letter of credence and to give their counsel and aid in such way as they shall be requested by Lambert and John. [*Parl. Writs.*]

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To the sheriff of Lincoln. Mandate in pursuance, and order to assist Lambert and John in this matter. [*Ibid.*]

To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. Lincoln. Order to be present in person at Lincoln on Monday the feast of the Circumcision in the morning to confer with Lambert and John in this matter, and to aid and counsel them therein. [*Ibid.*]

To Philip de Kyme. Request that he will be at Lincoln at the aforesaid time for the like purpose. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Edmund Deyneurt. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 18.
Linlithgow.

To John de Batesford. The king sends to him enclosed in the presents a letter of credence to be expounded by word of mouth by him and John de Kirkeby and John Randolf to the knights, men and communities of cos. Southampton, Surrey and Sussex on the king's behalf, and he orders him to apply all diligence about the exposition and expedition of the matters contained in the letters of credence. The king has ordered the sheriffs of those counties to cause to be assembled at certain days and places that John shall make known to them the principal taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in those counties and the knights, men and others of those counties whom they shall deem fit to be warned, in order that they may hear and do what they shall be told by John, John and John on the king's behalf. The king has ordered the taxors and collectors to aid and counsel John, John and John in the expedition of the matters aforesaid. [*Ibid.*]

The like for the following:

John Randolf, with John de Batesford and John de Kirkeby, for cos. Southampton, Surrey and Sussex.

John de Kirkeby, with John Randolf and John de Batesford, in the same counties.

Richard Talebot, with Nicholas Fermbaud, in co. Gloucester, and to Nicholas in like manner.

William Haward, with Hervey de Staunton, in cos. Cambridge and Huntingdon, and to Hervey in like manner.

Ralph de Shirle, with Master Richard de Havering, in cos. Nottingham and Derby, and to Richard in like manner.

Master Richard de Abyndon, with Walter de Gloucestr[ia], in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk, and to Walter in like manner.

Ralph de Sandwico, with Henry de Cobeham, in co. Kent, and to Henry in like manner.

John de Sandale, with William de Harpeden, in cos. Essex and Hertford, and to William in like manner.

Walter de Pavely, with John Gerberge, in cos. Somerset and Dorset, and John in like manner. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 18.
Linlithgow.

To the sheriff of Southampton. Mandate in pursuance, and order to assist John de Kirkeby, John de Batesford and John Randolf in this matter. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriffs of the counties mentioned above for the men there named. [*Ibid.*]

Dec. 18.
Linlithgow.

To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. Southampton. Order to aid and counsel the aforesaid John, John and John in the expedition of the matters aforesaid. [*Ibid.*]

The like [*mutatis mutandis*] to the taxors and collectors in the said counties. [*Ibid.*]

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To Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England. Request that he will aid and counsel Master Richard de Abyndon and Walter de Gloucestr[ia] in this matter in such way as they shall desire. [*Ibid.*]

To John de Thorp. Request that he will confer with Richard and Walter and counsel them in this matter. [*Ibid.*]

Enrolment of the form of the letters of credence (*la forme de la creance*) sent to John de Kirkeby, John de Batesford and John Randolf, to be explained to the knights and men of co. Southampton, setting forth the need of victuals for the maintenance of the king and his army in Scotland, and that last year divers counties in the north aided him with corn (*b[el]edz*) and other victuals, for which the king satisfied them, and that the men of those counties have nevertheless charged themselves with rendering as much or more aid to the king as they did last year, and that it is necessary for the king to have greater provision than he had last year, wherefore he prays the knights and men to advise and ordain how they can aid the king with 1,000 quarters of wheat, for which he will cause payment to be made to them at Midsummer out of the fifteenth of that county, for which he will cause his open letters to be made to the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth before any of the corn be taken or removed out of the county to make payment at the said term. *French.* [*Ibid.*]

The like in favour of the following:

The said John, John and John in cos. Surrey and Sussex, for 1,000 quarters of wheat and 500 quarters of oats.

Nicholas Fermbaud and Richard Talebot in co. Gloucester for 500 quarters of wheat.

Walter de Pavely and John Gerberd in cos. Somerset and Dorset, for 2,000 quarters of wheat.

Ralph de Sandwyz and Henry de Cobeham in co. Kent, for 500 quarters of wheat.

John de Sandale and William de Harpeden in cos. Essex and Hertford, for 500 quarters of wheat and 500 quarters of oats. [*Ibid.*]

Enrolment of the form of the letters of credence sent to those who are assigned in cos. Lincoln, Norfolk, Suffolk, Cambridge, Huntingdon, Nottingham and Derby, reminding the knights and men of those counties of how they granted to the king last year certain corn for his maintenance in Scotland, and that the king has willed that they shall be paid therefor out of the fifteenth in the respective counties, and stating that he is obliged to remain in Scotland, for which purpose he will need to have as great provision as he had last year or greater, and that as he cannot, owing to the great charges he is at, undertake to make payment for the provision of last year and for this without their aid; wherefore he prays that they will again aid him by granting that the payment that ought to be now made for the corn from the fifteenth shall be respited until Midsummer, to be paid then from the fifteenth, to which end he has sent his open letters to the taxors to make payment then. The king will pay for the corn that he has ordained to take or that he shall take in the respective counties readily to every one without making prise of corn by any of his ministers. If they wish that this payment shall be made now for the said corn of last year, they are desired to advise and ordain how the king may be best served with the corn that he needs now for his maintenance henceforth, and he will cause his open letters to be made to the taxors to make payment at Midsummer from the fifteenth. He prays

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them to consider which of the two ways will be most feasible (*fesable*) for his honour and for them and to the least grievance of his people. *French.* [*Ibid.*]

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Jan. 3.
Linlithgow.

To the bailiff of Knaresburgh. Order to choose a hundred footmen in his bailiwick and to conduct them to York, so that they shall be there well and suitably armed on Friday after the Epiphany to receive their wages, ready to set out thence with other footmen for Scotland in the king's service. [*Ibid.*]

MEMBRANE 16d.

Feb. 23.
Morpeth.

To John de Batesford, John de Kirkeby, clerk, and John Randolf. Whereas the king lately enjoined upon them certain affairs to be expounded by them to the knights, men and communities of co. Surrey, Sussex and Southampton, which affairs are not completed: the king, desiring their speedy completion, has caused Master Richard de Abyndon to be sent to them for the completion of the said affairs with them, ordering them to give credence to what Richard shall tell them on the king's behalf concerning these affairs, and to do and complete them with him. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to Walter de Pavilly and John Gereberge in cos. Somerset and Dorset. [*Ibid.*]

To the sheriff of Surrey and Sussex. Notification that the king has associated the said Richard with John, John and John for the affairs aforesaid, and order to give credence to them and to aid and counsel them. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriff of Southampton [*mutatis mutandis*]. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the sheriff of Somerset and Dorset. [*Ibid.*]

March 7.
Northallerton

Guy Ferre, the younger, acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Gorges 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

The abbot of Merevale (*de Mira Valle*) acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

Membrane 16d—Schedule.

Feb. 2.
Edinburgh.

To the mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Sandwich. The king, wishing to provide against the damages and perils that would accrue to them and the other barons of the Cinque Ports and the men of Yarmouth and to the entire realm from any disturbance amongst them, orders the mayor, barons and bailiffs to cause the peace made by the king between the barons of the Cinque Ports and the said men to be firmly observed throughout their bailiwick in the form contained in the king's award between them, and he prohibits them, under pain of forfeiture of life and limb and of all that they can forfeit, and through them he prohibits all and singular subjected to them from inflicting any damage or grievance upon the men of Yarmouth, or any of them, by land or by sea, in their goods or things, or from doing anything else whereby the king's peace might be infringed or disturbed. He has made the like prohibitions to the men of Yarmouth.

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The like to the following :

The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Dover.
 The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Faversham.
 The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of La Rye.
 The mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Wynchelese.
 The barons and bailiffs of the port of Romenhale.
 The barons and bailiffs of the port of Hethe.
 The barons and bailiffs of the port of Hastings.
 The barons and bailiffs of the port of Pevenese.

To Robert de Burgerssh, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to cause the peace aforesaid to be observed, and to prohibit all and singular those subjected to him, as above.

To the bailiffs and men of Yarmouth. Like order and prohibition to that sent to the Cinque Ports.

Feb. 9.
 Roxburgh.

To the abbot of Rievaulx. The king understands that the abbot of Cîteaux has sent specially certain proctors to the abbot to exact from him a quantity of money for his use, which exaction might be contrary to the king's ordinance against taking any silver out of the realm and might otherwise redound to the king's prejudice : he therefore orders the abbot of Rievaulx not to make any subsidy to the abbot of Cîteaux in money or other things by exchange whereof money might be considered to be taken out of the realm, under the name of any subvention, gift or loan or otherwise, without the king's special licence and assent.

The like to the following Cistercians :

The abbot of Waverle.
 The abbot of Jervaux.
 The abbot of Byland.
 The abbot of Fountains.
 The abbot of Furneys.
 The abbot of Newminster.
 The abbot of Kirkestall.
 The abbot of Bukfast.
 The abbot of Merivale.
 The abbot of Pipwell.
 The abbot of Dunkeswell.

Premonstratensians :

The abbot of St. Agatha's.
 The abbot of Eggleston.

Feb. 23.
 Morpeth.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland. As the king intends to proceed to the final conclusion of the war in Scotland at the end of the truce granted to the Scots, unless peace be re-established in the meantime, wherefore he wishes to be provided with ships (*naviculis*) to carry men and horses from Ireland to him in his expedition : he orders the justiciary to make inquisition how many ships and boats may be had in Ireland for this purpose, and what number of men and horses they can carry, as the king has enjoined upon him more fully by word of mouth, and to certify the king thereof in fifteen days from Midsummer.

Feb. 23.
 Morpeth.

To Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster. Request that he will give credence to what Geoffrey de Geynvill and John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, shall tell him and certain others of the king's subjects there by word of mouth on the king's behalf, as the king, intending to proceed vigorously with the prosecution of the war in Scotland after the end of the truce,

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has committed to Geoffrey and John and has caused to be enjoined upon them certain affairs that he has greatly at heart concerning this matter, and he requests Richard to complete those affairs. [*Fœdera; Parl. Writs.*]

The like to one hundred and eighty-one others. [*Ibid.*]

Feb. 23.
Morpeth.

To Geoffrey de Geynvill. Notification that the king has committed to him, with John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, by his letters patent power to treat and agree with Richard, earl of Ulster, the magnates and others of Ireland that they shall come to the king with horses and arms for the prosecution of the king's war in Scotland, as he may find in the letters patent and as the justiciary, to whom the king has opened his mind fully in this matter, will tell him, and request that he will attend to this with the justiciary, to whom he is to give credence concerning the premises and all and singular things concerning them. [*Ibid.*]

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• Jan. 13.
Linlithgow.

Elias le Espicer of York acknowledges that he owes to Walter le Sauvage 4*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Jan. 18.
Linlithgow.

Simon de Stutevill came before the king, on Wednesday after St. Hilary, and sought to replevy to Robert son of Eve and Maud, his wife, their land in Kirkeby in Lounesdale, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Roger son of Alice son of William. This is signified to the justices.

Jan. 22.
Linlithgow.

Stephen de Troia came before the king, on Monday the feast of St. Vincent, and sought to replevy to John de Huntelegh the latter's land in La Mersh, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Ela, late the wife of Thomas de Huntelegh. This is signified to the justices.

The said Stephen came in like manner, on the same day, and sought to replevy to John le Faukener the latter's land in Westmersh, which was taken into the king's hands for his default.

Assignment of dower to Margery, late the wife of Hamo de Gatton, made at Gatton, co. Surrey, before the escheator, on 8 January, 29 Edward.

There is assigned to her the manor of Gatton, which is extended at 14*l.* 11*s.* 3*d.* yearly, and 40*s.* yearly of land and rent to be received by the hands of Robert atte Mulle of Catteshull, in that county, who holds four acres of land and a water-mill there for life; and 10*s.* yearly to be received from the issues of the park of Gatton.

Jan. 20.
Linlithgow.

To Walter de Pavilly. As the king has appointed him with Thomas de Ralegh and John de Crokesle to make perambulation within the king's forest in co. Devon, he orders him to be at Exeter in person on the first Sunday of Lent, to proceed thence with the king's subjects aforesaid to make the perambulation. The king has ordered Thomas and John to be present in person then.

The like to Thomas and John.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest beyond Trent, or to him who supplies his place. Order to be present in person at certain days and places that Walter, Thomas and John shall make known to him to

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make the perambulation aforesaid, or to depute someone in his place, and to warn all foresters of fee and verderers of the said forest to be before Walter, Thomas and John at the said days and places to make the perambulation.

To the sheriff of Devon. Order [to cause to be] before Walter, Thomas and John at the said days and places knights and others of his bailiwick by whom the truth may be best known in the premises.

Jan. 21.
Linlithgow.

William le Waleys of Munketon acknowledges that he owes to John Rayner, citizen of York, 7*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Nicholas de Clyburn, parson of the church of Bruham, acknowledges that he owes to John de Hamelton 100*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Westmoreland.

Adam de Brom, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft, clerk, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

John de Melsa, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Sutton and William de Jafford, executors of the will of Master Thomas de Hedon, late canon of St. Peter's, York, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Jan. 28.
Linlithgow.

Richard son of Patrick le Brun and William de Dacre acknowledge that they owe to Adam de Crokedayk 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Cumberland.

Thomas le Latimer, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Nicholas de Gildeford 24 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Leicester and Northampton.

Jan. 20.
Linlithgow.

To Master Robert de Pikering. Order to be at London on the second Sunday of Lent to treat and give counsel upon certain arduous affairs touching the king and the estate of his crown that will be explained to him by John de Langeton, the chancellor, and to provide concerning them according to his industry and the inspection of his books, if need be, with other of the king's clerks whom the king has ordered to be called to that day and place. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to ten others. [*Ibid.*]

Jan. 28.
Linlithgow.

John de Wygeton, baron of Blachale, acknowledges that he owes to the prior of St. Mary's, Carlisle, 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cumberland.

John le Seculer acknowledges that he owes to Hugh de Bruges 4 marks 10*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hereford.

Cancelled on payment.

To the sheriff of Cornwall. Order to take with him twelve knights of the county and to go in person to the land of Hervey de Kellihellam, the younger, in Trenaswethen and the land of Richard de Mertherderwa in Polstronk, and to cause perambulations to be made by the knights between the lands, provided that it be made by certain metes and bounds, as Hervey and Richard have put themselves upon the perambulation

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before the king. The sheriff is ordered to signify to the king's justices at York on the morrow of Midsummer under his seal and the seals of four of the knights by what metes and boundaries the perambulation shall have been made.

Feb. 2.
Edinburgh.

Henry de Bosco, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, dean of St. Peter's, York, 40*l* ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Robert de Amcotes acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft 60 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. York and Lincoln.

Cancelled on payment.

Feb. 2.
Edinburgh.

Nicholas de Ashton and William de Sudington acknowledge that they owe to William le Herberger 40*s.* ; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Worcester.

Jan. 26.
Linlithgow.

To Edward, earl of Chester. Order to cause to be removed from the church of Thornton-on-the-Moor (*super Moram*), co. Chester, the lay force that keeps itself therein to prevent the vicar of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield from exercising his spiritual office there, and to maintain and protect Robert de Askeby in possession of his church aforesaid, as the king lately recovered his presentation to that church by consideration of his court against William de Venables and Katharine, his wife, and Peter son of Ranulph le Ruter, which church was then void and pertaining to his gift by reason of the minority of Peter, son and heir of the said Ranulph, and the king ordered W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the diocesan, to admit a fitting person to the church at the king's presentation notwithstanding the claim (*reclamacione*) of William, Katharine and Peter, and the vicar of the bishop (who was absent in remote parts), admitted Robert to the church at the king's presentation and instituted him rector in the same, and the said vicar has signified to the king that there is such lay force and resistance of rebels in the church that he cannot execute the duty of his office therein, and he has prayed the king to cause the force to be removed from the church. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 933.]

Feb. 9.
Roxburgh.

To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. York. Whereas the king appointed them to tax, levy and collect the fifteenth in that county from the temporal goods of all persons of that county in accordance with a form delivered to them in this behalf at the exchequer, and it was and is the king's intention that goods purely spiritual shall not be taxed by reason of the fifteenth, but that all goods of temporalities, as well of ecclesiastics as of seculars and of other persons of the realm, shall be taxed by reason of the fifteenth and that the fifteenth shall be levied and collected from them for the king's use, in accordance with the form aforesaid, which the king understands they have hitherto deferred doing, from which he has sustained no small loss and damage: the king orders them to levy and collect the fifteenth from the temporal goods in that county without delay, and not to omit this as they wish to avoid grievous damage. The king has ordered the sheriff and all his bailiffs of that county, as before, to aid and counsel them in the premises.

The like to the taxors and collectors in all the counties of England.

Feb. 20.
Wooller.

Master Hugh Sampson acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, dean of York, 60 marks ; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Rutland.

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*Membrane 16d—Schedule, dorse—cont.*Feb. 18.
Edinburgh.

Henry le Waleys, William de Standisse, William de Holcroft, Thomas le Waleys acknowledge that they owe to John son of Richard Maunsel of Heton 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Lancaster.

*Cancelled on payment.*MEMBRANE 15*d.*March 5.
Darlington.

To B[oniface], the pope. The king before St. Andrews last past caused William, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, Amadeus, count of Savoy, Otto de Grandissono, knight, and Master Gerard de Wyppeyns, archdeacon of Richmond, to be sent to the pope, appointing them his proctors and special envoys to hear the completion and confirmation of the pronouncement and re-establishment of peace in the matter of the joint-promise (*compromissi*) made in the pope by the king and the king of France. Although the king has requested the count and knight, who have special knowledge of the king's right and of the state of the matter and who were the king's envoys and proctors in this matter upon another occasion, as the pope is aware, by special letters and envoys to undertake the work of coming to the pope's presence, they have excused themselves from doing so by reason of certain notable causes and reasons, as has but recently come to the king's hearing, by which news he is greatly perturbed. In order that the pope's final pronouncement in this matter may not be hindered or delayed in any way by reason of the absence of the count and knight, the king has granted power to the bishop and Gerard by other letters patent to hear for him and in his name the pope's pronouncement concerning those things that remain to be pronounced between him and the king of France by the pope by virtue of the joint-promise aforesaid.

April 5.
Balsham.

Gerard de Braybrok, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Estdene, parson of the church of Leverington, 100*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Buckingham.

April 9.
St. Albans.

Master John de Verney acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Stafford.

John Sleeve of Cump-ton near Eneford, Philip Serle of Cump-ton and Alexander Bertelmeu of Cump-ton acknowledge that they owe to William de Estden 14 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Wilts.

April 24.
Devises.

John son of Thomas, Theobald son of Theobald de Verdun and Alan son of William son of Warin acknowledge that they owe to Gerard de Orum 105*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in Ireland and in cos. Stafford, Northampton and Oxford.

Thomas de Chaucombe acknowledges that he owes to Thomas, bishop of Exeter, Hugh, abbot of Hayles, William de Bereford and Walter de Aylesbur[y], executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Wilts.

Note of payment of 20 marks.

Memorandum, that this recognisance was made to the executors for the king in part payment of a debt due from him to the earl.

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April 28.
Devises.*Membrane 15d—cont.*

Peter de Langele came before the king, on Friday after St. Mark, and sought to replevy to Thomas de Machchingg two parts of a messuage and of 120 acres of land and of five acres of meadow, which were taken into the king's hands for his default in the court of High Estre before the bailiffs of Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex, against Ralph le Biged and Ellen, his wife. This is signified to the bailiffs.

John de Haldenby acknowledges that he owes to John de Boudon and Edmund de Watford 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Leicester.

MEMBRANE 14d.

Enrolment of grant by Roger le Bygod, earl of Norfolk and marshal of England, to the king of all the castles, towns, manors and lands that he holds in fee in England and Wales, except the manors of Seterington, Wylton, Thornton and Levesham, with the advowsons of churches and all other appurtenances, in co. York, and except the manors of Acle and Castre, with the advowson of the church of Geldeston, co. Norfolk. Witnesses: John de Langeton, archdeacon of Canterbury and the chancellor; Roger le Brabazon, justice; John de Drokenesford, keeper of the king's wardrobe; John le Bygod; William de Ormesby, justice; William de Carleton, baron of the exchequer; Walter de Gloucest[ria], escheator this side Trent; Hugh Wak; John Filliol; Robert de Bardelby, clerk. Dated in St. John's abbey, Colchester, 12 April, 30 Edward.

Enrolment of grant by the said earl to the king of all his castles, towns, manors and lands that he holds in fee in Ireland. Dated as above.

Enrolment of grant by the said earl to the king of all his goods and chattels in his aforesaid castles, towns, manors and lands in England and Wales, with the exceptions aforesaid.

Enrolment of grant by the said earl to the king of all the goods and chattels in his said castles, etc. in Ireland.

Enrolment of letters of the said earl to John le Parker, appointing him to deliver seisin of the earl's castles, etc. in co. Essex to the king or to Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent, with all the goods and chattels therein. He has ordered all his tenants in that county to answer to the king as their lord.

The like to Peter de Badingham to deliver seisin of the earl's castles, etc. in co. Bedford, with all the goods and chattels therein.

The like to Elias de Albarton to deliver seisin of the castle of Struguyll and the earl's lands in those parts, with the goods and chattels.

Enrolment of letters of the said earl to John de Ersham and Richard de Stratford, appointing them to deliver seisin of the earl's castles, etc. in co. Norfolk, with the goods, etc. to the king or to the said Walter.

The like to Robert de Reydon and Gilbert Pakehard for co. Suffolk and Essex.

Enrolment of letter of the earl to his tenants in co. Suffolk, ordering them to answer to the king as their lord.

The like to his tenants in cos. Norfolk, Essex, Cambridge and Berks, and in the parts of Struguyll.

Enrolment of letters patent (*overtes*) of the said earl, witnessing that whereas the king has granted to him the castles of Bristol (*Bristeud*) and Nottingham for life, he promises and grants that he will render to the

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king the castles with the king's letters patent (*overtes*) granting them to him as soon as it shall please the king to enfeof him, in accordance with the agreement (*paroles*) between them, of the castles, towns, manors and lands that the king has of the earl's gift. Dated at Colchester, 13 April, 30 Edward.

Enrolment of surrender by the said earl to the king of all the right, honour and dominion that he had under the name of earl in co. Norfolk and also the marshalsea of England. Witnesses: John de Langeton, archdeacon of Canterbury, the chancellor; Sir Roger le Brabazon, justice; John de Drogenesford, keeper of the wardrobe; John le Bygod; William de Ormesby, justice; William de Carleton, baron of the exchequer; Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent; Hugh Wak; John Filliol; Robert de Bardelby, clerk. Dated in St. John's abbey, Colchester, 12 April, 30 Edward.—*Duplicatur*. [*Fædera*.]

Enrolment of surrender by the said earl to the king of the castles of Bristol and Nottingham, which he had of the king's grant for life. Dated at Fulham, 15 May, 30 Edward.—*Duplicatur*.

May 1.
Devises.

Master John de Dovorr[ia], parson of the church of Litlington near Woburn, acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 6*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Bedford.

Cancelled on payment.

MEMBRANE 13*d.*

May 1.
Devises.

John Paynel acknowledges that he owes to Richard de Croupes 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Warwick and Sussex.

May 14.
Guildford.

William le Prude came before the king, on Monday before St. Dunstan, and sought to replevy his land in Newcastle-under-Lyme (*subtus Lymam*), which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Richard son of Thomas de Chaderleye. This is signified to the justices.

May 15.
Guildford.

Giles de Fishacre came before the king, on Tuesday before St. Dunstan, and sought to replevy his and his wife Isabel's land in Ridmor, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Roger le Jeu and Thomasia, his wife. This is signified to the justices.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Order to supersede making citations before him of Robert de Burghersh, constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque Ports, and certain others of the king's ministers in garrison at that castle because they have arrested the abbot of Faversham, who was adjudged to prison in that castle for certain trespasses committed by him to the damage of the king's crown and dignity by consideration of the king's court of Shipweye, which is the king's great court of the said ports, and to cause to be revoked the sentence of excommunication that he has caused to be fulminated against them, so that it may not behove the king to apply his hand in this matter in any other way, as according to the custom of the realm and by reason of the king's royal right his ministers or bailiffs ought not to be cited before any ordinaries or ecclesiastical judges for anything that they have done by reason of their office and by consideration of the king's court, and ought not to be drawn into pleas in court Christian in any way. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, p. 916.]

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*Membrane 13d—cont.*May 24.
Westminster.

Ralph son of John son of Peter acknowledges that he owes to William de Hedirsete 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. (*sic*) London and Middlesex.

June 2.
Grays
Thurrock.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Summons to attend a parliament to be holden at Westminster in the octaves of Midsummer next. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to sixteen bishops, forty-three abbots, the master of the order of Sempingham, the master of the military order of the Temple in England, and the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England. [*Ibid.*]

To Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury. Summons to attend the aforesaid parliament, or to send a suitable proctor thither with sufficient power. [*Ibid.*]

June 2.
Grays
Thurrock.

To Edward, prince of Wales and earl of Chester. Summons to attend the said parliament. [*Ibid.*]

The like to nine earls and eighty-two others. [*Ibid.*]

To Roger le Brabazon. Summons to attend the said parliament, as the king wishes to have colloquy and treaty with him and others of his council. [*Ibid.*]

The like to thirty-three others. [*Ibid.*]

June 13.
Chartham.

Richard de Eston came before the king, on Wednesday after Whitsuntide, and sought to replevy to Simon de Cotesbrok and Alice, his wife, their land, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Emma, late the wife of Simon Wysman. This is signified to the justices.

June 12.
Chartham.

Stephen de Chelesfeld came before the king, on Tuesday the morrow of St. Barnabas, and sought to replevy 40s. yearly of rent, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Gunnora de Valoniis. This is signified to the justices.

June 13.
Chartham.

To the sheriff of Warwick. Order to cause proclamation to be made throughout his bailiwick and especially at Warwick on Trinity Sunday and on the Wednesday following prohibiting on the king's behalf any knight, esquire or any other person from tourneying, tilting (*bordeare*), making jousts, seeking adventures or presuming to go armed in any other way, as the king wills that no tournaments, tiltings or jousts shall be made by any persons of his realm until the parliament, which he has caused to be summoned at Westminster in the octaves of Midsummer, shall be ended. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriff of York to cause proclamations to be made throughout his bailiwick and at Doncastre. [*Ibid.*]

MEMBRANE 12d.

June 15.
Canterbury.

To John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and to the treasurer and barons of the exchequer of Dublin. Whereas the king lately ordered them to cause to be bought and provided in Ireland, in addition to the victuals that he previously ordered to be provided by them, 2,000 quarters of wheat, 2,000 quarters of oats, 1,000 quarters of malt and 100 tuns of wine, and to send them to Newcastle-on-Are, there to be delivered to the keeper of the king's stores, so that they should be at that place in the

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quinzaine of Midsummer next: the king, because he has the speedy expediting of the premises specially at heart, again orders them to cause the premises to be provided and carried with all speed, in accordance with the king's order aforesaid. They are enjoined not to omit this as they love the king and his honour and the advantage of his realm and as they would wish to avoid his wrath.

To the sheriff of York. Like order concerning 1,000 quarters of wheat, whereof half shall be ground and placed in barrels, 2,000 quarters of oats, and 500 quarters of malt, which the king lately ordered him to cause to be bought and provided, in addition to the victuals that he previously ordered to be provided, and to cause two parts thereof to be carried to Edeneburgh castle and the third part to Berwick-on-Tweed, there to be delivered to the receivers of the king's stock.

The like to the following :

The sheriff of Lincoln for 1,000 quarters of wheat, half of it to be ground, 500 quarters of oats and 1,000 quarters of malt.

The sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk for 1,000 quarters of wheat, 1,000 quarters of oats and 1,000 quarters of malt.

The sheriff of Cambridge and Huntingdon for 500 quarters of wheat, 500 quarters of oats and 500 quarters of malt.

The sheriff of Nottingham and Derby for 500 quarters of wheat and 1,000 quarters of oats.

The sheriff of Essex for 1,000 quarters of oats.

The sheriff of Sussex for 1,000 quarters of oats.

The sheriff of Berks for 500 quarters of oats, without clause 'in addition to,' etc.

The sheriff of Middlesex for 500 quarters of oats, without the clause 'in addition to,' etc.

June 13.
Chartham.

To M. cardinal deacon of St. Mary Nova in Porticu. The king is sending to the pope Master Peter de Dene, canon of London, and Roger called 'le Sauvage,' knight, upon certain matters that the king has much at heart, and he requests the cardinal to give credence to Brother W. de Geynesburgh, of the order of Minors, who is staying in the Roman court, whom the king has joined to the said envoys, and also to the said envoys in the things that concern the said affairs that they shall cause to be explained to the cardinal on the king's behalf by word of mouth, and that he will further the said things with the pope whenever suitable and when required to do so by the envoys.

The like to the following :

Sir L. cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Via Lata.

Sir P. cardinal deacon of St. Mary Nova.

Sir. W. cardinal deacon of St. Nicholas in Carcere Tulliano.

Sir Francis, cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Cosmedyn.

Sir J. cardinal priest of SS. Marcellinus and Peter.

Sir G. cardinal priest of St. Martin in Montibus

June 19.
Womenswold
(Wymeling-
weld).

William Palefreyman came before the king, on Tuesday after Holy Trinity, and sought to replevy to John Swayn of Newcastle-on-Tyne and Amicia, his wife, their land in Neuton-on-the-Moor (*super Moram*), which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Idonia, late the wife of Gilbert de Edelingham, Robert de Due and Flora, his wife. This is signified to the justices.

The said William came before the king, on the said day, and sought to replevy the land of John de Novo Castro super Tynam and Amicia, his wife, as above.

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*Membrane 12d—cont.*June 24.
Canterbury.

William de Colecestre, chaplain, Nicholas Sparuwe of Stone and Godard de Chatham of Stone acknowledge that they owe to John de Langeton, archdeacon of Canterbury, 54 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Adam de Boxle, chaplain, Nicholas de Lille and William de Heghstede acknowledge that they owe to the said John 57 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Robert atte Hacob' (*Hacombe* ?) of Dodyngton, Henry de Dodyton and Adam atte Hoke of Lyndestede acknowledge that they owe to the said John 42*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Cancelled on payment.

Walter Scrig, John de Feringg and Robert de Froggenhale acknowledge that they owe to the said John 80*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Memorandum, that John Portejoie, serjeant of the rolls of chancery, died at Canterbury on Sunday the feast of the Holy Trinity, 30 Edward, and on the Tuesday following his body was buried in the churchyard of St. Gregory; and on the same day Richard Wade, one of the yeomen of Roger le Brabanzon, the king's justice, was admitted to the office by John de Langeton, then chancellor, and Adam de Osgodby, keeper of the said rolls, and on the Wednesday following at Hakynton, near Canterbury, Richard took oath in the presence of the chancellor and keeper to execute faithfully what pertains to the office.

June 25.
Canterbury.

Henry de Manecestre came before the king, on Tuesday after Midsummer, and sought to replevy to Simon de Manecestre and Mary, his wife, their land in the suburb of Oxford, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Geoffrey de Stokewell. This is signified to the justices.

July 4.
Westminster.

Thomas Fillol, knight, acknowledges that he owes to John de Borham, clerk, 4 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Nicholas de Wodemancote acknowledges that he owes to Robert son of Godfrey de Bunefeld 50 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Berks.

Cancelled on payment.

John son of Richard de Holebrok acknowledges that he owes to Nicholas de Wokynden 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Suffolk.

Hugh de Nevill acknowledges that he owes to Brachius Gerardi and his fellows, merchants of the Pulchi (*Pullicum*) and Rembertini of Florence, 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

*Cancelled on payment.*July 6.
Westminster

William de Hanigfeld, knight, and Adam de Waldyngfeld, clerk, acknowledge that they owe to Hervey de Staunton, Robert de Ereswell, Ralph de Torny, Robert de Northwolde and Robert de Walsham, executors of the will of John, late abbot of St. Edmund's, 30 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Suffolk and Essex.

Cancelled on payment.

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Membrane 12d—cont.

John de la Marche of Benhale acknowledges that he owes to Roger de la Marche 17 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

The prior of St. Frideswide's, Oxford, acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 80 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

Thomas de Coudray acknowledges that he owes to William de la Sale of Kyngeston, Robert de la Brok, Richard de Shirefeld and Thomas Rylyng, executors of the will of Richard de Merton, 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Southampton and Oxford.

Roger de Kokyngton, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Henry de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, 50 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Devon.

June 11.
Westminster.

John Buteturte acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Veer, earl of Oxford, 62*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Essex, Buckingham and Bedford.

William son of Walter le Plumer and Nicholas, his brother, acknowledge that they owe to Walter Doget 18*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Buckingham.

Robert le Venur, parson of the church of Dovelish, and John Baret acknowledge that they owe to John le Convers 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Somerset.

John Randolf acknowledges that he owes to Adam de Skelton and Margery, his wife, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

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June 11.
Westminster.

Adam Fosse of Luton, merchant, acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 140*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Bedford.

Roger de Bavent acknowledges that he owes to William de Melksope 8*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Suffolk.

William de Waudena acknowledges that he owes to Brachius Gerardi and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Pulci (*Pullicum*) and Rembertini of Florence, 35 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

John de Clavinging acknowledges that he owes to Master Robert de Vanna and his fellows, executors of the will of Matthew de Columbar[iis], 86*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

John Randolf, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Geoffrey de Stokes, clerk, 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

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Westminster.

Walter de Huntercumbe, Robert de Hastings, Geoffrey de Saham, Adam Golston, Walter de Hodyng and Nicholas le Harpur of Mapelderstede acknowledge that they owe to Rothericus de Ispannia 43*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Northumberland, Cambridge and Essex.

July 11.
Westminster.

Thomas de Chaucumbe, William Wyppe and Peter Wyppe came before the king, on Wednesday after the Translation of St. Thomas, and sought to replevy their land in Bereford, which was taken into the king's hands for their default before the justices of the Bench against Maude, late the wife of Laurence Chaunterel. This is signified to the justices.

Robert Pylet acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, dean of York, 12*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Martin de Grymeston, one of the executors of William's will.

Robert Bard, Thomas Cosyn and Robert Pylet acknowledge that they owe to the said William 100 quarters of wheat, price 4*s.* a quarter; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

Robert Barthelmeu of La Bernet acknowledges that he owes to John de Essex[ia] and Nicholas Horn 40*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hertford.

Nicholas de Wokyndon and John de Northwode acknowledge that they owe to William de Hamelton, dean of York, 60*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Kent and Essex.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Martin de Grymeston, executor of William's will.

The said Nicholas and John acknowledge that they owe to William 39*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.*; to be levied as above.

Cancelled as above.

July 12.
Westminster.

To Thomas, bishop of Exeter, and to his official. Inhibition of his doing anything that may in anywise prejudice the king or his free chapel of St. Buryan (*Beriane*) in Cornwall, as the church of St. Buryan ought to be the king's free chapel and has been the free chapel of his ancestors and progenitors, kings of England, from old time, and ought to be wholly exempt, with the prebends annexed to it, from all ordinary jurisdiction, and the chapel has now newly reverted to the crown as to its founder (*naturam*). The bishop is ordered to conduct himself so in the premises that the king may not have to apply another remedy. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 933.]

The like to the archdeacon of Penwyth in Cornwall and to his official. [*Ibid.*]

July 15.
Westminster.

Henry de Harcourt acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Stafford.

Warin Oweyn acknowledges that he owes to Master John de Kenle 60*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels.

July 18.
Westminster.

Adam de Kyngeshemede acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Harewedon, clerk, 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Hereford, Salop and Buckingham.

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Thomas Inge, parson of the church of Goringge, diocese of Chichester, acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Gloucestr[ia], knight, 35 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Sussex.

The prior of Wenlok acknowledges that he owes to Walter Hert and Roesia, his wife, 20 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Salop.

Peter de Abyton, parson of the church of Saham, acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cambridge.

July 15.
Westminster.

To Walter de Pavely. Whereas the king lately appointed him and Thomas de Ralegh and John de Crokesle to convoke in their presence the justice of the Forest this side Trent, or him whom the justice should depute, and all the foresters of fee and verderers of the forest in co. Devon, and to make a right perambulation in the forest by the oath of knights and others of that county, in accordance with the late king's charter of the Forest, saving always the king's oath, the right of his crown, and his proofs (*rationibus*) and challenges, as contained in the king's letters patent to them [*Calendar of Patent Rolls*, 30 Edw. I, p. 8]; and the perambulation has not yet been made, at which the king is surprised: he orders Walter to be at Exeter in person on Thursday the morrow of the Decollation of St. John the Baptist, ready to set out thence with Thomas and John to make the perambulation aforesaid.

The like to Thomas and John.

To Hugh le Despenser, justice of the Forest this side Trent. Order to be present at the said perambulation or to depute someone in his place for that purpose.

July 16.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause proclamation to be made throughout his bailiwick prohibiting any knight, esquire or any other person from tourneying, tilting (*burdeare*), making jousts, seeking adventures or otherwise going armed without the king's special licence, and to cause to be arrested the horses and armour of any persons found thus going with arms after the proclamation, as the king wills that no tournaments, tiltings or jousts shall be made by any persons of his realm without his special licence.

The like to all the sheriffs throughout England.

Memorandum, that a certain inquisition taken by John de Havering and William de Mortuo Mari at the prosecution of Roger de Mortuo Mari concerning a third of the towns of Haverford and St. Clere was delivered to John at London on 17 July, in order to be carried to the councillors of the prince of Wales.

July 20.
Westminster.

John de Clavering acknowledges that he owes to Getuche Honest and his fellows, merchants of Lucca, 22*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

Herbert de Saltfleteby acknowledges that he owes to John de Lyndeseye 12 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Hugh Gubyon acknowledges that he owes to the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England 19*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northumberland.

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Roger son of Nicholas le Gras acknowledges that he owes to Richard le Gras 15 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

July 20.
Westminster.

William, abbot of Radinges, acknowledges that he owes to Thomas de Weyland, clerk, 60 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Oxford, Berks and Bedford.

Cancelled on payment.

John de Everesle, chaplain, acknowledges that he owes to William de Eston, clerk, 28 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Robert son of Roger acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Langeton, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, 36*l.* 18*s.* 7*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk.

John de Suleye acknowledges that he owes to Matthew de Araz of London 34*l.* 14*s.* 2*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

James Brabanzonis, merchant of the society of the Bonseignori of Siena (*Sene*), acknowledges, for himself and his fellows of that society, that he owes to John de la Doline, clerk, 21*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in London.

July 20.
Westminster.

John de Boltesham came before the king, on Friday the feast of St. Margaret, and sought to replevy his land in Plumpton near Wedon Pynkeny, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against John de Noneneys. This is signified to the justices.

Thomas Danvers, knight, acknowledges that he owes to William de Grandisono 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Berks.

Simon de Bremelhangre acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bello Campo 180 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Bedford.

Gilbert de Buterdon acknowledges that he owes to Master Ralph de Odyham 26*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Cornwall.

MEMBRANE 10d.

Enrolment of deed of Richard de Welles, knight, witnessing that whereas he lately granted to Richard le Breton of Little Abyton and Joan, his wife, all his manor in the town of Pampesworth, co. Cambridge, with all the lands and the homages of the free men and their services, and the villeins with their villein-tenements (*villenagiis*), rents, escheats, etc. and all other appurtenances whatsoever of the manor in the said town and Wytlesford, with nothing held back except the advowson of the church of Pampesworthe, to have to them for the term of Joan's life, rendering therefor to Richard 10 marks yearly, and that if Joan died before the end of ten years from the date of the grant, the manor should remain to her heirs and assigns until the end of that term: Richard hereby quit-claims to Joan for her life or until the end of the said ten

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years, if she die before then, his right and claim in the said 10 marks yearly, on condition that she render to him a rose at Midsummer in place of the said 10 marks. Witnesses: Sir Guy Ferre, Sir William Inge, Sir Robert de Todenham, Sir Henry son of Aucher, and Sir John de Aubernoun, knights; Roger son of John de Abyton Magna, Robert Cristien de Abyton Parva, John de Hamelyn of Badburgham, Richard de Bassingburne of Abyton Magna, William le Bostlere of Hildresham, John Martin of Pampesworthe, Hugh de Hengiston, of the same, Roger Coleman of Abyton Parva. Dated at London, 23 July, 30 Edward.

Memorandum, that Richard de Welles came into chancery at Westminster, on 23 July, and acknowledged the deed aforesaid.

July 21.
Westminster.

John de Segrave acknowledges that he owes to Hugh, abbot of Hayles, William de Bereford and Walter de Aylesbury, executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, 800*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hereford, Salop and Stafford.

Memorandum, that afterwards upon the auditing of the account of the executors of the wardships, wards and marriages assigned to them by the king in satisfaction of the debts due to the earl and to them from him, it was found that the executors received thence the amount of the debts aforesaid, for which reason this recognisance ought to remain to the king entirely.

William Milksop, John de Hamme, knight, and John Moigne acknowledge that they owe to the said executors 500 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Hertford, Cambridge and Surrey.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by Walter de Aylesbury, one of the executors.

July 26.
Westminster.

John de Havering, knight, and Master Richard de Havering, his son, acknowledge that they owe to Ralph de Hegnham (*sic*), clerk, 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Hereford, Essex and Stafford.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by John de Hengham, one of the executors of Ralph's will.

Henry son of William de Dunelm[ia] acknowledges that he owes to Adam de Nedham and Luke, his son, 59*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Hertford and London.

Thomas de Orfevre of Stanes, William Gregory and William le Taverner of Stanes acknowledge that they owe to Walter, abbot of Westminster, 44*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

July 24.
Westminster.

Master John de Eleham, Master Edmund de Nywenton, Robert de Selynge, parson of the church of Acrise, Thomas Dygge, William de Everle, Stephen de la Berne, John de la Dane and Robert de Breche acknowledge that they owe to the warden and scholars of the house of the Scholars of Merton in Oxford 480*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

July 29.
Westminster.

Emma, late the wife of Geoffrey de Langeleye, acknowledges that she owes to Richard le Chamberleyn 5 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Warwick.

July 31.
Westminster.

Adam de Yaveshore came before the king, on Tuesday the feast of St. German, and sought to replevy the land of Richard de Baskervill in Erdesleye, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Robert de Clifford. This is signified to the justices.

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*Membrane 10d--cont.*July 30.
Westminster.

To the abbot and convent of Bardeneye. Request that they will admit to their house Gilbert del Bed, the king's serjeant, who has long and faithfully served the king, and whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing in accordance with the requirements of his estate. By pet. of C.

Thomas de Verdun, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, dean of York, 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

July 30.
Westminster.

John de Praers, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Hengham, clerk, 86 marks 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

*Note of payment of 17 marks.*July 31.
Westminster.

Robert le Lord of Stormurth and Richard de Stormurth acknowledge that they owe to John de Langeton, archdeacon of Canterbury, 100*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Leicester.

To the justices of the Bench. Notification that Robert de Bardelby, was in the king's service by his order on Monday the morrow of the octave of Midsummer last, so that he could not be present at the assize of mort d'ancestor that Roger de Saham—— [Incomplete.]

*[Imperfectly erased.]*Aug. 7.
Westminster.

Henry de Middleton acknowledges that he owes to John de Cumpton 100*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Surrey.

John de la Rivere and Walter Gacelyn acknowledge that they owe to Hugh, abbot of Hales, William de Bereford and Walter de Aylesbury, executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, 160*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Dorset and Somerset.

*Note of payment of 20*l.*, acknowledged by Walter de Aylesbury.*

Robert de Frekebergh acknowledges that he owes to Hubert de Brunford 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

July 28.
Westminster.

Memorandum, that a day is given to John la Warr, kinsman and co-heir of John de Tregoz, tenant in chief, and William de Grandisono, who married Sibyl, the daughter and other heir of John, on the morrow of Michaelmas for the partition of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to John. And as Sibyl is not present, she shall come on that day in her own person or by her attorney to make the partition.

MEMBRANE 9*d.*Aug. 5.
Westminster.

To Otto de Grandiso[no], keeper of the islands of Gerneseye and Gernereye. Order to be before the king and his council at London in the quinzaine of Michaelmas next, to answer to certain men of the islands, who have complained before the king and his council that he has inflicted upon them divers wrongs, damages and grievances, and to do and receive further what shall be just in this behalf. The king has given the same day to the men,

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To the same. Order to cause Henry, prior of Wenlok, Henry de Cobeham and William de Ousington, lately supplying the warden's place in the islands, to be before the king and his council at his parliament at the said day, to answer to certain men of the islands, who have complained before the king and his council of wrongs, damages and grievances inflicted upon them by Henry, Henry and William.

The like to Otto for John de Newent, bailiff of the islands.

Aug. 8.
Westminster.

To the abbot and convent of St. Benedict Hulm (*de Hulmo*). Request that they will admit into their house John de Wyndesor, who has long and faithfully served the king and who is now so broken by age that he is unable to serve longer, and that they will find him for life food and clothing and the other necessities of life in accordance with the requirements of his estate.

Aug. 10.
Westminster.

Master Thomas Cantok and Roger, his brother, clerks, acknowledge that they owe to Master James de Ispannia 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Gloucester and Dorset.

Enrolment of deed of James de Ispannia, witnessing that Master Thomas Cantok has satisfied him in full for all the time when he held James's prebend of Lusk in Ireland at ferm or otherwise, except 40 marks, which he acknowledged in chancery that he owed to James. Dated at London, on Sunday after St. Peter ad Vincula, 30 Edward.

Memorandum, that James came into chancery, on 9 August, and acknowledged the debt aforesaid.

Aug. 10.
Westminster.

Ralph son of John son of Peter de London[ia] acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 9 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

Aymer de Valencia acknowledges that he owes to Walter de Langeton, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, 300 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Oxford and Berks.

Cancelled on payment, made by the hands of Coppe Cotenne.

Aug. 8.
Westminster.

John Porter of Wynchecombe came before the king, on Saturday after St. Laurence last, and sought to replevy to Master William de Chirinton the latter's land in Chirinton, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Thomas son of William le Muner of Chirinton. This is signified to the justices.

July 24.
Westminster.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Summons to attend in person the parliament to be held at London at Michaelmas, laying aside all other matters, it having been ordained in the present parliament at London that another shall be holden at Michaelmas. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to fifteen bishops, forty-four abbots, the master of the military order of the Temple in England, the master of the order of Sempingham, the prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England. [*Ibid.*]

To Thomas, archbishop of York. Summons to attend the said parliament, or to send a suitable proctor with sufficient power. [*Ibid.*]

To Edward, prince of Wales and earl of Chester. Summons to attend the said parliament. [*Ibid.*]

The like to nine earls and eighty-two others. [*Ibid.*]

July 16.
Westminster.

To the barons, men and whole community of the Cinque Ports. Order to send to the king at Westminster at Michaelmas next three or four of the most upright and discreet men of each of the said

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+ ports, having full power for all the community of the ports in the matter of the disputes between them and the men of Yarmouth concerning which both parties have submitted themselves to the king's will, as the king intends to have in the parliament to be holden at Westminster at Michaelmas treaty concerning these disputes and to put an end to them, in order that the said men may hear the king's award (*dictum*) and will in this behalf and may do and receive further what he shall cause to be ordained by his council in this behalf. It is provided that the men shall have such and sufficient power that the matter may not remain unfinished for lack of such power. The king prohibits them, under pain of forfeiture of life and limbs and of all that they can forfeit, or any of those subject to them from inflicting any damage or grievance upon the men of Yarmouth or any of them by land or by sea, in their persons or goods, or doing aught else whereby his peace may be broken or disturbed, placing such mariners in their ships passing out of their ports as they will answer for. The king has made the like order and prohibition to the men of Yarmouth. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the following:

The barons, men and community of the port of Wynchelese.

The barons, men and community of the port of Hastings.

The barons, men and community of the port of Sandwich.

The barons, men and community of the port of Romenhale.

The barons, men and community of the port of La Rie.

The barons, men and community of the port of Hethe.

The bailiffs, men and whole community of Great Yarmouth.

The bailiffs, men and whole community of Little Yarmouth, to send two or three men.

The barons, men and whole community of the port of Dover. [*Ibid.*]

To Robert de Burghessh, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to send three or four men from each of the ports with their members, with clause ordering him to make the prohibition as above. [*Ibid.*]

July 20.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause two knights from that county, two citizens from each city in the county and two burgesses from every borough to be chosen to attend the parliament aforesaid. [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

July 20.
Westminster.

To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. Kent. Order, at the instance of R. archbishop of Canterbury and of the clergy of the realm, to supersede until Michaelmas the levying and collecting of the fifteenth from the temporal goods of the archbishop and clergy annexed to spiritualities in that county.

The like to the taxors and collectors in each county constituting the diocese of the archbishop (*singulorum comitatum in quibus dioc[esis] prefati archiepiscopi existit*).

MEMBRANE 8d.

To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. York. Like order, at the instance of Thomas, archbishop of York and the clergy.

The like to the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in each county constituting the diocese of the archbishop.

Aug. 5.
Westminster.

To Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster. Request that he will give credence to what John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, and Eustace le Poer shall say to him by word of mouth on the king's behalf, as the king has

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enjoined upon them certain matters concerning the estate of his land of Scotland that he has greatly at heart to be communicated to Richard and others of the king's subjects in Ireland, and request that he will execute the said matters. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to eighty-two others. [*Ibid.*]

Memorandum, that Geoffrey de Herterpole took oath at Westminster, on Sunday the feast of St. Oswald, before John de Drokenesf[ord], keeper of the wardrobe, and Walter de Glouc[estria], escheator, and others of the king's council to prosecute diligently and faithfully the affairs of the king before Roger le Brabazon and his fellows, justices to hold pleas before the king, and it is agreed that he shall have a fee of 20*l.* yearly, as N. de Warr[ewyk] received.

Aug. 10. To the sheriff of Cornwall. Writ of summons of an eyre for common
Westminster. pleas to be holden at Lanceveton in the octaves of Michaelmas before John de Berewyk and others.

Aug. 20. To the treasurer and chamberlains. Order to deliver to John de
Kempton. Berewyk by indenture the rolls of the last eyre of the king's justices in co. Cornwall and the rolls of the preceding eyre in that county, together with the inquisitions and all other things touching the eyres that are in the treasury under his custody, as the king has appointed John and others his justices to make eyre in that county.

Aug. 20. To William de Burneton. Order to be at Lanceveton in the octaves of
Kempton. Michaelmas, as the king has appointed him justice to make eyre for common pleas with John de Berewyk, Henry Spygurnel, John Randolf, and Hervey de Staunton in co. Cornwall, and he has caused the eyre to be summoned for that day, and order to take oath before John, whom the king has ordered to receive it from him.

The like to Henry, John Randolf and Hervey.

To John de Berewyk. Notification that the king has granted to him power to receive oath in his name from William de Burneton, Henry Spygurnel, John Randolf, and Hervey de Staunton, whom he has appointed to make eyre with John in co. Cornwall, in the form in which John took oath to the king to make the eyre and according to the articles concerning the eyre, and order to receive the oath and to certify the king thereof when he has received it.

To Robert de Retford. Order to be at Lanceveton in the octaves of Michaelmas to do what pertains to the keeping of the rolls and writs in the aforesaid eyre, which the king has committed to him during pleasure.

Memorandum, that on Monday before the Assumption, about the hour of vespers in the king's chamber in the lodging of the archbishop of York near Westminster, where the king was then dwelling, Sir John de Langeton, then chancellor, immediately after the king had risen from his council, restored the great seal to the king, who delivered it, in the presence of Sir A. count of Savoy, John de Britannia, and many others of the king's council, to Sir John de Drokenesford, then keeper of the wardrobe, to be kept therein.

Aug. 10. To the abbot and convent of St. James without Northampton. The
Westminster. king recollects that he has often ordered them to provide John de Derbeya, his clerk, with a suitable yearly pension, in accordance with what the abbot is bound to do by reason of his new creation, in the same way

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as other abbots of the realm are bound to do in like case, and they after harmful delay have at length granted to John a slender pension of 40s., to be received half from the abbot and half in the name of the convent by the hands of the cellarer of their house, and this, as it seems, with fraudulent intent (*in fraudem*) that John shall be excluded from half the pension after the cession or death of the abbot. Since therefore the grant has been made contrary to the due form used in such cases and the king will not tolerate that his clerk shall be thus defrauded of half his pension, he orders them to cause their letters patents under their common seal for the whole pension of 40s. to be made to John without delay, according to custom, and to satisfy him for the arrears of his pension without any plea or cavil, so conducting themselves in this matter that the king may not have to apply further solicitude (*ne manum ad hoc nos oporteat apponere sollicitudinis amplioris*), whereby they would feel themselves not unworthily aggrieved. By K. & C.

Assignment of dower to Isabel, late the wife of John Trenchard, tenant in chief, made at Scheldefflet in the Isle of Wight, on 12 July, 30 Edward, by Walter de Gloucestr[ia], escheator this side Trent, of John's lands in the manor of Schaldeflet with the hamlets of Chestelle and Watingewelle. First he assigned her the hamlet of Watingewelle, which is extended at 7*l.* 13*s.* 5½*d.* yearly; a third of a water-mill at Schaldeflet, which is extended at 16*s.* 8*d.* yearly; 15 acres and two parts of a perch of arable land in the hamlet of Chestelle, which is extended at 7*s.* 8*d.* yearly, price of an acre 6*d.*, and which lie on Horderne; 11½ acres of arable land there lying on Eildeleye, which are extended at 5*s.* 9*d.*, price of an acre 6*d.*; 6½ acres of arable land there lying in Tonforlang, which are extended at 3*s.* 3*d.* yearly, price of an acre 6*d.*; 11 acres of arable land there lying on Foxterne on the east, which are extended at 5*s.* 6*d.* yearly, price of an acre 6*d.*; 5 acres of arable land there, which are extended at 2*s.* 6*d.* yearly, price of an acre 6*d.* He also assigned to her 'housboute,' to be received in the park of Scheldefflete by the view of the lords of the manor for the time being.

He also assigned to her a third of the whole messuage of the manor of Perefrizt, co. Surrey, two wit two barns (*grang'*) with a little fowl-house on the east of the court, which are extended at 8*d.* yearly; 2½ acres and a perch of wood there on the east, which are extended at 6¾*d.*, price of an acre 3*d.*; 8 acres of arable land there lying in the croft called 'Southersch' on the south, which are extended at 16*d.* yearly, price of an acre 2*d.*; and two acres of fallow (*frisce*) land there lying in the same croft on the west, which are extended at 4*d.* yearly, price of an acre 2*d.*; 5½ acres and a perch of arable land there lying in the croft called 'Middelfeld' on the north, which are extended at 10¾*d.* yearly, price of an acre 2*d.*; 3 acres of arable land there lying in the croft called Homfeld on the west, which are extended at 6*d.*, price of an acre as above; 3 acres of arable land lying in the croft called 'Marledcroft' on the east, which are extended at 6*d.* yearly, price of an acre as above; half an acre of arable land there lying in the croft called 'Lomlese' on the south, which is extended at 1*d.* yearly; a third of an acre of arable land there called (*qui* (sic) *vocatur*) 'Haselacre' on the north, which is extended at ¾*d.* yearly; 3½ acres 1½ perches of meadow there lying in the meadow called 'Westmede' on the east, which are extended at 3*s.* 10*d.* yearly, price of an acre 12*d.*; 3 acres of pasture there lying in Laghemede and Estmede on the east, which are extended at 3*d.* yearly; half an acre and 1½ perches of pasture there lying in Goriale on the west, which are extended at ¾*d.* yearly; 8½ acres of pasture lying in Niweynham and

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Chalvescrofte there, which are extended at 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.* yearly; a third of a pasture on Collyngerugge, which is extended at 4*d.* yearly; a third of a common plot (*placie*) against the gate of the court as in pannage and pasture, which is extended at 2*d.* yearly; and a third of all the heath (*bruere*). He has also assigned to her the rents and services of Ralph de Crawestok, a free tenant there, which are extended at 3*s.* yearly; the rents and services of William de Henlegh, also a free tenant there, which are extended at 3*s.* 6*d.* yearly; the rents and services of Robert Poleyn, also a free tenant there, which are extended at 5*s.* 11*d.* yearly; the rents and services of William de Smythford, also a free tenant there, which are extended at 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.* yearly; the rents and services of William West, likewise a free tenant there, which are extended at 2*d.* yearly; the rents and services of Peter Wyneman, a villein, which are extended at 8*s.* 1*d.* yearly; the services of Richard atte Hethe, a villein, which are extended at 17*d.* yearly; the rents and services of William atte Vorde, also a villein, which are extended at 8*s.* 1*d.* yearly; the rents and services of Hugh atte Vorde, also a villein, which are extended at 2*s.* 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ *d.* yearly. He also assigned to her a third of all the perquisites of court, which are extended at 21*d.* yearly.

Aug. 25.
Cobham.

To the treasurer and barons of the exchequer. Notification that the king has granted to William de Deen, who is setting out upon the king's affairs for the Roman court, respite for all debts due to the exchequer until Midsummer next, unless he cause order to be made otherwise in the interval, and order to cause him to have such respite.

Master Philip Martel, who is setting out for the Roman court for the king's affairs, has like letters.

Master John de Sancto Claro, who is setting out as above, has like letters of respite addressed to the sheriff of Essex and Hertford.

MEMBRANE 7*d.*

Aug. 14. Richard de Monte Pessulano acknowledges that he owes to William le Westminster. Menestral 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in London.

Aug. 15. Robert son of William de Newenham came before the king, on Wednesday the feast of the Assumption, and sought to replevy to John de Westminster. Boltesham the latter's land in Plumpton near Wedon Pynkeny, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against John de Noneynes. This is signified to the justices.

Aug. 10. To the bishop of Cork (*Corkay*). Order to grant to William de Westminster. Langeton, king's clerk, a suitable yearly pension, to be received from the bishop's chamber until the bishop shall provide him with a suitable ecclesiastical benefice, making to him letters patent concerning this, as the bishop is bound by reason of his new creation to one of the king's clerks to be nominated by the king in a yearly pension until the clerk shall be provided by the bishop with a suitable benefice.

Memorandum, that the king, on Thursday the morrow of the Assumption, granted to Sir William de Birlay the grace of the future archbishop of Cashel,

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Westminster.

To the sheriff of Kent. Order to cause all lay or armed force to be removed from the churches of St. Paul without the walls of Canterbury, Chistelet, Menstre, Northburn, Middelton, Faversham, Sellyng, Lenham, Tenderdenne, Preston near Wyngham, Litleburn, Plumstede, Fordwyk, Westbere, Wyvelesbergh, Kenyngton, Little Moningham, Estlangedenne, Stonore, Swaleclive, Kingesdenne, Frithingdenne, Stone-in-Oxene, Borwarnersh, Denecherche, Broklonde, All Saints, Canterbury, St. Mary Magdalene, Canterbury, St. Mary, Canterbury Castle, St. Andrew, Canterbury, St. John, Canterbury, and St. Mildred, Canterbury, in the sheriff's county, which force is in the churches in order to disturb the king's peace, and if he find any persons resisting him in the execution of this order, to take with him a sufficient *posse* of the county, if need be, and to attach them by their bodies and to keep them in the king's prison, so that he shall have them before the king in the octaves of Michaelmas to answer to him for the contempt and resistance aforesaid.

By K. & C.

To the sheriff of Suffolk. Order to go in person to the chapel of Lelleseye and to remove from it all the lay force that keeps itself therein, and if he find any persons resisting him, to take with him, if need be, a sufficient *posse* of the county, and to attach them and to cause their bodies to be kept safely in prison, so that he shall have them before the king in fifteen days from Michaelmas to answer to him for the contempt and resistance aforesaid, as the king has taken into his protection Master Peter de Dene, parson of that chapel, who has gone to the Roman court for the special affairs of the king and of all his realm, and also his lands and possessions, etc., inhibiting all and singular from inflicting wrong, annoyance or damage upon him, and a certain armed force has intruded itself into the said chapel during the king's protection aforesaid, as the king learns.

By K. & C.

Aug. 14.
Westminster.

To the abbot and convent of Meaux. Request that they will admit into their house John de Tothull, who has long and faithfully served the king and who is now so broken by age and infirmity that he is unable to serve the king any longer, and whom the king has caused to be sent to them, and that they will find him for life the necessaries of life in food and clothing and other necessaries in accordance with the requirements of his estate.

By K. on the information of brother Walter de Wynterburn.

The like to the prior and convent of St. Swithun's, Winchester, for Reginald le Sauser.

By K. on the information aforesaid.

The like to the prior and convent of Thornholm for John de Wyghton.

By K. on the information aforesaid.

Aug. 17.
Westminster.

Robert de Hecham and William de Ebor[aco], burgesses of Berwick, acknowledge that they owe to Henry Tuk 8 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Northumberland.

Aug. 20.
Kennington.

The prior and convent of Ely acknowledge that they owe to Bonruncinus Walteri de Luk, Burnettus and Richard, sons (*fil'*) of Bonruncinus, 300*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Cambridge.

*Cancelled on payment.*Aug. 23.
Kennington.

Hugh de Bussey, knight, acknowledges that he owes to John de Drogenesford, clerk, 100*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Lincoln.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by John, now bishop of Bath and Wells.

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Roger de la Lee, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to John de Ayremynne, clerk, 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Stafford.

Aug. 27.
Westminster.

Richard Austin came before the king, on Monday after St. Bartholomew, and sought to replevy to Margery, late the wife of Geoffrey de Padebery, her land in Brackele, which was taken into the king's hands for her default before the justices of the Bench against John son of Hamo de Foxcote and Sarah, his wife. This is signified to the justices.

Sept. 1.
Harting.

Master Thomas de Suthwerk acknowledges that he owes to William de Thorntoft, clerk, 48s. 4d.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. York.

Cancelled on payment.

Sept. 13.
Lewes.

To R. archbishop of Canterbury. Summons to attend parliament to be holden at Westminster on the morrow of St. Edward, until which time the king has prorogued it from Michaelmas for certain reasons. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to fifteen bishops, forty-four abbots, Brother W. de la More, master of the military order of the Temple in England, the master of the order of Sempingham, and Brother W. de Tothale, prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England. [*Ibid.*]

To Thomas, archbishop of York. Summons to attend the said parliament in person, or to send a proctor with sufficient power. [*Ibid.*]

To Edward, prince of Wales and earl of Chester. Summons to attend the said parliament. [*Ibid.*]

The like to nine earls and seventy-three others. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 13.
Lewes.

To the barons, men, and whole community of the port of Wynchelese. Order to send three or four men [*as at p. 592, above*] to the king at the parliament at the prorogued date. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the barons, etc. of the ports of Dover, Hastings, Sandwich, Romenhale, La Rie and Hethe. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the bailiffs, men and whole community of Great Yarmouth. [*Ibid.*]

To Robert de Burghesh, warden of the Cinque Ports. Order to cause three or four men from each of the ports to come as above. [*Ibid.*]

Sept. 13.
Lewes.

To the sheriff of York. Order to cause the knights, citizens and burgesses of that county to come to parliament at the prorogued date. [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

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Aug. 28.
Guildford.

Philip Bek came before the king, on Tuesday before the Decollation of St. John the Baptist, and sought to replevy to Philip son of William son of Gilbert de Wollaston his land, which was taken into the king's hands for his default in the king's court against Saer son of William son of Saer de Wollaston. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

Aug. 17.
Westminster.

To the sheriff of Somerset. As Brother William, abbot of Abynedon, acknowledged before Adam de Norhampton and John de Anne, the king's clerk to receive recognisances of debts at Winchester, that he owed to

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John de Stanham 60*l.*, which he ought to have paid at the Nativity of St. Mary in the 28th year of the reign, and he has not yet paid that sum; the king orders the sheriff to cause to be delivered to John goods and chattels and also lands of the abbot in his bailiwick to the value of the debt by a reasonable price and extent, to be held in accordance with the form of the king's statute, certifying the king in fifteen days from Michaelmas of how he shall have executed this order.

Aug. 30.
Woolmer.

William de Ardern acknowledges that he owes to Robert de Bardelby, clerk, 6 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

Cancelled on payment.

Aug. 10.
Westminster.

To Walter de Aylesbury, executor of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, and to his co-executors. Order to bring to London all charters, deeds and other muniments whatsoever in his custody concerning the king in any way by reason of the earl's lands being in his hands, so that he shall have them there in the treasury at Michaelmas. By pet. of C.

————— To the abbot and convent of St. James without Northampton. The king recollects that he has often ordered them [to provide] John de Derby, his clerk, with a suitable yearly pension, in accordance with what the abbot is bound to do by reason of his new creation, in the same way as other abbots of the realm [are bound to do] in like case —— [*Incomplete.*]

[*Cancelled.*]

Sept. 11.
Seal
(*La Scie*).

Henry de Middleton acknowledges that he owes to John de Cumpton 24 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Surrey.

Sept. 5.
Arundel.

The under-written have quittance of the common summons [of the eyre] for common pleas in co. Cornwall:

Robert de Tony.

The abbot of King's Beaulieu.

The prior of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England.

The master of the military order of the Temple in England.

Walter de Aylesbury.

Ralph de Manton, dean of the king's free chapel of St. Buryan (*Beriane*) in Cornwall.

Sept. 11.
Seal.

To John de Segrave. Although the king lately ordered him to be present in person at his next parliament at London, laying aside all other things, he wills that John shall not in any way depart from Scotland or its marches, in which he is appointed in the king's service, by pretext of the order aforesaid. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to Alexander de Balliolo, Edmund de Hastings, William le Latimer, the elder, Walter de Huntercumbe. [*Ibid.*]

Like order to Robert de Clifford not to depart from the parts where he now is. [*Ibid.*]

Enrolment of grant by John de Hunteleye, son and heir of Sir Thomas de Hunteleye, knight, to Sir Walter de Bello Campo and Alice, his wife, for their lives of all his manor of Piryton and appurtenances, together with the advowson of the church, and of the lands that Margery, late the wife of Sir William de Power, knight, holds in dower in the town of Piryton of the inheritance of Joan, the donor's wife, which revert to the donor and his wife at Margery's death; rendering yearly therefor a rose

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within the octaves of Midsummer. For this grant Walter and Alice paid John 50*l.* before hand. Witnesses: Sir Robert de Bracy, Sir Alexander de Frevile, Sir Thomas de la Mare, Sir Simon de Crombe, knights; James Russel, Osbert de Abitod, Roger Golafre, John de Solar[iis], Richard Dryn of Pyriton, Alexander de Befford, Nicholas de Aston, Henry de Clyfton. Dated at Poywyk, the last day of August, 29 Edward.

Memorandum, that John came into chancery, on 17 September, before Adam de Osgodby, keeper of the rolls of the chancery, and acknowledged the aforesaid deed.

Sept. 15. John son of Thomas de Hunteleye acknowledges that he owes to Battle Abbey. Walter de Bello Campo and Alice, his wife, 200*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, for his lands and chattels in co. Worcester.

Sept. 15. To the sheriff of Cornwall. Order to summon four knights of that Battle Abbey. county to be before the justices at the first assizes to choose twelve knights of the neighbourhood of Tregoni, who best know and will tell the truth, to make a recognition of the grand assize between Claricia de Hibernia, demandant, and Richard Richeman, tenant, concerning two parts of a messuage in Tregony, concerning which Richard put himself upon the king's grand assize and sought to have a recognition made as to which of them ought to have the greatest right in the said two parts, and order to summon Richard to be there then to hear the election.

Sept. 15. To the archdeacon of Lewes and to his official and their commissary. Newenden. Inhibition of their attempting to exercise any jurisdiction in the king's free chapel of St. Mary in the castle of Hastingges or in its members, or of attempting anything else to the prejudice of the king and of his royal dignity or of his said free chapel, so conducting themselves in this manner that it may not behove the king to apply another remedy, as the chapel with the prebends and chapels annexed to it is exempt from all jurisdiction of the ordinary, like the king's other free chapels in the realm, and they endeavour, as the king learns, to exercise such jurisdiction in the chapel and the chapels annexed to it. [*Prynne, Records*, iii, p. 933.]

Sept. 20. Simon Rodbright came before the king, on Thursday after the Exalta- Brabourne. tion of the Holy Cross, and sought to replevy his land in the suburbs of Colchester, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Emma Toche. This is signified to the justices.

Sept. 21. To John de Mutford. Order to be at Lanceveton in the octaves of St. Radi- Michaelmas next in order to prosecute and defend the pleas and other gund's. matters touching the king in the eyre of the justices in co. Cornwall, which the king has caused to be summoned at Lanceveton at the said octaves before John de Berewyk and others.

Sept. 23. John Genticors came before the king, on Sunday after St. Matthew, St. Radi- and sought to replevy the land of Roger Genticors in Poltreworgy, which gund's. was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Robert Giffard and Katharine, his wife. This is signified to the justices.

Sept. 9. To B[oniface], the pope. Request that he will give credence to Arundel. Brothers W. de Geynesburgh and H. de Hertepole, of the order of Friars

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Minors, and Master John de Sancto Claro, canon of London, Philip Martel, D.C.L., and William de Deen, knight, whom the king is sending to the pope for the final expedition of the matter of the re-establishment of peace between him and the king of France, in accordance with the form of the pope's late pronouncement, in what they shall expound to the pope concerning this matter and other things that the king has committed to them. [*Fœdera*; Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 935.]

Sept. 9.
Arundel.

To the same. Sir M. cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Porticu has frequently solicited the king in the matter of the prebends of York and Lincoln, one of which he contends that he has appropriated for the basilica of St. Peter and the other for the hospital of the Holy Ghost in Saxia in Rome, and also in the matter of the deposit of the proceeds of the prebends that he asserts has been made at London and York. The king, although he has borne special affection for the cardinal from old time, for which reason he would the more readily accede to his wishes in as far as he could in good manner, would, if he granted the cardinal's petition, prejudice himself and his crown, for the preservation whereof he is bound by oath; which would not be tolerable and the king would not be able to bear it with equanimity, and if by chance he would do so, the magnates and nobles and others of the realm would not be satisfied therewith. Wherefore the king prays the pope to consider the premises with clemency, and to cause the king to be informed of some suitable way that would be convenient for the king's estate and for that of his crown in this matter.

To M. cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Porticu. The king frequently calls to mind the insistency with which the cardinal has pressed him in the aforesaid matters and his request that the king should cause such deposit to be assigned to the cardinal's proctors, as contained in the cardinal's letter. The king wishes him to know that if he were to grant his prayers in this matter, it would seem to be nothing less than assenting to the desired appropriation, which the cardinal has diligently prosecuted heretofore, which would be to the king's prejudice and the manifest injury of his royal crown, for the preservation of which he is bound by oath, and the king believes that the cardinal would not wish this. It would, however, please the king if the cardinal would have conference concerning this matter with the pope, to whom the king has written, so that the pope shall inform the king of some suitable way or form that would be tolerable or convenient in this matter, whereby the king could accede to the cardinal's wishes in this matter out of the affection that he has borne towards the cardinal from of old and that he still bears. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 934.]

Memorandum, that on 23 August, in the presence of W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer, and Otto de Grandisono, in the king's chamber at Kenyngton, Sir A. count of Savoy, Sir John de Britannia, and many others of the king's council being there present, the king's great seal was delivered on his behalf by the hands of Sir John de Drokenesford, then keeper of the wardrobe, to Sir Adam de Osgodby, then keeper of the rolls of chancery, and he was enjoined on the king's behalf to receive it, to be kept under the seals of Master John de Cadomo and Sir William de Byrlay and Robert de Bardelby until the king shall provide himself with a chancellor; and Adam received it; and on the same day the king went to Chichester and so towards Dover.

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MEMBRANE 5d.

Sept. 13.
Lewes.

To B[oniface,] the pope. The king commends to him W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, his treasurer, and desires the pope to further his affairs out of respect for the king. He who is sueing against the bishop maliciously delays the prosecution in order to aggrieve him, and the king desires the pope to hasten the affairs, as the king does not believe that the prosecutor has confidence in the justice of his case, as he now delays prosecuting what he commenced deceitfully. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 926.]

To Sir Francis, cardinal deacon of St. Lucy. The king has received letters and prayers from him and other cardinals in the matter of the church of Monketon, which a certain nephew of the cardinal contends that he has; to which letters the king remembers that he gave an answer on another occasion, which answer he cannot change without injury to his royal dignity and prejudice and harm to his crown. Wishing, however, to satisfy the cardinal's wishes in another way, he will provide the cardinal's nephew, or any other whom the cardinal shall cause to be nominated, with a certain rent consisting of a lay fee when the king shall have means of doing so. In order that the cardinal may have confidence concerning this, the king has ordered J. de Benstede, his clerk, rector of the said church of Monketon, who stays continually by his side, to remind him of this when an opportunity presents itself. [*Ibid.* iii, p. 935.]

To James, nephew of Sir Matthew Ursy of the sons of Ursy, nephew of the aforesaid cardinal. The king has received letters and prayers from the cardinal and from other cardinals concerning the aforesaid church, which James contends that he has; to which the king remembers that he gave a certain answer on another occasion (*as above*). [*Ibid.*]

Memorandum, that on Sunday the morrow of Michaelmas, in the king's chapel, immediately after his mass at St. Radigund's, in the presence of Sir John de Droknesford, keeper of the wardrobe, Master John de Cadomo, Sir Robert de Bardelby, Brother Walter de Wynterburn, Henry de Bluntesdon, the king's almoner, and other chaplains and clerks of the said chapel, Sir Adam de Osgodeby delivered to the king his great seal, and the king received it into his own hands and delivered it forthwith to Master William de Grenefeld, dean of Chichester, whom he had chosen as his chancellor, for custody; and the said chancellor re-delivered the seal to Adam, to be carried with the chancellor to Dover; where the chancellor received it from Adam on the same day, and he sealed writs with it on the morrow in the hospital of God's House, Dover.

Oct. 9.
Grays
Thurrock.

Richard de Baskerville came before the king, on Tuesday the feast of St. Denis, and sought to replevy his land in Erdesleye, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against Robert de Clifford. This is signified to the justices.

Enrolment of grant and surrender by Humphrey de Bohun, earl of Hereford and Essex, constable of England, to the king of all his castles, towns, manors and lands that he held in fee in England and Wales. Witnesses: W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the treasurer; Master William de Grenefeld, dean of Chichester, the chancellor; Walter de Bello Campo, steward of the king's household; John Buteturte, Henry de Enefeld, William Poveyn and Geoffrey de la Mare, knights; John de Droknesford, keeper of the wardrobe; Gilbert de Roubury, justice. Dated at London, 8 October, 30 Edward. [*Fœdera*.]

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Enrolment of surrender and release by the said Humphrey to the king of his right, honour and dominion by virtue of the name of earl in cos. Hereford and Essex, and also the constableness of England. Witnesses and date as in preceding enrolment. [*Ibid.*]

Enrolment of grant by the said earl to the king of all his goods and chattels in the aforesaid castles, towns, manors. Dated as above. [No witnesses mentioned.]

Enrolment of letters from the said earl appointing Andrew de Kynebauton and Henry de Enefeld, knights, to deliver to the king seisin of his castles, etc. in cos. Essex, Middlesex and Hertford, with the goods and chattels therein. Dated as above.

The like to the following:

Richard de Bulyton and Geoffrey Sytadun in cos. Huntingdon and Buckingham, to the king or to Hugh de Burgo, and the sub-escheators in those counties.

William de Agmodesham and the prior of Llanthony without Gloucester in cos. Wilts and Gloucester, to the king or John de Borham, sub-escheator in those counties.

Master Rhys ap Howel and Philip ap Howel in Wales and co. Hereford, to the king or to Walter de Hakelut, John de Derby and William de Leycestria, or two or one of them.

Enrolment of letter of the said earl to all his tenants in cos. Essex, Middlesex and Hertford, ordering them to be intentend to the king henceforth as to their lord. Dated as above.

The like to the earl's tenants in the following counties:

Huntingdon and Buckingham.

Wilts and Gloucester.

Hereford.

Wales.

Oct. 12. Ralph son of John son of Peter de Londonia acknowledge that they owe
Westminster to Eleanor, late the wife of John son of Peter, 40l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

Oct. 17. Robert de Verdun acknowledges that he owes to John de Segyn,
Westminster chaplain, 16 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Buckingham and Northampton.

Joan de Vivonia, one of the daughters and heiresses of Maud de Kyme, puts in her place Richard Foucher and Stephen de Welles to demand and receive her dower of the issues of the county of Kildar' in Ireland, which William de Vescey, deceased, the late justiciary, occupied against the said Maud and Agatha de Mortuo Mari, her sister, which issues the king still holds in his hands.

Robert de Bello Campo, the assign of Cecily de Bello Campo, the second daughter and heiress of the said Maud, puts in her place Hugh de Mortuo Mari, clerk, in like manner.

Membrane 5d—Schedule.

Aug. 24. To B[oniface], the pope. The king compassionates the grief of W.
Cobham. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, his treasurer, who is suspended from the office and administration of spiritualities and temporalities by the pope, the more especially because John de Lovetot, whom the king asserts to be false and a traitor, has delayed presenting the apostolic letters

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concerning the bishop directed to the archbishop of Canterbury and his colleagues, and has not at the time of writing any intention of exhibiting them, in order that he may by delay destroy an innocent man, although he has been required by the bishop's proctors to present and exhibit the letters to the archbishop and his colleagues. The king requests the pope to provide a remedy for this malice, having regard to the labours, anxieties and various inconveniences sustained by the bishop, and to provide mercifully for the bishop's estate, and to comfort the king's mind in this matter by Master G. de Blast', the bearer of the presents, whom the king is sending to him specially for this matter. The king wishes the pope to know that joy is exiled from his breast when he observes his treasurer, whose office and industry he needs more and more, thus languishing. [*Fwadera*; Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 925.]

To J. cardinal deacon of SS. Marcellinus and Peter. Request that he will obtain from the pope a mitigation of the said bishop's estate. Dated as above. [*Fwadera*; Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 927.]

The like to the following:

Brother G. cardinal priest of St. Martin in Montibus.

Sir R. cardinal priest of St. Potenciana. [*Ibid.*]

To B[oniface], the pope. The king notifies him that he caused John de Lovetot to be arrested after his late return from the Roman court and his stay in England for divers crimes and offences committed by him against the king, and caused him to be detained for a few days, as was his duty according to the law and custom of the realm. As the king knows John to be false, untruthful and a traitor, he has caused him to be released at the treasurer's instance from arrest, so that he shall not presume to ascribe with his usual malice the arrest to the treasurer. Dated as above. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 926.]

MEMBRANE 4d.

Oct. 16.
Westminster.

Nicholas Coppe of Canterbury came before the king, on Wednesday the eve of St. Luke, and sought to replevy his land in Canterbury, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justice of the Bench against Cecily, daughter of Robert Bunt of Orkeneye, William, her son, and Alice, William's sister. This is signified to the justices.

Fulk son of Warin acknowledges that he owes to John de Cantilupo 200*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Gloucester and Berks.

John son of William de Pakenham acknowledges that he owes to John Chaumpayne 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

Nicholas de Turvill, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Master Richard de Havering 100*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Buckingham.

Thomas de Bavent, knight, Walter de Bernham and Edmund de Micklesfeld acknowledge that they owe to Robert de Tateshale 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Norfolk and Suffolk.

Oct. 21.
Westminster.

John de Praers acknowledges that he owes to John Buteturte 200 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

To Theobald de Baar, treasurer of the church of York, Theobald, archdeacon of the church of La River' in the church of Verdun, Sir Peter de Beffremont, lord of Belengevill, and Sir Geoffrey de Nevill called 'le Romfeus,' knights. Request that they will keep the lands of the count of Baar, the king's son, henceforth, as they have kept them hitherto, for the use and profit of the count's children, because it seems to the king that no other persons could be more profitable than them, as he learns from Le Guellard des Ermeyses, whom they have sent to him, of the count's death, at which he is much grieved, and Guellard has requested him on their behalf to ordain some persons to keep the land for the use and profit of the count's children, and the king understands that the count at the time when he left his country left the custody of his lands in their hands. He begs them to so execute these matters that it shall be to their honour and that the king and the children may be bound to them for that reason. As the king has great confidence in Sir John de Baar and knows well that he bears good will to the children, he prays them to call him in the accounts and the great matters touching them, as the king has written to him his pleasure in this matter. The king also understands from Guellard that the men of the country will not obey anyone without his will, by reason of the oath taken by them when the marriage took place between the count and the king's daughter; wherefore he has ordered them by his open letters to be obedient to the said keepers as they were before, for the profit of the children. They are desired to give credence to what Guellard shall tell them on the king's behalf in this matter, who will tell them these things more fully than the king can tell them by letter. Dated at Westminster, 13 October, in the thirtieth year. *French.*

The king to John de Baar. The king is much grieved by the news of the death of Henry, count of Baar, John's brother, brought to him by Le Guellars des Ermoyses, and, as he understands from the latter that the men of that land will not obey anyone without the king's order, as above, he has prayed and ordered them to obey Theobald, John's brother, and Theobald, archdeacon of La Rivere in the church of Verdun, Peter de Beffreyment, lord of Belengevill, and Geoffrey de Nevill called 'le Romfeus,' knights, to whom the count delivered the custody of his land at his leaving his country, as is well known to John, and the king has prayed Theobald and the others to keep the lands for the use of the children, with which custody the king did not wish to charge John at the present time for certain reasons, with which Guellard will acquaint him by word of mouth. The king has, however, ordered them to call John in accounts and other great matters; wherefore he prays and orders him to aid and counsel the said keepers in all great matters touching the keeping of the lands and children. Dated as above. *French.*

To Theobald de Barro, treasurer of York. The sad news of the death of Henry, count of Bar (*de Barro*), Theobald's brother, brought to the king by Guellard de Hermosius, knight, has greatly grieved him. As the king has requested those to whom, with Theobald, the count committed his lands at his leaving those parts to exhibit care and diligence in keeping the said lands, and he reposes greater confidence in Theobald than in the others, he requests him to apply himself specially to the said custody as a good uncle, out of affection for the children, his and the king's nephews (*nepotes*). The king has written to J. de Barro, Theobald's brother, to assist Theobald in accounts (*raciociniis*) and other greater matters that concern the premises when requested to do so by Theobald.

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Oct. 15. John de Wyndesor', the king's serjeant, is sent to the prior and convent
Westminster. of Bath. By K. on the information of Brother W. de Wyntreburn.

John de Tothull, the king's serjeant, is sent to the abbot and convent
of Cogeshale. By K. on the information of the said W.

Oct. 18. Reginald le Sauser, the king's serjeant, is sent to the abbot and
Westminster. convent of Colchester. By K. on the information of the said W.

Gilbert del Bed, the king's serjeant, is sent to the abbot and convent
of Peterborough.

Oct. 25. Oliver de Redham, parson of the church of Redham, acknowledges
Westminster. that he owes to Oliver de Wissete, parson of the church of Wakefeld,
20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co.
Norfolk.

Thomas de Frollebur[y], parson of the church of Burcler', acknowledges
that he owes to John de Compton 28 marks; to be levied, in default of
payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

John de Roches and Hugh de la Hide acknowledge that they owe to
Hugh, abbot of Hayles, William de Bereford, and Walter de Aylesbury,
executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, 43*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos.
Southampton and Dorset.

Richard Wade acknowledges that he owes to William de Ayremynne,
clerk, 4 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and
chattels in co. Northumberland.

Cancelled on payment.

Oct. 21. Roger son of William de Huntingfeld acknowledges that he owes to
Westminster. Thomas de Ingaldesthorp 40 marks; to be levied, in default of payment,
of his lands and chattels in co. Suffolk.

Master William de Ewell and Robert son of Nigel, knight, acknowledge
that they owe to William de Hamelton, dean of York, 220 marks; to be
levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Surrey
and Northampton.

*Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by John de Merlaue, one of William's
executors.*

Sibyl, wife of William de Grandissono, one of the heirs and parceners
of the inheritance that belonged to John de Tregoz, tenant in chief, puts
in her place Thomas de Birmingham, knight, and Regin[ald] le Alemand
to demand and receive in chancery her purparty of the knights' fees and
advowsons of churches that belonged to John.

Oct. 26. Simon Bush acknowledges that he owes to the dean and chapter of the
Westminster. cathedral church of Chichester 40 marks; to be levied, in default of
payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Suffolk.

To Theobald de Bar, treasurer of York, Theobald, archdeacon of
La River' in the church of Verdun, Peter de Beffremount, lord of
Belengueville, and Geoffrey de Nevile, called 'le Romfeus,' knights, keepers
of the county of Bar (*Barren*'). The king, desiring to favour his
merchants John de Friscobaldi and his fellows, merchants of the society
of Friscobaldi of Florence, requests them to cause Hugelinus (*sic*),

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merchant of that society, the exhibitor of the presents, to be satisfied without delay in the name of the society for 500 marks sterling in which Henry, late count of Bar, was bound to them for a loan, as is contained in a bond of his in the possession of the merchants, saving the king harmless in this behalf, as is fitting. Dated—[*Incomplete.*]

To Theobald de Barro, treasurer of York. Letter recommending to him the said merchants, and desiring him to use his influence with the other keepers named above to obtain payment to the said Hugelinus Hugelini (*sic*) of the 500 marks aforesaid, concerning which the king has written to the keepers [*as above*], and satisfaction for any damages that the merchants may have sustained by the delay of payment.

To Sir John de Baar. Request that he will exert his influence with the said keepers to obtain payment of the said debt and damages to Hugelin (*sic*). *French.*

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Oct. 28. Simon de Monte Acuto acknowledges that he owes to William de
Westminster. Dunston 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Somerset and Dorset.

Cancelled on payment.

Robert son of Walter acknowledges that he owes to Richard, bishop of London, 20l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

William de Walmesford acknowledges that he owes to John Post 40s.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Northampton.

Thomas de Coudre acknowledges that he owes to John de Tytingte (*sic*), citizen of Winchester, 9l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

Thomas de Tittlegh acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, dean of York, 269l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Essex and Sussex.

Richard de Wylaund, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Adam le Tailour of London 10 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

John de Northwode, William de Cheffeud, and John de Haville acknowledge that they owe to William^o Milksop 500 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Cancelled on payment.

John de Northwode acknowledges that he owes to William^o Milksop 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

Cancelled on payment.

Oct. 28. John Giffard of Weston-under-Egge acknowledges that he owes to the
Westminster. abbot of Wynchecumbe 110l.; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

* There is an erasure here of the preposition *de*.

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John Bluet, knight, acknowledges that he owes to John Tyting, citizen of Winchester, 24*l.* 6*s.* 4*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

Cancelled on payment.

Humphrey de Waleden acknowledges that he owes to Master John de Rodbergh, John de Staneweye, Bartholomew de Devises and Geoffrey de Hambury, executors of the will of Godfrey, late bishop of Worcester, 297*l.* 8*s.* 11½*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Cancelled on payment, acknowledged by John de Stanweye.

Master Gilbert de Ardern acknowledges that he owes to Master William de Estdene 22 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

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Hugh de Sancto Phileberto acknowledges that he owes to Henry Busker, 50*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Berks.

Walter de Bello Campo acknowledges that he owes to Brachius Gerardi and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Pulci (*Pullicum*) and Rembertini of Florence, 42*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Northampton, Gloucester and Worcester.

John son of William de Watevill acknowledges that he owes to the abbot of Westminster 30 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Essex.

Nov. 2.
Westminster.

Hugh de Sautre came before the king, on Friday the Commemoration of All Souls, and sought to replevy to Hugh Coppel of Stepingele the latter's land in Stepingele, and to Osbert le Potter of Weston and Cecily, his wife, their land in the same town, and to Simon Prestot of Stepingele the latter's land in the same town, which were taken into the king's hands for their default before the king against Gilbert atte Brok of Lythynghon. This is signified to the justices of the Bench.

Fulk son of Warin, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Master William de Apperle 45*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Oxford.

John de Ralegh acknowledges that he owes to Ralph de Manton 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Sussex.

John de Pavely, parson of the church of Lodbrok, diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, acknowledges that he owes to Master Robert de Leycestria 53 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Berks.

Richard Sheld of Redleye acknowledges that he owes to Master William de Apperleye 100*s.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

John de Sancto Johanne acknowledges that he owes to Thomas Paynel, William Paynel and John de Stoke, executors of the will of John de Sancto Johanne, 154*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

The said John de Sancto Johanne acknowledges that he owes to Thomas Paynel 200*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Southampton.

Cancelled on payment.

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Nov. 10. William Fraunceys acknowledges that he owes to the abbot of Westminster 120*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Gloucester and Lincoln.

Christina, late the wife of William de Kirkeby, tenant in chief, puts in her place William de Stoke to demand and receive in chancery her dower of the lands, knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William.

Walter Dosevill and Margaret, his wife, one of the sisters and heiresses of the said William, puts in their place John de Houby to demand and receive in chancery their purparty of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to William.

Maud de Houby, the third sister, puts in her place the said John in like manner.

Peter Prilly and Alice, his wife, the second sister, puts in her place Robert Grymbaud in like manner.

Mabel Grimbaud, the fourth sister, puts in her place the said Robert in like manner.

Alice, late the wife of John de Sancto Johanne, tenant in chief, puts in her place William Fraunceys to demand and receive in chancery her dower of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches that belonged to John.

Nov. 10. Hugh de Le acknowledges that he owes to William de Hamelton, Westminister. dean of York, 10*l.* 8*s.* 9*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Kent.

William Merre and John de Foxle acknowledge that they owe to Hugh, abbot of Hayles, William de Bereford, and Walter de Aylesbur[y], executors of the will of Edmund, late earl of Cornwall, 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in cos. Buckingham and Berks.

Simon de Drayton acknowledges that he owes to John Buteturt 10*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Huntingdon and Northampton.

John de Bello Campo of Fifide, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Joan, late the wife of Adam de Bydik, 30*l.*

Nov. 12. Thomas son of Thomas de Hegham came before the king, on Monday Westminister. the morrow of St. Martin, and sought to replevy to John Arneys the latter's land, which was taken into the king's hands for his default before the justices of the Bench against John atte Chirche and Thomas (?), his brother.

Nov. 12. William de Medeburn, clerk, acknowledges that he owes to Philip le Westminister. Rus of Northampton 100 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Leicester and Northampton.

John de Sudle, knight, acknowledges that he owes to Guilliotus le Sautreuer 20*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

Cancelled on payment.

Nov. 13. Joan, late the wife of Adam de Bydyk, acknowledges that she owes to Westminister. Walter de Langeton, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, 65*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of her lands and chattels in co. Middlesex.

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Ralph de Sandwico acknowledges that he owes to John Van and his fellows, merchants of the society of the Ballardi of Lucca, 50 marks; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in cos. Kent and Middlesex.

Oct. 21. To the sheriff of Derby. Order to pay to Thomas de Folejaumbe
Westminster. and Robert Tuk', knights of that county who lately came to the king at Westminster, their expenses for coming to the king, staying there, and returning. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to the sheriffs of other counties for their respective knights. [*Ibid.*]

MEMBRANE 2d.

Nov. 1. To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. Middlesex. Whereas
Westminster. the king lately, at the instance of R. archbishop of Canterbury, and the clergy of the realm, ordered the taxors and collectors to supersede until Michaelmas last the levying and collecting of the fifteenth from the temporal goods of the archbishop and clergy annexed to spiritualities in that county; he now, at the renewed request of the archbishop and clergy, orders them to supersede the levying and collecting until Easter next.

The like to the taxors and collectors in each county this side the Trent.

To the taxors and collectors of the fifteenth in co. York. Like order, made at the request of Thomas, archbishop of York.

Memorandum, that on Tuesday before All Saints Master William de Grenefeld, dean of Chichester and chancellor of England, who was setting out as the king's envoy to parts beyond sea, delivered the great seal to the king in the king's chamber in the lodgings of the archbishop of York at Westminster, in the presence of Sir A. count of Savoy, H. de Lacy, earl of Lincoln, and John de Britannia, and the king received the seal into his own hands, and delivered it forthwith to Sir Adam de Osgodeby, then keeper of the rolls of chancery, to be kept, in the same manner as he kept it at another time, under the seals of Master John de Cadomo and Sir William de Birlay and Sir Robert de Bardelby, until the chancellor's return from the parts aforesaid.

Nov. 10. Geoffrey de la Pomeray acknowledges that he owes to William de
Westminster. Aulton 50*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Devon.

Patrick de Alderington, chaplain, and Nicholas de Quenton acknowledge that they owe to Henry Buscre of Malynes 28*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of their lands and chattels in co. Gloucester.

Philip le Porter of Leoministre acknowledges that he owes to Hugh Godard 40*l.*; to be levied, in default of payment, of his lands and chattels in co. Hereford.

Oct. 28. To the sheriff of Lincoln. Order to summon Roger de Huntingfeld by
Westminster. two men of that county to be before the king in fifteen days from Martinmas to show cause why Geoffrey de Genevill ought not to have the manor of Francton, in accordance with the form of the *Dictum* of Kenilworth and with the agreement made between Geoffrey and William son of William de Huntingfeld for the ransom of the dower of Joan, late the wife of William de Huntingfeld [the father], when it should fall in, as the late king granted by his charter to Geoffrey all the lands that belonged to William son of William de Huntingfeld, which were in the

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said king's hands as forfeited by reason of the enmity and rebellion of William during the time of the disturbance in England, to have with the dower of the said Joan when it should fall in, to be redeemed in accordance with the form of the *Dictum* and with the aforesaid agreement, as the said Roger, son and heir of William de Huntingfeld, the younger, has now entered the manor upon Joan's death, and deforces it from Geoffrey contrary to the form of the *Dictum* and the agreement, and the king wills that Geoffrey shall not be wronged in this behalf, and Geoffrey has found him as security to prosecute his claim Richard de Walsingham, knight, of co. Norfolk, and William son of Walter de Sharnefeld, of co. Hereford. [Ryley, *Placita*, p. 502.]

Nov. 7. To John de Warena, earl of Surrey. Order to be with the king at Westminster. Berewyk-on-Tweed at Whitsuntide next with horses and arms and all the service due to the king, ready to set out against the Scots. [*Parl Writs*.]

The like to eight earls and ninety others. [*Ibid.*]

To John son of Reginald. Like order, expressing the king's surprise that John has not gone thither in accordance with the king's previous orders. [*Ibid.*]

Nov. 7. To J. bishop of Carlisle. Order to have before the king at the said day Westminster. and place all the service that he owes to the king augmented as much as possible. [*Ibid.*]

The like to Thomas, archbishop of York, fourteen bishops, and nineteen abbots. [*Ibid.*]

Nov. 7. To the sheriff of York. Order to summon archbishops, bishops, abbots, Westminster. priors and other ecclesiastical persons and also widows and other women who hold of the king by knight service or serjeanty or of the guardianships of archbishoprics and bishoprics, or of other custodies and wardships in the king's hands, to have their service with the king at the said day and place. [*Ibid.*]

The like to all the sheriffs of England. [*Ibid.*]

Nov. 13. To W. king of Bohemia and Poland. The king has received his letters Westminster. of credence presented by Godfrey, W.'s chaplain, the bearer of the presents, and he understands what the chaplain wished to say to him on W.'s behalf. He has caused the relics of St. Thomas, sometime archbishop of Canterbury, which the chaplain prayed on W.'s behalf might be sent by the king, and also other relics to be sent by the chaplain to W., whom he prays to receive them and to have and keep them in fitting reverence. [*Fadera*.]

Membrane 2d—Schedule.

•For Thomas de Burnham and Simon son of Ralph de Ormesby of co. Lincoln.

[For] William de Clifton and Gilbert de Singelton of co. Lancaster.

[For] William Fokeram and Adam de Elmerig of co. Worcester.

[For] Andrew de Trelosk and Hugh de Ferers of co. Devon.

[For] Robert de Askeby and Thomas de Bethum of co. Westmoreland.

[For] John de Heselarton and Thomas de Alta Ripa of co. York.

[For] John de Lysors and Robert de Ecclessale of co. Nottingham.

[For] John de Cambhou and Hugh Gobyon of co. Northumberland.

[For] Peter Crok and William de Wauton of co. Gloucester.

[For] Robert de Joneby and Nicholas de Moresby of co. Cumberland.

[For] Waresius de Valoynes and Robert de Setraus of co. Kent.

* There is nothing to show what this list refers to.

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Nov. 7.
Westminster.

To Robert de Burgherssh, warden of the Cinque Ports. Whereas the king has ordered the barons, bailiffs and men of all the ports aforesaid to have all their service of ships due to him at Newcastle-on-Are by the Assumption next at the latest, ready to set out against the Scots, and the king, in order to spare them at present, is content that the service of fifty-seven ships due from the barons of Cinque Ports to him shall be now done with twenty-five ships, provided that the ships shall be furnished with as many men in sailors and other fencible men as the fifty-seven would have had if the service were done by them, and provided that they shall contain the same crew (*skipiamentum*) in the number of persons as is contained in the king's letters to the barons: the king orders the warden to go in person to each of the said ports, and to induce the barons, bailiffs and other men of those ports to fulfil diligently the king's order aforesaid, so conducting himself herein as to earn the king's commendation. [*Fodera.*]

To the mayor, barons and bailiffs of the port of Dover. Mandate in pursuance. [*Ibid.*]

The like to the mayors, barons and bailiffs of Sandwich, La Rye, Wynechelese, and Faversham, and to the barons and bailiffs of Romenhale, Hethe, Hastings and Pevenese. [*Ibid.*]

Nov. 7.
Westminster.

To Richard de Burgo, earl of Ulster. Order to give credence to what John Wogan, justiciary of Ireland, Richard de Bereford, treasurer of the exchequer of Dublin, Nicholas de Bosco, and Walter de Pederton shall say to him on the king's behalf; and to carry out those things, as the king has enjoined upon them certain affairs touching the state of his land of Scotland that he has much at heart, to be explained by them by word of mouth to Richard and other subjects of the king in Ireland. [*Parl. Writs.*]

The like to eighty-three others. [*Ibid.*]

Nov. 10.
Westminster.

To the bailiffs and men of Seford and Burn. Order to send to Newcastle-on-Are a ship well found with men and other necessities by the Ascension next, ready to set out at the king's wages against the Scots, as the king proposes to be at Berwick-on-Tweed at Whitsuntide next with horses and arms and all the service due to him to set out against the Scots, for which purpose he needs their aid in ships.

The like to the bailiffs and men of the following towns:

Shorham, Houve, Brightelmeston, and Aldrinton for one ship.

Portsmouth and Goseport for one ship.

Southampton for two ships.

Hamele and St. Helen's for one ship.

Yaremuth and Lymeton for one ship.

La Pole, Warham, and Brunkeseye for two ships.

Weymuth for one ship.

Lym for one ship.

Seton and Sidemuth for one ship.

Exeter and Exemuth for one ship.

Teignemuth and Dovelish for one ship.

Dertemuth, Portilmuth and Bery for two ships.

Plymmuth, Plymton, and Yalm for one ship.

Berstaple and Ilvercombe for one ship.

Lostudiel, Bo[d]myne, Fawy, and Polruan for one ship.

Loo, Ash, and Portpihan for one ship.

Briggewauter for one ship.

Bristol for two ships.

The abbot of Battle for one ship.

The prior of Christ Church for one ship.

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*Membrane 1d—cont.*Nov. 15.
Westminster.

To M. cardinal deacon of St. Mary in Porticu. Repetition of the king's letters (*p.* 601, *above*) regarding the deposit of the proceeds of the prebends of the churches of York and Lincoln, omitting the clauses about desiring to find a way or form that would be tolerable to the king, adding that the king, out of affection for the cardinal, wishing to please him as far as possible, has caused 335 marks sterling to be paid to the cardinal's proctors for the value of florins found on deposit in London, which are mentioned in the cardinal's letters, and has ordered the florins to be taken for the king's use. The cardinal must not understand that the king is sending the money to him by reason of the deposit, but for an entirely different reason and of his special gift and munificence. The king is unable, by reason of the charges caused by divers wars and disturbances and hail-storms and labours and anxieties, to satisfy the cardinal for the arrears of the yearly pension that he granted to him, and he requests the cardinal to have patience with him in this matter. The king will cause him to be satisfied for all things as soon as more suitable times arrive. [Prynne, *Records*, iii, p. 934.]

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